

Gingerbread Valley

By participating in the third annual Gingerbread Valley Contest, you are helping to support the services and programs provided by Valley Blood Services, Southwest County's community blood center. Valley Blood Services, a division of the San Diego Blood Bank, is the primary supplier of blood to Rancho Springs and Inland Valley Medical Centers. Blood collected in Southwest County also helps supply Rady Children's Hospital in San Diego where many local patients are treated.

Valley Blood Services donor center, located in the Murrieta Spectrum Center, 25115 Madison Ave., Ste. 105, Murrieta, is open for blood donations Tuesday through Thursday from 10am to 6pm and Friday and Saturday from 8am to 4pm.

You Can Make a Difference in the Lives of Local Patients Like Colt.



Colt McCoy was born prematurely at 24 weeks. He received a dozen transfusions during his four-month stay in the Neonatal Intensive Care Unit at Rady Children's Hospital. Thanks to the many donors who made sure blood was available for Colt, he is no longer anemic and getting stronger every day.

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Over \$3,000 awarded in prizes!

**The Promenade in Temecula
Sunday, December 14, 2008
No Entry Fee!**

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Co-chairs:
Joan Sparkman,
Maryann Edwards
& Jenise Luttgens



Participants are encouraged to create an intriguing and original masterwork, or construct a famous building, ship, bridge, lighthouse, synagogue or church -- out of any edible medium. There is no entry fee, and anyone can compete in three categories. Entries will be judged on Saturday and Sunday, December 13 and 14, at The Promenade in Temecula. A champagne reception will follow at 5pm on December 14th at Pure Med Spa. Winners will share in more than \$3,000 worth of prizes, including the grand prize, a \$1,500 gift certificate to The Promenade in Temecula.



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www.promenadeintemecula.com

GUIDELINES/RULES:

- Structures need not be made of gingerbread, but of any edible medium and can be internally supported by a frame.
- Entry forms must be received either via fax, email or mail by Friday, December 1, 2008. (Only a limited number of entries will be accepted up to the entry deadline date.)
- Entries should be no smaller than 9" x 9" and **no larger than 3' x 3'** (including base).
- We suggest using 1/2-3/4" plywood as a base.
- Be creative! Non-traditional designs are welcome.

CATEGORY & PRIZES:

- No entry fee required!
- Judging is based on craftsmanship, originality/creativity, degree of difficulty and overall appearance.

Grand Prize and First Place Prizes are awarded in gift certificates for The Promenade in Temecula:

Grand Prize (Awarded to best overall entry)	\$1,500
Professional	\$500
Non-Professional Group/Individual	\$500
Students: 12 & under / 13 to 21	\$100/ \$250

One prize per entry will be awarded at the highest dollar amount. Additional prizes for 2nd place winners in each category will be awarded.

JUDGING, RIGHTS

- Entries are to remain on display between Dec. 6 and Dec.20.
 - Judging will begin on Saturday, Dec. 13, at noon and conclude on Sunday, Dec. 14, at 12pm.
- All rulings by the judges are independent and final and in no way influenced by anyone associated with The Promenade in Temecula or Valley Blood Services.
- Valley Blood Services reserves the right to refuse any entries that are deemed inappropriate for display.

DELIVERY:

- Entries must be brought assembled to Pure Med Spa at The Promenade in Temecula on Saturday, December 6, between 9am and noon.
- NEW THIS YEAR-participants may keep their structures. Structures must remain on display until December 20th. Please pick-up between 9 am and 12 pm on the 20th or they will be disposed of.

Year-Round Sponsors:



No Entry Fee! GINGERBREAD VALLEY COMPETITION ENTRY FORM

Name: _____

Address: _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone 1 _____ Phone 2 _____

E-mail: _____

Entry Name: _____

Category (please check):

- Professional Adult
- Non-professional Group / Individual
- Students 12 and under
- Students 13 to 21

Mail or Fax entry to:

25115 Madison Ave., Ste. 105, Murrieta, CA 92562

Fax: 619-293-4835

email: khammond@sandiegobloodbank.org

Questions? Call 951-696-1919 or

visit www.valleybloodservices.org

Rules are enclosed and Official Entry Forms are available at:



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