

PHENOMENAL ANGELS OF THE COMMUNITY™

The Holiday Season is the perfect time to reflect on our blessings and seek out ways to make life better for those around us!

OCTOBER

PAC Benefit Concert



*Local artists shared their talents for the benefit of Phenomenal Angels on October 1st. The concert was hosted by comedian, **Mellroz**. Headlining artist was gospel rapper, **Rarebreed**. The impressive line up included:*

- *Neo Soul Singer, Ventage*
- *Comedian, Kamira White*
- *Singer, Meme*
- *Rapper, Lejerion*
- *Rapper, Quiz*
- *Rapper, Bliss*
- *Rapper, Bobby Soprano*

Guest comments included, "When is the next concert?", "I laughed till my stomach hurt!" and "LA has such wonderful underground talent."

*Thank you to everyone who worked hard to ensure that this event was successful including sponsors from **Laced Shoes, Scale Above Entertainment and The Taco Lady**. Additionally, we would like to send a hearty **"THANK YOU"** to **Jalysa Scales** and all the **Phenomenal Artists**. You're the best!*

Stay tuned for information on the 2017 Benefit Concert. If you are interested in sponsoring or performing please send an email to info@pacangels.org.

Purple Purse Tea Party

The Positive Results Corporation (PRC) hosted the Purple Purse Tea Party. The



mistress of Ceremony, Kameron Green of KJLH, kept the flow of the afternoon upbeat and positive. The event was held at the beautiful Dorothy Chandler Pavilion.

The purpose of the Tea Party was to celebrate survivors and educate Woman and Girls of

all ages on domestic violence. Additionally, there was a delicious Tea Party menu and wonderful entertainment.

The three panel discussion included:

- Violence As It Impacts Women And Our Families
- Hope, Health and Healing
- Financial Empowerment

Thank you Kandee Lewis!

PAC Homeless Hygiene Campaign

Cassandra C., a freshman at Palisades High School, led the **Homeless Hygiene Campaign**. This phenomenal young lady was able to secure donations for **75** bags.

"I wanted to distribute at least 100 bags, so next campaign, I have to work a little harder!"

The homeless issue in Southern California is growing at epic proportions, in fact homelessness grew 5.7%. The number of homeless women across most of the county, which are counted separately, has jumped 55% since 2013, to 14,461 from 9,348. In that same area, the most visible form of homelessness - tents, shantytowns and vehicles with people living in them - climbed 20%, on top of an 85% jump in 2015. (LA Times 12/28/16)



Thank you Cassandra, job well done!

Thanks to everyone that supplied products and for supporting the PAC!



NOVEMBER

4th Annual PAC Awards Celebration

"Celebrating Our Angels, Honoring Our Facilitators and Recognizing Our Volunteers"

Over 100 attendees came together to celebrate the 2016 PAC Angels in the historic COS Community Center Auditorium. Honorees shared this inspiring event with their families, friends and the community.

Presenting 2016 PAC Angels



Congratulation to our Honorees:

Kadyn P., Jayla B., Jadien G., Morgan D., Xyhaer B., India E., Taylor D.,
 Emaini G., CeMone J., Kaiylah W., Talena V., Cariyana N., Miracle J., Promise N.,
 Cassandra C., Naila S., Anandi S., Amani G., Saleereanne L., Kendra F., Mariah J.,
 Raniyah G., and Treniya H.



Senator Holly Mitchell, Keynote Speaker

Talena V. delivered an outstanding introduction for our Phenomenal Keynote speaker.

Senator Mitchell has served in the California Legislature since 2011 and in 2014 was elected to the 30th Senate District. However, despite an intense work schedule and demanding family life, Senator Holly Mitchell came out to show her support. This Phenomenal woman encouraged the Angels to strive for success. The words of wisdom coming from a woman we admire and strive

to emulate fell on the ears of everyone in the auditorium.

Thank you so much for your support Senator Mitchell!

**2016 Angel Award Recipient,
 Nicole Ari Parker Kodjoe**

This prestigious award is presented to the individual that has demonstrated an extraordinary commitment and support.

This individual has shared our vision, mission and goals.

Mrs. Kodjoe, a 7-time NAACP Image Award nominee, offered words of encouragement that were spot on and



funny. She reminded the Angels that they had "access" to PAC Staff who can assist in addressing their concerns and issues.

Mrs. Kodjoe has been working with PAC all year and supports our mission to see young ladies thrive. She and husband Boris are also the founders of Sophie's Voice Foundation to raise awareness for global health.

Thank you Nicole Ari Parker Kodjoe!



***2016 Pink Diamond Award Recipient,
Tameca Williams***

This coveted award is presented to the PAC Team Member or Volunteer who has shown extraordinary commitment and support. This Team Member goes

the distance, exceed expectations, is eager to jump in where needed and is most importantly a team player.

From the moment Ms. Williams joined PAC in 2015, she quickly became a member of the Executive Staff. Since that time, she has volunteered her services and dedicated an amazing amount of time and effort in helping PAC thrive. Ms. Williams is quick to assist wherever necessary without question or complaint. She takes her commitment seriously and we are very appreciative of her support.

Thank you Tameca Williams!

***2016 PAC Man Awardees:
Keith Scott, Sr. and Edward Scott***

This award is presented to men in recognition of their outstanding voluntary contribution to PAC.

These men have not only given the gift of time, which is priceless, but also the gift of financial support.

