



The Orangevale Juice

Our 53rd Year in serving the business

THE ORANGEVALE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

January 2009



*Letter from the
President
Lorraine Silvera*

Happy New Year to everyone! I hope you all survived the holiday "hustle & bustle" and are ready for the New Year.

Our Annual Tree Lighting Ceremony at the Community Center was a fun filled evening. Although it was a little chilly, we all had a wonderful time enjoying the entertainment. A special thank you goes out to the vendors who donated their time and food for the event. Congratulations to the Distinguished Award winners, you have one year of bragging rights!

Call our office today and find out new ways we can help you promote your business. In these economic times we are all in need of a little extra help. Cindy Sue, our Office Manager, will be happy to assist you.

Our upcoming event will be a Texas Hold 'Em Tournament. The event will be held at the Orangevale Grange Hall on Saturday, February 21st. Doors open at 6:00pm, the tournament will start at 6:30pm. We are only selling 99 tickets so get yours today by calling the office. If you are not interested in playing in the tournament we urge you to stop by. There will be lots of fun, food and prizes. See the insert for more information.

The planning has begun for the 46th Annual Pow Wow Days. If you are interested in joining the planning committee or would like to become a volunteer or vendor, please contact our office. Our next meeting will be February 3rd at 5:30pm, at the Round Table Pizza on Greenback Ln. (in the Big Lots center). Come join us, we have some exciting new changes for this year's event.

Please feel free to contact the office with any questions or concerns, we are happy to serve the businesses and the community.
Sincerely Yours,
Lorraine Silvera

The Tree Lighting Ceremony!

The Community joined in celebrating our distinguished members at our annual Tree Lighting Ceremony. Lorraine Silvera, President of the Orangevale Chamber of Commerce, along with Lisa Montes, our Honorary Mayor, presented the Distinguished Community Service Awards to the well-deserved participants. : **BUSINESS OF THE YEAR, ORANGEVALE LIQUOR JERRY & CARYN FREELOVE: BUSINESS PERSON OF THE YEAR, CHRIS BARNES OF O'CONNORS SANTA MARIA GRILL : AMBASSADOR OF THE YEAR, GREG JONES: VOLUNTEER OF THE YEAR, CINDYSUE JONES: AND OUT STANDING COMMUNITY SERVICE, THE ORANGEVALE GRANGE.** You can never say enough in thanking them for the outstanding service that they contribute to the community.

As we were celebrating our distinguished friends, we mingled with our neighbors, family and friends throughout the evening. What better way to spend the festive winter night; as you sipped on some hot cider and were entertained by the **Ottoman School** band and choir. We loved hearing from the talented youth in our little town of Orangevale. Let's not forget our magnificent **Folsom Harmony Express**, they know how to bring a crowd to attention while they sing their hearts out with such sweet, sweet harmony. We would like to thank the **Orangevale Recreation & Park District**, the **Orangevale Chamber of Commerce**, and the **Orangevale Women's Club** for putting it all together for the community. A special thanks for the "**Polar Express Train**" which was sponsored by the **Orange Vale Water Co., Sierra Auto Service Center** and **Dr. Steve Tsuchida**. In addition, a special thank you for the arts and craft booth provides by **Lisa Montes our Honorary Mayor** and her wonderful elf helpers. Hot dogs donated by **Desiree Traynor from Costco**, hot dog buns from **Phil Montes**, kettle korn was donated by **David Brown, from Kettle Kreations** who always contribute his wonderful kettle corn for such events.

As we reflect back at the 2008 Tree Lighting Ceremony, we can see that we are a step better then 2007 and 2009 will be the springboard of a great up coming year.

Orangevale Chamber of Commerce

MISSION STATEMENT

Promoting a positive business environment, advocating public policy for local businesses, provide valuable membership services and be a strategic partner in initiatives that improve the quality of life in Orangevale.



TEXAS HOLD 'EM FEBRUARY 21ST CONTACT THE CHAMBER OFFICE FOR YOUR TICKETS TODAY PLEASE RSVP FOR THE JANUARY 27TH MIXER!



NEW MEMBERS

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RENEWING MEMBERS

- 2 Guntex Mobile Notary Service, P.O. Box 170, Orangevale, CA 988-0823 Susan Harke
- California Transmission, 9317 Greenback Lane, Orangevale, CA 988-8922 Dave Feuerwerker
- Eskaton FountainWood Lodge, 8773 Oak Avenue, Orangevale, CA 988-2200 Tracy Juchnik
- EZ Events, P.O. Box 2230 Orangevale, CA 989-4944 Darlene Lyons & Lisa Montes
- Golden State Collision Center, 7407 Roseville Rd, Roseville, CA 987-3295 Rebecca Endres
- JDK Drywall, 7904 Excelsior Ave. Orangevale, CA 988-6186 John & Lisa Knapp
- K. Walker Photography Inc, 9267 Greenback Lane C1, Orangevale, CA 989-3190
- Kilgore, Dorothy , Individual
- Knights of Columbus, Council # 13672, 8880 Glory Dawn Dr, Orangevale, CA 425-3337
- Nadler Accountancy Corporation, 8836 Greenback Lane, Suite E Orangevale, CA 988-1779
- Oak Ave. Free Methodist Church, 8790 Oak Ave, Orangevale, CA 988-8815
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- Orangevale Realty, 9091 Golden Gate Avenue, Orangevale, CA -987-4704 Tom Parker
- Puroclean Restoration Services, 9232 Suede Hill Court, Orangevale, CA 760-7221 Jack Corry
- Sacramento Metro Fire District, 2101 Hurley Way, Sacramento 566-4399
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- State Farm Insurance Co.8920-B Greenback Lane Orangevale, CA 989-2144 Sandra Alva
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LET'S WELCOME OUR NEW MEMBERS!

