

President's Corner . . . Monico Zamora

Hello Everyone . . . As we are getting closer to midseason and the All-Star Game, I hope you all have voted for our Dodgers who are in the race, representing the National League, I hear Ethier has quite a lead in votes so keep voting for him and others.

We will have had our Blood Drive when you get this booster bits and I hope everyone invited their family and friends.

We have some activities going on like San Francisco at the end of July so watch out for signup sheets (possible tailgate at stadium). Also we gave out our booster awards and donated to Think Cure, see ya all at the park.



Ticket Talk . . . Mae Rosenkranz

This one's going to be short and to the point. Tickets for Homestands 7 & 8 (7/20, 7/23 & 8/4) will be ready for pickup at the July 12th meeting.

The 7/23 game is "All-You-Can-Eat" in the RFP. Tickets are \$30 for members and \$33 for non-members. Also, don't forget the 8/6 game has been canceled due to lack of sales, so cross it off your projection sheet.

The 8/30 game is also in jeopardy of being canceled unless more tickets are ordered. So far, only 13 tickets have been ordered and I need 30 minimum to keep this date. So look at your calendars and order tickets for that day against the Phillies.

Another reminder: If you order tickets and you don't pick them up or cancel 15 days prior to game day, you are **still responsible to pay for those tickets**. Until you do pay for those tickets, you will not be able to purchase any more tickets from the Booster Club. And, when I email you and/or leave a message on your phone, please respond back to me.

Coming Soon To A Computer Near You! . .

Using Buzz Lightyear's immortal phrase "To infinity and beyond!" your club is taking the leap into the 21st century with a new and exciting upgrade to our Booster Club website. The platform and building blocks are being put into place as we speak, which will then enable us to use our website to do a myriad of wonderful and fantastic things.

As with all things new, we want to take baby steps first, and make sure we get it right, before we start running marathons, so to speak. We really want this to work and not rush into it willy-nilly. So, the first thing on tap is the ability for potential members to **JOIN ONLINE**, and current members to **RENEW** their membership, **ONLINE**, including the ability to pay dues securely using any credit or debit card. We always get a lot of hits on our website, including requests to download an application form.

This new process will make it quick and easy for anyone to join, from anywhere, anytime 24/7 while they are in the "moment." Members can renew membership 24/7 too! No more searching for or downloading a form, finding a pen, filling out the form, locating an envelope, searching for a stamp and taking the time to find a mailbox.

By using the online application to join or renew, all member information will be instantly provided to Sandy to update her membership records, and supplied to Mae to update mailing labels, and also forwarded to John to provide necessary information to produce Membership Badges & Discount Cards, fast and easy, without the usual delays and necessary communication, cross checking and confirmation. In addition, Herb will have less paperwork and fewer checks to handle.

You will also be able to order replacements for lost Membership Badges and discount cards online, and even order a spare badge, so you have one in each car, so you'll never show up at the stadium, meeting or event without it.

In addition, you'll be able to order "Between the Years" Membership badges. The club will still present members with milestone badges for each five years of membership, but for those who choose to do so, you'll be able to wear a membership badge with your exact current number of years as a member, without waiting five years.

Stay tuned, cuz there's plenty more excitement in store, as we upgrade our website "to infinity and beyond!"

Giveaway Crew Update . . . Belinda Uribe

It's giveaway time . . . We had some amazing giveaways last month, including an action figure and a bobblehead. This month we'll have another action figure and a bobblehead, on 7/20 we'll have a James Loney Bobblehead, and on 7/22, it will be a Manny Ramirez action figure.

Next month we have the return of the Dodgers beach towel on 8/4. If you are unable to attend the meeting and want to volunteer for any of these great giveaways, you can contact me at 000000000000@00000.com.

Meeting Fundraiser News . . .

Susan plans to unveil a very special fundraising item at our July meeting. It's an authentic Dodger jersey signed by none other than Andre Ethier!



The jersey comes with a certificate of authenticity too. This special item is made possible by President Monico Zamora who won it at a silent auction at Dodger Stadium.

Tickets for this jersey will be available to purchase at the next few meetings before we select the lucky winner later in the year. Tickets for this special raffle will be 2 for \$5. If you cannot make it to a meeting, please feel free to call Susan Davidson, 818.788.1621, to arrange to purchase your tickets.

