

# Booster Chatter

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## President's Message . . . Cathy Duffy

**Hey Boosters . . .** Hope everyone is cheering for our Angels, they're looking really good so far. Our May 5th meeting was very interesting. A big thank you to our speakers Del Crandall and Geri Hernandez (see photo at left). Geri Hernandez is our representative from the Red Cross



for our June 14th Freeway Series, 10th Annual Blood Drive. She gave us some very interesting facts and encouraged everyone to participate in some way. Stop by the Membership Desk at your next game (or at the June 2nd General Meeting) and sign-up to either help at one of the sites and/or donate.



Del Crandall was a very interesting speaker. He was a member of the 1957 World Champion Milwaukee Braves. Del is an eight-time all-star and four-time Gold Glove winner. It was really quite interesting to see his view on the 'happenings' back then, and now.

We have a big Angel fan that is in very poor health right now. His name is Cody Waters, he lives in Garden Grove and he is 9 years old (see photo at right of him with John Lackey).



He has had multiple surgeries for brain cancer and is currently in CHOC Intensive care. Please make time in your busy day to send him good thoughts.



We are going to have our Annual Booster Picnic on Saturday, July 12th at Twyla Reid Park in Anaheim. There'll be food, fun, games, and much more.

Look for a sign-up sheet at the June 2nd General Meeting. We need lots of attendees and a planning committee, so help-out if you can.

Congratulations to Richard Olds for winning the April, 2008 Booster of the Month Award (including an Angel Jacket). Richard was also one of the few and the proud who won our "Golden Box Cutter" awards for April, 2008 (see photo at left of group & separately Richard with myself). So much cardboard, so little time.



Thank you to all Booster Club members, who have been donating so much time to make Angel Product Promotions such a success! Hope to see you all at the Monday, June 2nd General Meeting and remember to vote on Tuesday, June 3rd in the Statewide Primary election.

## Membership/Newsletter . . . Melissa Honey-Nuzzo

**Hi Everyone** - The Boosters are off to a great start bringing in new members! I will have an update at the next meeting regarding the totals so far for everyone actively recruiting.

Jan is doing a great job at staffing the table, a big thanks to all the boosters who have worked the table. Don't forget to stop by and pick up your raffle ticket at the next meeting, if you worked the table during the last meeting.

Check out the new members photo on page two, and keep up the good work!!

## Promotions . . . Susan Milslagle / Jesse Hewitt

Bobble heads, caps, bobble heads, blankets, banners, calendars, clocks and beanies--it's been a busy beginning to the 2008 season. Can you believe the amount of cardboard Boosters can cut?

Thanks to all of the volunteers who have helped this season. We've had good crews for all of the events. The gates have all been running smoothly. It's been great to see how neat everyone has left their gate areas.

Yes, we have had complaints. BUT- they are mostly from adults at the kids only promotions, who want the items. It's really hard to say NO, but we have to follow the rules set by Angels management. If you get a really good "excuse" from a fan, turn it in and we'll publish the best.

Coming up for the month of June are John Lackey bobble heads, beach mats, posters and the ever popular "rally noodles". Bring your calendars to the June 2nd meeting and sign up for some events. I plan to have the items from the April and May promotions to distribute to the workers.

A reminder, over the past few seasons when the Angels make the playoffs, Booster workers have been given tickets to watch games after working. The list of eligible workers is based on the number of regular season events that you work. Promotions with rally noodles and posters count as much as caps and bobble heads.

We need your help then, too!

### 2008 Meetings

Monday, January 14th  
Monday, February 4th  
Monday, March 3rd  
Monday, April 14th  
Monday, May 5th  
Monday, June 2nd  
Monday, July 7th  
Monday, August 11th  
Tuesday, September 2nd  
Monday, Sept. 22nd (Oct. Mtg)  
Sat, Nov. 8th (Annual Dinner Mtg)

## Booster Tidbits . . .

**Five Good Uses For a Rally Noodle . . . Use number 5:** Use as a prop when doing the wave. **Use number 4:** Hit your brother, sister, father, friend, etc. **Use number 3:** Conduct your section in the singing of "Take me out to the ballgame" **Use number 2:** Convince your kids that these are the new, quiet Halo Stix - less noise pollution **Use number 1:** When you spill your \$8 beer, you can soak it up and squeeze it back into your cup

## New Booster Members



**New Members** Back row, L-R: Jim Arndt, Bert Moriel, Marilyn Marsino, Santigo Sanchez, Bob Horan, Mary Ellen Daners. Front Row: Kym Arndt, David Thornsberry, Mary Garcia, Dustin Daners



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**All you have to do is Recruit 10 NEW members** to the Angels Booster Club by year end, and your 2009 membership is FREE. NEW members must be signed up & paid before Dec. 31st. NEW members only, renewals of existing members not applicable. Families count as one recruited member since there's a big price break for kids. Free membership refers to one year renewal of your existing membership for 2009, after ten new members recruited. If you recruit over ten, the benefits increase. Receive a special raffle ticket for every member in excess of ten recruited. Recruit 25 members, and your 2009 Annual Dinner Meeting will also be free. Attend any monthly meeting for more information.

