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DECEMBER 8 HOLIDAY HOME TOUR BENEFITS CITY ENHANCEMENTS, SCHOLARSHIPS

The Chino Hills Community Foundation's 3rd annual Holiday Home Tour is scheduled for Sunday, December 8 with a unique lineup of homes decked out with holiday decor. Guests will get in the spirit of Christmas after having an insider's look at beautifully decorated homes filled with holiday cheer.

Guests will start the tour at the Chino Hills Community Center, 14250 Peyton Drive, where the tour itinerary will be provided. Tours take place from 4:00 to 6:00 p.m. followed by a wine and hors d'oeuvres reception from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. at the Community Center. Tickets are \$40 per person which includes entry to three homes and the reception which will feature a musical group from Chino Hills High School, raffle prizes, a silent auction, and Santa. Tickets are available online at www.ChinoHillsHomeTour.com; or in person at the Chino Hills Community Center, 14250 Peyton Drive and the City Hall Recreation Office, 14000 City Center Drive. If tickets are available, they may be purchased on the day of the event at the Community Center.

"This year's tour will surely delight," said event chairwoman Sylvia Nash. "This is the third time we have had a Holiday Home Tour and all of our guests will definitely be in the mood for Christmas after visiting the homes and enjoying the reception."

The tours are self-guided with docents on-hand to share information about the three homes featured on the tour. One home has an amazing view in addition to wonderful decorations. Visitors will also enjoy a peek at festive holiday décor inside another home that won an award for its outdoor decorations in the 2017 Chino Hills Holiday Home Decorating contest. The third home has delighted holiday party guests for years with amazing trees and decorations upstairs and downstairs.

Proceeds from the Holiday Home Tour will contribute to the Foundation's efforts to raise funds for projects in Chino Hills including beautifying trails, retrofitting parks for the disabled and purchasing playground equipment for the future Los Serranos Park. The Foundation also supports art programs, youth recreation scholarships, and various needs of the Chino Hills Community Center.

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Top event sponsors include TriCounties Association of Realtors, Pomona Valley Healthcare, Trumark Homes, and Parentex Enterprises.

Founded in 2008, the Chino Hills Community Foundation is committed to enhancing the quality of life in the City through local philanthropy that benefits all citizens. To date, they have raised over a Million dollars with signature events including the Wine Walk, Home Tours, and Music Concerts. The Foundation has provided \$700,000 in funding for worthwhile local projects. Their most recent donation of \$173,000 funded playground equipment at the new Los Serranos Park which is set to open in November of this year. In addition, the Foundation provided \$75,000 to enhance trails in Chino Hills with signage, mile markers, and other features. Adaptive swings were installed at several Chino Hills playgrounds following a \$3,100 donation from the Foundation. They also provided \$300,000 to furnish the Chino Hills Community Center when it was built in 2014 and contributed an additional \$20,000. The Foundation also has an ongoing program to provide scholarships to low-income children and teens participating in City recreation programs. Their first major contribution provided \$70,000 for extra features and enhancements in the James S. Thalman Library when it was first opened in 2009.

For additional event information and sponsorship opportunities, please visit www.chinohillsfoundation.org or e-mail the Foundation at CHCfoundation@chinohills.org.

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