Susan will also conduct her regular meeting fundraiser at the July meeting with a really nice assortment of Dodger items. Rumor has it a Dodger rally monkey may make another appearance as one of the items.

Thanks To You All . . .

. . . Your Dodgers Booster Club has been able to make donations to a number of different deserving groups. So far this year, we have made donations to El Monte Fillies Fast Pitch, 2 different teams in the La Puente National Little League, Lennox Little League, Metropolitan-Pioneer Little League, Pomona American Little League, Thousand Oaks Senior Softball, Vineyard Little League Pirates, Whittier Pony Baseball and William Workman High School Baseball.

At our June meeting, Monico presented Principal Kate Aceves with a check for \$500 to St Paul High School as token of our appreciation for being able to use their facilities to hold our monthly meetings.

During our recent Booster Club Awards ceremony at the stadium, we were also able to make a \$1,000 donation to Think Cure, thanks to the non-member ticket surcharge.

It is only because of YOUR continued and generous support of our various fundraising activities that we are able to contribute back to our community as much as we have so far this year. Pat yourselves on the backs and keep up the good work - CONGRATULATIONS!

Free Membership!

Recruit 10 NEW members & YOUR 2011 membership is FREE

Start Early! Recruit 10 NEW members to the LADBC by the end of December, and your membership, next year, will be FREE. NEW members must be signed up & paid before 12/31/10



Must be NEW members, renewals of existing members not applicable. One adult member= one referral, Two Child members = one referral. Free membership refers to one year renewal of your existing membership for 2011, after ten new members recruited. Maximum value \$25.00. If you recruit more than ten, the benefits increase.

Receive one free raffle ticket for every 5 referrals over ten recruited. Recruit 25 members, and your 2011 Christmas Party fee will also be free. for more information, you can contact any Board Member, or attend any monthly meeting

Membership Notes . . .

While Sandy's busy handling the latest influx of new members, we thought we'd take her space to make the following announcement.

Having reached her 35th year as a member of the Booster Club, the board has decided to bestow a life membership upon Coletta Lindell. In the early 70's, Coletta was a season ticket holder in our Section 6.

As our club grew, so did the number of tickets we would purchase in this section, slowly surrounding her seats. Soon, she was talked into joining the club despite having access to great tickets anyway. Before we knew it, she became an active member at meetings, volunteering at the stadium and going on club trips.

She is the last of the fabled 3 who had dozens and dozens of player autographs on their club jackets and she could also be counted upon to have the best, and most attractive, Dodger-themed painted finger nails on Opening Day.

Unfortunately, over time she has become less mobile and is no longer able to make it to games. Despite that, she has showed her faith in our club by maintaining her membership each year and now we would like to return the favor. Congrats to Coletta and here's to another 35 years of membership!

Watching our Baby Boys In Blue Play . . .



Our season would not be complete without our annual trip out to see the Dodgers Single-A team in action! So, we are going to go out to Arrowhead Union Park in San Bernardino to watch the Inland Empire 66ers play the Bakersfield Blaze on Saturday, August 28th at 7:05 PM, which includes a postgame fireworks display.

For the past few years, we have done the pregame All-You-Can-Eat BBQ party. The menu includes hot dogs, grilled hamburgers, BBQ chicken, potato salad, beans, peanuts, chips, yummy chocolate chip cookies, soda and water. The cost for this remains the same as last year at \$23, which also includes an \$8 game ticket. Since their food prices are similar to those at Dodger Stadium, 2 hot dogs and a coke alone and you've spent the \$15. Such a deal!

Based on last year's attendance, we've booked 75 guests for this package. You can also purchase just the \$8 game ticket if you don't want to be a part of the BBQ party. Our seats are in the Executive Box section, right behind the 66ers dugout. You are really up close and personal to viewing some great baseball, as well as ducking from or catching the ever possible foul ball.

As in the past, we are planning to hold a postgame meet-and-greet with the players and coaches, including pizza and soda for the boys. This gathering will give you the chance at your first glimpses of the Dodgers of the future. And the best part is, that it's free!