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**June 2008  
Booster Birthdays**

Moira Cantrell Jun-1  
John A. Leach Jun-1  
Judith Davis Jun-3  
Tabitha Jimenez Jun-4  
Babe Ruth Deal Jun-5  
Mo Lawson Jun-6  
Renee Allen Jun-10  
Mandy Bundy Jun-10  
Harold Julius Jun-10  
Eric Rivas Jun-11  
Jennifer Somsak Jun-13  
Marcia Cooper Jun-15  
Phyllis Hatosy Jun-15  
Walt Jones Jun-15  
Mary Jo Wethmeller Jun-18  
Andrea Barham Jun-20  
Sandy O'Connor Jun-20  
Jody Kemp Jun-22  
Bucky Fox Jun-24  
April Sanford Jun-24  
Claire Heaney Jun-26  
Sandy Darnold Jun-30

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Season Tickets & Raffle - Jackie Jones 000.000.0000  
Welcome Table - Nancy Serota 000.000.0000

Recently in the news, you may have read that an 18 year old girl just pleaded guilty to manslaughter after killing her best friend in a car accident while she was high on Ecstasy and had been drinking all night. I could go on and on with more, but I'm sure you get the point.

For all you Angels fans/boosters, I, we, want to see you at all the future Angels Booster Club meetings/functions. So, when you come to an Angels game and down 6, 8, 10 plus 20 oz cups or bottles with those blue/red Angels logos, then decide to drive home, you are not making a wise decision. If you must drink, which is your GOD given right/choice to drink, then bring a designated driver who will not be drinking. GOD Bless you all and GO ANGELS!

**Season Tickets/Raffles . . .** Ralph Rodriguez & Jackie Jones

Thanks to everyone who supports the season ticket table. We do our best to put new and different items on the table each month. If there is anything you would like to see on the table please let us know.

We are having a silent auction thru the month of July. Starting bid on each item is \$40. We have one game used batting helmet and one game used Matt Hensley jersey. So don't forget to come to the next booster meeting and bid.

**Membership Table Talk . . .** Jan Thomasser

We're off and running! Thanks to all who've signed up to meet and greet potential members at our home games. We had 100% attendance for the month of April. Way to go!

Our Table Team is growing with additional workers for the month of May. Let's work on getting more new members for the Club.

Be cordial, friendly, enthusiastic.

People you recruit count toward your goal of 10 new memberships to earn your free renewal. Go Team!!

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**1st Vice President . . .** Mo Lawson

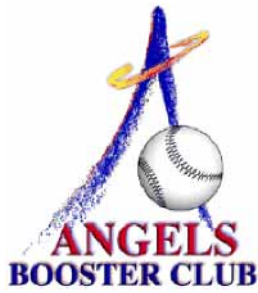
Greetings from the 1st VP Department. I want to deviate from a Baseball theme this month to something a little more personal.

**May is MADD and Breast Cancer month. PLEASE keep this in mind all month.**

First I want you to know that a 71 year old woman was killed while driving home from a night of working at Angels stadium a couple of weeks ago.

A drunk driver ran a stop light and ended her life. He was already facing another DUI arrest.

A close friend of mine, a beautiful young girl at age 18, had a drunk driving accident 20 years ago, caused by her drunk boyfriend. She was left with a long scar across her face and a paraplegic.



## Angels Booster Club Membership Application

\$20. Membership • \$15. Each additional Adult • \$5. Each child under 17

Membership Pricing is based on Membership at the Same Mailing Address.

Individuals under the age of 18 must be included as members of the household and must be supervised by a parent or consenting adult to participate in any / all Angels Booster Club activities.

\$15 Out of State/Country Membership per Household • Please mail this application, along with a stamped, self-addressed envelope. We will rush your membership card to you.

**Please PRINT**      **Names**      (**\* indicates Required Info**)      **BirthDay**      **Wedding Date**

\* Name 1 \_\_\_\_\_ month&day \_\_\_\_\_ month&day \_\_\_\_\_

\* Name 2 \_\_\_\_\_ month&day \_\_\_\_\_ month&day \_\_\_\_\_

\* Name 3 \_\_\_\_\_ month&day \_\_\_\_\_ month&day \_\_\_\_\_

\* Name 4 \_\_\_\_\_ month&day \_\_\_\_\_ month&day \_\_\_\_\_

If additional names, please list on reverse

\* Address \_\_\_\_\_ \* Phone \_\_\_\_\_

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Email Address \_\_\_\_\_ Season Ticket Holder ? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_  
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\*Recruited By \_\_\_\_\_ Recruited at (Ballpark, Fair, etc) \_\_\_\_\_

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I, as a member of the Angels Booster Club, Inc., (hereafter referred to as ABC) agree as follows: ABC, is a nonprofit corporation organized for the mutual enjoyment of its members in supporting the Angels Baseball Club.

1. ABC's activities include group transportation to/from baseball games, meetings, picnics, and other events. At these events ABC may serve food and engage in group activities of various type.
2. I understand that the activities of ABC, would not be possible if the organization were to accept responsibility for injury to its members or losses its members might incur while participating in group activities, eating, travel or otherwise.
3. Therefore, I agree to waive any claims that I now have, or ever may have, arising from my participation in ABC, and to release and hold harmless ABC, together with its officers and directors, from any liability whatsoever for any injury or damage that I may sustain as a result of participating in events sponsored by ABC.
4. This agreement shall bind and apply to the benefit of my heirs, representatives, or estate and to the successors of ABC.
5. The Angels Booster Club, Inc. (ABC) reserves the right to refuse membership at it's discretion.

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