

## Links for Life owes a debt of gratitude to our community for their support



3rd Annual Hockeython

Steve Dowhy, Glen Mears and Paul Willett former Condor celebrates

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Darlene Phillips, Editor

Nancy G. Brinker

Buck Owens

### The Power of Two

#### What did these two people have to do with Links for Life?

- In 1992 the Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation asked Links for Life, then the Business and Charity Golf Link, to come down to Palm Springs and inform people about Breast Cancer at their booth at the Dinah Shore Pro Golf Tournament. Nancy Brinker is the founder of the Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation.
- In 1993 Buck Owens donated \$10,000 to fund the Pro-Am Tournament for Breast Cancer at Seven Oaks Country Club.
- This year Nancy G. Brinker is the keynote speaker for The 18th Annual Options Unlimited, Bakersfield Women's Business Conference. We will be giving out pink ribbons and Links for Life information to 1200 women at this event. Nancy will find out what Kern County has done with her passion for helping women.
- The activities relating to the 14th Annual Gala and Pro-Am Golf Tournament to be held at the beautiful Seven Oaks Country Club are in full swing. There are a few spots remaining so act quickly to reserve your place on the dance floor for Saturday, April 28 and/or on the 1st tee on Monday, April 30. You can sign up on our website at [www.linksforlife.org](http://www.linksforlife.org). This year there will be a new award given to the first place team and golf professional. The unveiling of this award will be at the Gala along with the much anticipated auction for playing spots at this year's Lexus Charity for Champions Golf Tournament to be held in Pebble Beach. Also, if you are interested in volunteering during the Gala or Golf tournament, please contact the Links for Life office. We will be happy to put you to work! This year's event is going to be spectacular. We hope to see you there!!

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*Enclosed is my tax deductible contribution*

*Thank you for \$25 or more for membership!*

### BOARD'S BULLETIN BOARD

#### LINKS FOR LIFE SAYS "THANK YOU"

TO KEVIN BARRETT AND THE CONDORS. THE HOCKEYATHON SUCCESS WAS BEYOND OUR WILDEST DREAMS. THE EVENT RAISED OVER \$61,000!

TO JEANETTE CLEVELAND AND THE LADIES WHO ATTENDED HER ANNUAL LADIES DAY OUT AND BOUTIQUE. OUR PROGRAMS CAN BE EXPANDED BECAUSE OF THIS DONATION.

THE BAKERSFIELD WOMEN'S CLUB FOR CHOOSING US TO RECEIVE THEIR SUPPORT AS THEIR DESIGNATED CHARITY THIS YEAR.

TO CHEVRON FOR AWARDED LINKS FOR LIFE A COMMUNITY SPIRIT AWARD.

### April is Public Health Month!

Informing and helping women stay healthy is our aim at Links for Life. Aiding us in accomplishing this task is our new staff member Beverly Gordon. She has 7 children and 13 grandchildren and appreciates a job where she can sit down and help women feel better.

Get Moving Kern teams of Links for Life have completed 52 weeks of walking to their virtual destination of Bangor, Maine. The total team miles to date are 29,776. Sharon Pollack leads the team with 2600 miles followed by Priscilla Bacas 2417 miles.

The Desert Breast and Osteoporosis Institute in Rancho Mirage is researching a mouthwash called OncoVue breast cancer risk test. The OncoVue test can determine if a woman carries the genetic predisposition for breast cancer. The cells are analyzed in the laboratories at InterGenetics, an Oklahoma City-based company, that created OncoVue.