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## California Baron's Ball 2008 Reports Earnings!

Western-style glamour branded the 2008 California Baron's Ball, where guests dressed in their finest western attire celebrated the 13<sup>th</sup> Annual California Baron's Ball, *Romance of the West*. Held at the Computer History Museum in Mountain View, we attracted more than 450 attendees and netted over \$356,000 for the American Cancer Society, Silicon Coastal Region.

Our community came together with 2008 Honoree, Gay Crawford, to celebrate our spirit and passion for raising funds in the fight against cancer. Upon entering the Museum, guests received a hearty welcome and greeting from Mayor Maynot and the Can-Can Girls, which was just the beginning.

Host of NBC 11's Bay Area Vista, Janice Edwards, was the master of ceremonies and Auctioneer Rob Slawinski led the silent and live auctions. We cannot forget the amazing cuisine served by Catered Too. Everyone is still talking about those "cactus" treats.

We heard the story of Steve Meier's cancer battle, which reminded us how critical our donations are to the patients in our community.

It was an honor to serve as your 2008 California Baron's Ball Event Chairs and truly wish to thank our fellow Grand View League members, sponsors, donors, and volunteers who made *Romance of the West* such a successful and fun event.

*Gigi Cox*      *April Tavares*  
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