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Casa Pacifica Angels Ball Turns Twenty-One – Saturday, February 27th

Thousand Oaks, CA Jan. 28, 2010 – For the past twenty-one years, the Casa Pacifica Angels Auxiliary has presented the Angels Ball – an elegant evening of gourmet dining, dancing to a live orchestra, inspiring stories of successful foster youth, and philanthropy that has raised more than \$2 million over its history to support Casa Pacifica Centers for Children and Families and its programs and services designed to bring hope and help to children, and families, who are in the greatest need. The Cassar Family will serve as the evening's Hosts for the third year in a row, and the prestigious Sherwood Country Club in Thousand Oaks will once again frame the evening's festivities which will also include a live auction featuring exciting travel, special event, and unique one-of-a-kind item packages.

Following the gourmet dinner, live auction, and dancing to the Harry Selvin Orchestra, guests will be treated to a special guest presentation by Dedria Brunett – a former Casa Pacifica resident who in 2008 won Ventura County Youth of the Year, and who is also currently Miss Teen California International – about her journey through the foster care system and her secrets to success. Another highlight of the evening will be the announcement of the 2009 Guardian Angel Award, and all of the festivities will be emceed once again by Paula Lopez of KEYT Channel 3.

Angels Ball Co-chairs Keets Cassar and longtime Angel Terry Goodrich (who also chaired the Ball many years ago) and the Angels Ball Committee have worked hard to provide a sophisticated evening of fun while raising money for a very worthy cause. Sponsors-to-date of the 2010 Angels Ball include: ***Host of Dreams*** – The Cassar Family; ***Dinner Sponsors of Hope*** – The Zarley Family; ***Sponsors of Independence*** – Bill and Elise Kearney; Wells Fargo; ***Sponsors of Confidence*** – Anonymous; DEX; Kim and Farshad Fardad & Ray and Carol Kirschbaum; Montecito Bank & Trust; Santa Barbara Bank & Trust; The Wennes Family; ***Sponsor of Achievement*** – Linda and David Catlin; G. Kelly Sievers Foundation; ***Sponsors of Promise*** – Susan and Ken Bauer; Richard and Terry Goodrich; Stacy and Kerry Roscoe. If you are interested in sponsoring and/or attending this exciting event, please contact Stephanie Caffee, Casa Pacifica's Special Events Coordinator, at (805) 484-7144.

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Casa Pacifica is a crisis-care and residential treatment facility for abused, neglected, or at-risk children in the tri-Counties. The agency is the largest provider of children's mental health services in both Ventura and Santa Barbara Counties and administers a number of community-based programs which are designed to strengthen families and keep children in their own homes, schools, and communities.

For more information about Casa Pacifica view www.casapacifica.org or contact the Development Department at (805) 445-7800.