

KEEPING KIDS SAFE VOLUNTEER PROGRAM NEWSLETTER



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Celebrating KKS Volunteers

On December 12, 2007, the 3rd annual Keeping Kids Safe Volunteer Program celebration luncheon was held to honor the volunteers in the program, and also to thank the Court support staff, and the program coordinators at FACES and at La Familia.



Pictured from left to right ,back row: Elisia Mata, Isabel Barrera, Alvita Hayes, Janice Hall, Denise Rowles, Carol Stewart, Retha Roberts, Cassie Augustyn, and Ruth Avalos. Front row: Lorena Villalon, Zamara John, Jenny McArdle, Antonia Fraga, Carolina Estrada.



Calendar of Events



Timesheets Due

January 1

Court Closures

January 1 New Year's Day (Tue)

January 21 Martin Luther King Jr. Day (Mon)



A Note From the Volunteer Coordinator

I wish each and every KKS volunteer a happy, healthy, and safe holiday season and prosperous New Year. Thank you for making this volunteer program succeed!

By Carol Stewart



Don't ask yourself what the world needs; ask yourself what makes you come alive. And then go and do that.

Because what the world needs is people who have come alive.

Howard Thurman



2007 INTAKES

Kudos go out to the KKS Intake Coordinators who have assisted 156 parents with client intakes at Family Court during this past year so far. This has been a cost savings of \$6,240 to parents during 2007. The surveys completed by parents this year indicate that our volunteers are conducting the interviews in a professional manner and that parents prefer having the interview conducted at the courthouse, at no cost to them. In the words of one of the parents who placed a note in the comments section of the survey, "Keep up the good work!"