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Honorary Sock Hop Committee members Terry Bartlett and Randy Fox

health organization in care, support and research [of Alzheimer's]." Call 892-4259 for information.

When we left the party, the dance floor was still full of couples jitterbugging and rockin' and rollin', all for two good causes.

## CALM Design Showcase 2009

The CALM Design Showcase 2009 is Casa Robles on the Riviera—twice in jeopardy this last year, first from the Tea Fire and then the Jesusita Fire. In spite of this, the Sunset Soirée gala opening took place on schedule and May gray went away.

About 260 guests were free to roam the home with a docent in every room



2009 CALM Design Showcase House co-chairs Susan Day Hosea and Meredith Scott with Executive Director Cecilia Rodriguez (center)

to answer questions. There was live music playing in this hilltop garden with bars set up outdoors for martinis and wine, and there was fine dining on hors d'oeuvres that waiters passed all evening. The views were spectacular. Live auction items included dinner for 25 at the Harbor Restaurant, a stay in the Loire Valley, and a trip to Paris.

CALM Executive Director Cecilia Rodriguez thanked the many volunteers along with Board President Meredith Scott and co-chair Susan Day Hosea who, with a committee of about 30, worked on the yearlong project.

The architect of the house, back in the '40s, was Chester Carjola; in 1939,

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The committee for the CALM house included Louise Liscombe, Suzanne Fairly-Green, Auxiliary President Shirley Waxman, Designer Christy Martin, Anne Yungling, Laura Barella, and Barbara Flanigan

he helped turn the old post office into the Museum of Art. Thanks were also given to the dedicated design team, vendors, sponsors and homeowners who brought this 4,500-square-foot hacienda into the 21st century. The major sponsor of the Design House was the magazine *805 Living*. Harrison Design Associates architects worked on the Spanish Colonial design remodel. Lindsey Adams Construction did the building as they have done twice before for CALM. Christy Martin from Studio Encanto was the main interior designer with The Kitchen Company designing the kitchen. There was help from many local designers and their companies such as Cabana Home, Annette Flower, Deborah Campbell, Patricia A. Just, California Closets and Greg Mroz who's an expert in "Garage Envy." Landscape architect was Katie O'Reilly Rogers and landscape contractor was R.G. Foil. The list goes on.

You can help CALM prevent and treat child abuse by visiting Casa Robles from 11 am to 4 pm Wednesdays through Sundays through June 28. For more information call 965-2376, ext. 149.

## Spring Luncheon

When "April Showers bring May Flowers," it's time once again for the CALM (Child Abuse Listening & Mediation) Auxiliary Luncheon to honor Associates and Sustainers. This year we got to revisit the 2006 CALM Design House belonging to Marilyn Jorgensen and Errol Jahnke.

Lunch was set in their lush garden, the tables gaily decorated with sunflowers in black and white polka dot bags. The buffet was comprised of homemade salads of every ilk made from the kitchens of the members. Some of the ingredients came from their own gardens. Jeri Beck and Marianne Kugler were responsible for the lovely time we had.



Co-chairs of the CALM Auxiliary Luncheon Marianne Kugler and Jeri Beck



Auxiliary Luncheon hostess and owner of the 2006 CALM House Marilyn Jorgensen and Auxiliary President Shirley Waxman

Auxiliary President Shirley Waxman presented a check to CALM for \$65,000, which were funds raised at the annual Authors Luncheon and from antique shows. CALM is also collaborating with Storyteller Children's Center, a preschool for homeless and at-risk kids. CALM is sharing techniques they have learned through the years with the teachers. Longtime supporter Trudi Carey gave a check to CALM for \$1,000 from Rabobank.

Board President Meredith Scott reminded the audience, "It has been forty years since one woman, Claire Miles, put a hot line in her home and an ad in the paper beginning an internationally recognized agency that helps abused children and their troubled parents."

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