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The Orangevale Chamber Networking Breakfast!

How do I know that I can't live without your product / service?!! ... Tell me at the Orangevale Chamber of Commerce 916-988-0175 -- or -- www.orangevalechamber.com

Business Networking Breakfast 1st & 3rd Thursdays of each month 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 a.m. Denny's 8841 Greenback Lane, Orangevale (NW corner of Hazel & Greenback) Be There! Make an impression with an optional door prize wrapped in your business card. If you are interested in being a speaker, please contact CindySue Jones at **988-0175**.



Pow Wow Days is Coming May 14th-17th 2009

Pow Wow Days planning meetings are under way. The next scheduled meeting is Tuesday, February 3, 2009 5:30 at the Round Table Pizza 9500 Greenback Lane just past Main Ave. We have some great ideas to make this year Pow Wow Days a huge success. If you are interested in helping out with the event, we would love to have you!

THANK YOU...THANK YOU...THANK YOU...THANK YOU...

Mandatory Changes Mean New Posters Must Be Displayed

Mandatory changes have been made to three of the notices California employers are required to display to explain workers' rights to employees.

- New federal Family and Medical Leave Act (FMLA) rules published on November 17 include new poster and notice requirements.
- The Equal Employment Opportunity (EEO) workplace poster includes required changes, according to the Office of Federal Contract Compliance Programs.
- The state Employment Development Department (EDD) notice to employees has changed for 2009.

Family Leave

The FMLA rules going into effect on January 16, 2009 cover:

- the new poster and notice requirements;
- eligibility for leave if the employee has a break in service with the employer;
- when bonus payments may be denied to an employee on FMLA;
- increase in penalties for failure to post the FMLA notice;
- requirement that employers indicate how much time will be used as FMLA (if known);

retroactive application of leave.

Required Pamphlet Changes

In addition, there are new requirements in 2009 to the following required pamphlets:

- Workers' Compensation Rights & Benefits pamphlets (required for new hires);
- State Disability Insurance pamphlets (required for new hires and employees taking non-work-related disability leave);

Paid Family Leave (required for new hires and any employee taking a leave of absence); Unemployment Insurance pamphlets (required for any employee who becomes unemployed).

More information on the new requirements is available in the HR Watchdog Blog at www.hrcalifornia.com.

For more information on the product changes or to order, visit www.calbizcentral.com.



The Ambassador's Corner!

We would like to say congratulations to Greg Jones for Winning the Ambassador of The Year Distinguished Award. For those that have been attending our growing mixers you may know him as our bartender. Greg has been a part of the Orangevale Chamber for over 6 years, he has lived in Orangevale for over 20 years. Some of you may also know him as The Brewfest Man, Mr. Pampered Chef, and the all around good guy with a great sense of humor.

If you are looking for a way to help in the community, consider being an Orangevale Chamber Ambassador. We could always use your help. Please contact the office at 988-0175

Upcoming Meetings

CPAC (Community Planning Advisory Council) Orangevale Community Center.
The next meeting will be **March 3rd** at 6:30 pm.

Supervisor Roberta MacGlashan holds her monthly Orangevale meeting at Annie's Breakfast and Steaks on the first Friday of every month. The next meeting will be Friday, Feb 6th at 7:30 a.m.

Orangevale Community Events

The Grange Hall Breakfast is the Second Sunday of each month from 8-10:30 am
5807 Walnut Ave Adults \$6.00 Children (6-12) \$3.00 Children 5 and under and Seniors are free.

Terrified to speak in public? **Toastmasters International** provide a community-based speech club to effectively practice every aspect of public speaking. They meet every Tuesday at 6:30pm at Eskaton Fountainwood Lodge 8773 Oak Ave. For more information you can visit www.toastmasters.org or call 988-7068

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Honorary Mayor, Lisa Montes, benefiting the East Valley Community Food Closet Located at 7801 Hazel Ave, Orangevale

INFORMATION WANTED Individuals or groups with interesting and informative material that they would like to see in this newsletter please let us know. We welcome submissions from members, club news, organization news or trivia.
If you would like to contribute please email: ovchamber@sbcglobal.net fax 988-1049 or mail to 9267 Greenback Lane Ste B-91, Orangevale CA 95662.

Please See Flyer Inserts for Valuable Information!

!!!CHAMBER SCHEDULE OF EVENTS!!!

Chamber Board Meeting-February 10th th at 5pm
Ambassador Meeting February 19th at 5:00pm
PWD Planning Meeting February 3rd 5:30pm

January 2009: Tuesday 27th 6-8 p.m.

Sponsor: Bradley Jones Insurance

Location: 8836 Greenback Lane, Orangevale

February 2009: Tuesday 24th 6-8pm

Sponsor: The Learning Patch

Location: 6035 Main Ave., Orangevale

March 2009: Tuesday 24th 6-8p.m

Sponsor: Albano, Dale, Dunn & Lewis

Location: 9197 Greenback Lane, Suite E

Sponsorship of events for the Orangevale Chamber of Commerce represents an active commitment to the growth and prosperity of Orangevale. Your organization will be a valued contributor to the success of events in Orangevale. See www.orangevalechamber.com for more info.

Thank you for your generous support!