CVUSD high school golf and tennis programs benefit from trust donation

The Jack Kramer Family Trust donated \$2,000 each to Ayala, Chino, Chino Hills, and Don Lugo high schools for their golf and tennis programs at a reception May 3, at Jack Kramer's Los Serranos Country Club in Chino Hills.

Tammy Johnson, a representative of the California Community Foundation -- an arm of the family trust – was on hand for the presentation of checks to representatives from Chino Valley Unified School District's four comprehensive high schools.

Emceeing the event and representing the family of the late Jack Kramer at the ceremony were three of his sons, David Kramer, John Kramer Jr., and Ron Kramer; and a granddaughter, Joanna Kramer. All are involved in the operation of Jack Kramer's Los Serranos Country Club. The Jack Kramer Family Trust also donated funds to the golf and tennis programs in the 2013/2014 and 2014/2015 school years.

"This gives students the opportunity to play, to see the scenery. It's huge for the kids," Chino High Principal Felix Melendez said of the donation that will assist the golf and tennis programs with fees and equipment.

"People forget that, regardless of where you are located, you have students who have, and students who do not. This helps us for kids who can't afford to participate," Chino Hills High Principal Isabel Brenes said.

David Kramer commended the educators attending the ceremony. "This school district has people who know how to go one on one with kids," he said. "When you get lucky enough to have your kids go to a school where it seems people really care, where kids will learn and do what they love for the rest of their lives; that is a priceless education."

Checks were also presented to Caring for the Hills, Priceless Pets, the Chino Hills Historical Society, and the Chino Hills Community Foundation.

More than 20 people attended the check presentation ceremony.

Pictured:



Among those attending the golf and tennis program check presentation at Jack Kramer's Los Serranos Country Club in Chino Hills are (front row, from left) Judy Rogers of Caring for the Hills; Joanna Kramer, assistant general manager of the country club; Ayala High Principal Diana Yarboi; Tammy Johnson, donor relations officer of California Community Foundation; and longtime country club staff member Kevin Sullivan; (back row, from left) Ron Kramer, general manager of the country club; Lisa Price of Priceless Pets animal rescue; David Kramer, senior vice president of the country club; Chino Hills High Athletic Director Phil Garcia; Don Lugo High Principal Kimberly Cabrera; Don Lugo High Assistant Principal John Ashby; Chino High Principal Felix Melendez; Ayala High Athletic Director Warren Reed; Don Lugo High Athletic Director Joe Marcos; Ayala High Head Girls' Tennis Coach Paulette Ojinaga; Ayala High Head Junior Varsity Boys' Tennis Coach Demitri Doan; John Kramer Jr., president of the country club; and Chino Hills City Councilman Peter Rogers. Not pictured, but attending the ceremony: Chino Valley Unified School District Superintendent Wayne M. Joseph.



Chino Hills High Athletic Director Phil Garcia (Left) and Chino Hills High Principal Isabel Brenes accept a check for their school's golf and tennis programs from The Jack Kramer Family Trust. Presenting the checks on behalf of their family are John Kramer Jr. and Ron Kramer.



Demitri Doan (left), head coach of Ayala High's junior varsity boys' tennis, accepts a check for Ayala's golf and tennis programs from John Kramer Jr. and Ron Kramer.



Chino High Principal Felix Melendez accepts the check for his school's golf and tennis programs from John Kramer Jr. and Ron Kramer.



Don Lugo High Principal Kimberly Cabrera accepts the check for her school's golf and tennis programs from the Kramer brothers.