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****MEDIA ALERT****
ATTN: CALENDAR EDITORS / PLANNING DESK

California Highway Patrol Santa Makes a Special Motorcycle
Stop for Children at Orthopaedic Hospital's Outpatient Medical Center

- WHAT:** A California Highway Patrol Santa makes a special stop on his motorcycle to hand out toys to children at Orthopaedic Hospital's Outpatient Medical Center
- WHEN:** **Monday, December 10, 2007**
Santa on motorcycle arrives at 10:00 a.m.
Festivities last an hour
- WHERE:** Orthopaedic Hospital's Outpatient Medical Center
2400 South Flower Street
Los Angeles, CA 90007
- WHY:** The California Highway Patrol has an annual tradition of visiting the children at Orthopaedic Hospital's Outpatient Medical Center every Christmas season to deliver gifts and fulfill every child's dream of meeting Santa
- VISUALS:** Smiling children, Santa on a motorcycle, and holiday gifts
- WHY:** Los Angeles Orthopaedic Hospital (LAOH) been serving the children of the Downtown community for nearly a century regardless of the family's ability to pay. LAOH is a recognized world leader in patient care, teaching and research in orthopaedic medicine, resulting in an improved quality of life for children and adults with crippling disorders www.orthohospital.org.

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****MEDIA ALERT****

**GOLFERS UNITE FOR CHILDREN
AND TO HONOR LEGENDARY LPGA CHAMPION ANNIKA SORENSTAM**

WHAT: More than 125 golfers will be swinging their drivers and putters to raise money for the Digital Radiology Project for the Urgent Care Center at the Orthopaedic Hospital Medical Center. The Urgent Care Center serves as the primary entry point for more than 15,000 children with musculoskeletal conditions that are treated each year. The 18th Annual Paul and Berniece Harbers Runyan Memorial Golf Classic will honor LPGA champion Annika Sorenstam.

WHEN & Monday, May 14, 2007

WHERE: Oakmont Country Club
3100 Country Club Dr.
Glendale, CA 91208

SCHEDULE: 11:15 a.m. Long drive exhibition
12:00 p.m. Tee Off-Shotgun Start
5:00 p.m. Reception and silent auction
6:00 p.m. Buffet, live auction and award presentation

CAMERAS WELCOME ALL DAY

WHY: Today, the Urgent Care Center is hampered in its efforts to serve families efficiently due to outdated radiology equipment. Funds from Orthopaedic Hospital's Golf Classic will help in the purchase of a state-of-the-art digital radiology system. With this technology, images will be available seven seconds after exposure and accessible throughout the Outpatient Medical Center in under a minute. This system will allow us to transfer images quickly through the Internet, making them available for consulting physicians, or surgeons working at other locations to view in just a few seconds.

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****MEDIA ALERT****

Free Dental Screening for Kids

WHAT: The Orange County Dental Society, Healthy Smiles for Kids of Orange County, Seals on Wheels, Orange County Health Care Agency, & Western Dental have joined together to organize a "Give Kids a Smile Day" to provide those with limited access to dental care with free dental screenings, and education on oral hygiene. The day is part of the American Dental Associations' promotion of National Children's Dental Health Month, which runs throughout February.

**WHEN &
WHERE:** Friday, February 2nd, 2007

8:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.
Robert P. Heideman Elementary School
15571 Williams Street
Tustin, CA 92780
(714) 730-7521

3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.
Healthy Smiles for Kids of Orange County
10602 Chapman Ave., Suite 200
Garden Grove, CA 92840
(714) 532 7930

DETAILS: Dr. Thomas Emeterio and Dr. Kazu Takaki of Western Dental Services will be on hand to provide free dental check-ups and advise the children on how to take better care of their teeth and gums. The dental check-ups will be given to over 100 students in Kindergarten, and grades 2 through 6.

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