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The U.V.A.H. NEWSLETTER

NOVEMBER 2015

Our Vision

A community that values all its members so everyone is connected and respected as a vital part of the community with meaningful ways to contribute and maximize their potential.

25th annual golf tournament a success

On Saturday, September 19, 2015, the 25th Annual U.V.A.H. Scramble Golf Tournament was held at the Ukiah Valley Golf Course. Record low scores were a testament to the dry course conditions but the greens were all in excellent shape.

One men's team birdied every hole for the tournament's lowest score in 25 years. Jeff Westphall, Bob Santos, Ramon McReynolds and Greg Cervantes took first place honors with a score of 55. The second place men's team of Joey Fowler, Ben Waterman, Shane Roberts and Bill Mergener scored a 56. The reigning champions from the last two years, Phil Gorny, Bob Hardie, Brian Bechtol and Bill Bartram shot a 59 to come in third place.



Brady Wildberger, Betsy Wildberger, Donald McMullen and Kerri McMullen won first place in the co-ed division with a score of 62. Coming in second with a 69, was the team of Ross Lunceford, Chuck Hall, Joanne Brennan, and Ken Bolstad. Third place co-ed winners Ron Caviglia, Helen Williams and Ron Tonelli scored a 71.

The only entry in the women's division Pam Jensen, Tracey MacNamara, Cora Saxton and Stacey Rohrbaugh took first place and had the team's personal best score of 79. The highest score of the day was 87 resulting in prizes for Jerry Hughes, Cody Rotermund, Mary Rotermund and Stan Singley.

Cora Saxon and Brian Bechtol won prizes for longest drives. Stacy Rohrbaugh was closest to the line on hole #1. Gino Moretta sunk the longest putt of 25 feet on hole #8. Closest to the pin prizes went to Ken Bolstad, John Grothe and Joey Fowler on holes 3, 5 and 15 respectively.

At the conclusion of golf everyone was treated to a chicken dinner at Todd Grove Park. Many wonderful raffle prizes were won in the raffle. U.V.A.H. is grateful to our major sponsors NorCoast Insurance, Ken Fowler Auto and Truck Center, Savings Bank of Mendocino County, Ukiah Valley Medical Center, Thomas Brigham, Attorney at Law, Mendocino Sheriff Office and Hunger Express; as well as numerous hole sponsors and generous prize donors.

The UVAH Golf committee of Barbara Redding, Brady Wildberger and Carrie Brigham worked very hard to make the tournament successful. The UVAH Board of Directors are grateful to staff, volunteers and golfers for making the 25th tournament a success.

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Employee Focus



Kris was born in McCloud Ca. She attended Cloverdale High, Ukiah High and Healds Business College.

Kris has an older brother, younger sister and two wonderful parents. She and her husband Craig have been married 40 years and have two grown children, Tiffany and Shaun. They have five grandchildren; Samantha 17, Addison 5, Jarron 12, Kyra 4 and Jaxx 1.

Kris and Craig have 3 dogs, Chance, Dakota & Uno, two cats, Stash and Shadow and a few feral cats at their home in Lake County.

Kris has worked for U.V.A.H. for 37 years in Administration. She started as a bookkeeper and has been the Business Office Manager for several years.

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Every time you shop at Lucky or Food Maxx and use the UVAH S.H.A.R.E.S. card SaveMart will donate 3% of your qualified purchases to UVAH. This really adds up over the year. If you need a new card give us a call at 468-8824 and we will send you one.



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From the Executive Director

UVAH had a great first quarter of our new fiscal year. Our 25th annual golf tournament was missing a few of our regular golfers this year but the event generated \$10,000 for the agency. We also received \$2,000 from AT&T after Assembly member Jim Wood said we were his favorite charity.

Mayacama Industries is getting more contracts that are keeping crewmembers productive and have increased contract revenue by \$20,000 over the same quarter last year. Many thanks to the crewmembers and staff for being so flexible and working so hard.

L.I.F.E. Services and the Rural Adult Programs continue to provide the highest quality services for the people using our services. Whether staff are providing personal care, tutoring a student in a college class or helping someone make a purchase in a store, they do so with care and kindness that exceeds expectations and makes learning a positive experience for all.

Pamela Jensen



Rural Adult Program Spotlight

Katherine Tritten (KT) lives in her own apartment in Ukiah. KT attends the B.M.A.C. Program and enjoys socializing and participating in activities with her friends. She enjoys reading foodie magazines and preparing snacks in the kitchen.



KT works doing light housekeeping at the R.A.P. facility on Mill Street and picks up recycling at a local business every other week. When in the community KT walks several times a week, shops at local stores, eats lunch at restaurants and participates in activities at our local parks. She liked the trip to the County Museum in Willits.

KT especially enjoys shopping for clothes and dressing up. She loves to accessorize and show off her outfits at the U.V.A.H. sponsored dances and other events.