So, talk it up with your family and friends and come on out and join in on the unique and special fun that is a minor league game and support our Baby Boys in Blue!

Signups will continue through the August meeting with final payment due for tickets ordered by the August meeting.

Parking is \$4 but for \$3, you can get a prepaid parking voucher. In order to collect the money and get the passes in your hands at the August meeting, you must pay the \$3 no later than the July meeting. The August edition will contain the final details plus all the directions and instructions you'll need for the grand time that awaits you. See ya there!

In Brief . . .

OK, here's some exciting news regarding our August 9th Meeting . . . We will hold our annual Ice Cream Social at this meeting. You don't want to miss out on this always fun and tasty treat!



July Birthdays

07/01 - Aurora Pina
 07/01 - Michelle Lucas
 07/02 - Anthony Zaragoza
 07/02 - Christopher Gonzalez
 07/03 - Joeleen Sanchez
 07/04 - Samantha Rodriguez
 07/06 - Chuck Warner
 07/06 - Sue Bonetti
 07/07 - Dolly Bartelme
 07/07 - Eric Sweeney
 07/10 - Mary Coe
 07/14 - Eileen Russell
 07/16 - Alex Silva
 07/17 - Jessica Israel
 07/17 - Tanya Lee
 07/17 - Carl Weckerle
 07/18 - Jack Lucas
 07/19 - Mae Rosenkranz
 07/20 - Jerome Leventhal
 07/20 - Dora Sells
 07/22 - Mia Castillo
 07/24 - Martin Garcia
 07/25 - Sergio Zarzuela
 07/26 - Dorina Chisholm
 07/27 - Steve Bedolla
 07/27 - Mariela Cuellar
 07/27 - Sandy Zamora
 07/29 - Dalyn Visitisomsuk
 07/30 - Randy Caudill
 07/30 - Victoria Hemming

2010 Meeting Dates

- January 11th
- February 8th
- March 8th
- April 5th
- May 10th
- June 14th
- July 12th
- August 9th
- September 13th
- October 4th
- November 8th
- December – No Meeting

Angel Boosters vs Dodger Boosters Blood Drive . . .

This is what has been determined so far - 739 units were collected, 130 more units than last year's total, and a new record! As to which booster club won the "competition," that won't be known for awhile yet, but the following is the message we received from Geri Ostil Hernandez, Special Projects Manager for the American Red Cross:

First, a BIG THANK YOU to each and every one of you, for yet another successful Angels vs. Dodgers Booster Clubs Blood Drive on 06/19/10. Looks like we continue to beat the record from the previous year.

In 2009, 609 units of life-saving blood was collected. I am excited to report this year's blood drive collected 739 units – WOW (that's up to 2,956 lives you may have helped save). This is truly the result of what teamwork is all about and the selfless acts of making a difference in saving lives. Boosters, without your efforts this would not be possible.

To Noel at Dodgers Baseball - thank you for your generosity in donating the rally towels and the Manny Ramirez posters for all the sites. Thanks for allowing us to recruit during the Dodger homestands leading up to the drive. This truly made a remarkable difference. The presence of both Booster teams at each donor site speaks volumes of what competition raises but the togetherness of joining together as one. Below are the results of total units collected at each of the sites. The results of the ballots will be announced once we receive the ballot boxes and have a chance to tally all the ballot cards.

Thank you, and know that each and every one of you make my job worthwhile by knowing special people like you.

Angels vs. Dodgers Booster Clubs Blood Drive - 06/19/10					
Location	Site	Goal	Presenting	Productive	% of Goal
Fullerton	Crowne Plaza Hotel	192		255	246 128.13%
Glendale	Glendale Civic Center	62		64	66 106.45%
Laguna Hills	ARC - Donor Center	72		78	57 79.17%
Los Angeles	LAPD Training Academy	52		66	53 101.92%
Long Beach	ARC - Long Beach Chapter	122		120	110 90.16%
Pasadena	ARC - Donor Center	92		103	92 100.00%
Pomona	ARC - Donor Center	102		143	115 112.75%
Total Units Collected:				739	

Your 2010 Booster Club Officers . . .

- President – Monico Zamora – 000.000.0000
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