Mr. Keith Scott *is responsible for managing PAC's financial health and strategy. In 2015, Mr. Scott joined PAC as the first PAC Man to join the executive staff as CFO, bringing his expertise in finance and partnership development.*

Mr. Edward Scott, *whom we call "Poncho" has been instrumental. Since the moment he learned of PAC he has ensured that our Angels are protected. From driving disabled participants, manning the door at our Benefit Concert, and he even*



participating in the Paint & Sip Fundraiser. He is truly appreciated.

Gentlemen, Thank you so much!



2016 Pillar of Character Essay Contest

Anne Frank stated, Human greatness does not lie in wealth and power, but in character and goodness. People are just people and all people have faults and short comings, but all of us are born with a basic good."

*Character study emphasis six principle characters, however, PAC studies nine to include our **Core Values**.*

Trustworthiness, Respect, Responsibility, Fairness, Caring, Citizenship, Integrity, Honesty and Personal Responsibility. Pillar of Character workshops provides tools to better impact choices and decisions. Learning, understanding and practicing these principles helps to make ethical choices that can withstand scrutiny.

*Once again, **Captain Peter Whittingham** of the Los Angeles Police Department has offered a generous donation for the winners of the essay contest demonstrating how the Pillars of Character has affected their lives.*

The winners are:

*Baby Angel, **Saleeranne L.**, \$200*

*Tween Angel, **Miracle J.**, \$300*

*Teen Angel, **CeMone J.** \$500*

Thank you Captain Whittingham!

PAC volunteers (Phenoms and PAC Men) give of their time, their money, their resources and they provide support, encouragement and a desire to see PAC run smoothly and phenomenally. Our volunteers want to see young ladies empowered, because they care, yet they ask for nothing in return.

Thank you for your endless support, commitment and dedication to making a difference.

Our executive staff:

CEO, Sharon Roby

COO, Barbara Jett

CFO, Keith Scott

Director, Phatara Chavis

Executive Assistant, Tameca

Williams

Our wonderful volunteers

*April Roby
Christine Williamson
Precious Tobias
Tanya Newton
Vanessa Harper
Kandyse Johnson
LaVina Larrimore
JaDonne Howard*



Our College Angels

*Jazzymynne
Destiny Powell*

*Thank you for showing up, but most importantly, thank you for living our motto,
"Stand Up and Stand Out".*



Kaiylah W. said, "You may ask, how has Phenomenal Angels changed my life? Without PAC, our donors and sponsors - I would never have ridden a horse in the Malibu Mountains. And I would've missed out on becoming a part of a sister-hood that I hope will last my lifetime." "I would thank you from the bottom of my heart, but for you my heart has no bottom."

Our Donors and Sponsors:

- *Best Start/First Five*
- *COS Community Center*
- *Detours Mentoring Group*
- *DJ, Nikko*
- *Dr. Frances Copeland*
- *First United Methodist Church*
- *Hair by Phatara*
- *Hot Box, Kevin Sylvester*
- *International Churches of Word Center & Affiliates*

- *Jalyssa Scales, Artist Management*
- *Jasmine Stovall, Celebrity Make-up Artist*
- *Jessica Bowman, Hair Stylist*
- *Julie Smith, Hair Stylist*
- *Lisa Lisa Photography*
- *Melvin "Mellroz" Wilson, Comedian and Host*
- *Nail Game Dipped, Christa Cole*
- *Pamper Me Pink*
- *Shop Shai*
- *Sterling Transportation*
- *Urania Ralph, Deaf Interpreter*
- *We First Branding, Jill Lindeman*
- *Wells Fargo Company*
- *Woody's Handyman Service*

Thank you so much for your generosity and supporting!

*We would like to thank, **Pastor T. Marvene Wright** of International Churches of Word Center and Affiliates (ICWCA) for opening the celebration in prayer.*

Thank you ICWCA!



*We also thank **Rev. Charles Jett** for closing the ceremony in prayer and for providing traveling grace to our guests.*

Thank you so much Rev. Jett!

DECEMBER

Gifts 4 Girls



The objective of Gifts for Girls™ are to help less fortunate young ladies experience the joy and love of the holidays; to play an active role in the development of one of our nation's most valuable resources - our girls; and to unite the community in a common cause for 3 consecutive months - the collection and distribution campaign.

Thank you to Los Angeles Fire Department, Los Angeles Southwest College, International Churches of Word Center & Affiliates, District Attorney Jackie Lacey, Sandra Clark, Happy House and the Phenomenal Angels Staff.

Thank you for your support!

Please consider making a year end donation to help ensure the success of PAC programs: Life Skills, Teen Leadership Academy and much more. Help us to continue to provide the tools for youth to make critical decisions by being informed and educated.

"The measure of any society is how they treat their women and girls." Michelle Obama

This program provides girls an arena that is safe, structured and encourages self-awareness and positive self-esteem.

Thank you in advance for your contribution!

Donate Now

JANUARY 2017



FREE!!!

Invest In Your Future

- Free Workshops (Skills and Strategies to Empower You to Avoid Pitfalls & Excel in Life)
- Spotlight on Guest Speakers & Professional
- Activities, Field Trips & Community Events
- Teen Leadership Academy
- Certificate Upon Completion

AND MUCH MORE!

Leadership • Decision Making • Problem Solving • Networking • Goal Setting • Peer Support • Social Skills • Self Awareness • Self Care • Community Involvement

Not Just a Program, A Sisterhood 4 Life

Phenomenal Angels is on a mission to provide youth a cultural, educational and informational path to individual greatness.™

**Young Ladies
Age 10-17**

Orientation Required

January 6, 2017 – 7:00 p.m.

COS Community Center, 8039 S Vermont Ave., Los Angeles CA