

Gala gets a makeunder



Susan Laslavic, a member of the host committee, stands with Jeff and Denise Bowman. Jeff Bowman is the former fire chief of San Diego.



Ashley Conntann and Steve Redfearn of Redfearn and Associates are also on the host committee.

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Supporter George Beitey poses with Jack and Joanne Jaeger of the host committee.

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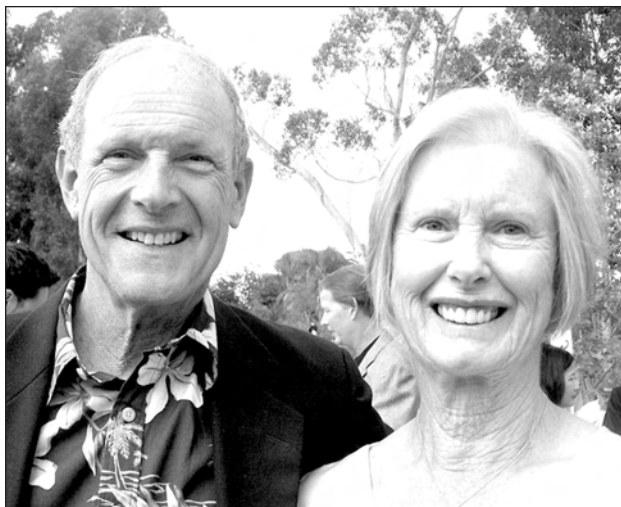
It was a perfect evening for the event held at the Rancho Santa Fe home of Steve and Paula Black. In a departure from the formal affair in the ballroom of a hotel, organizers insisted that partygoers be comfortable, so the dress was resort casual.

The evening concluded with a silent auction and an appearance by Grammy Award winner Shawn Colvin.

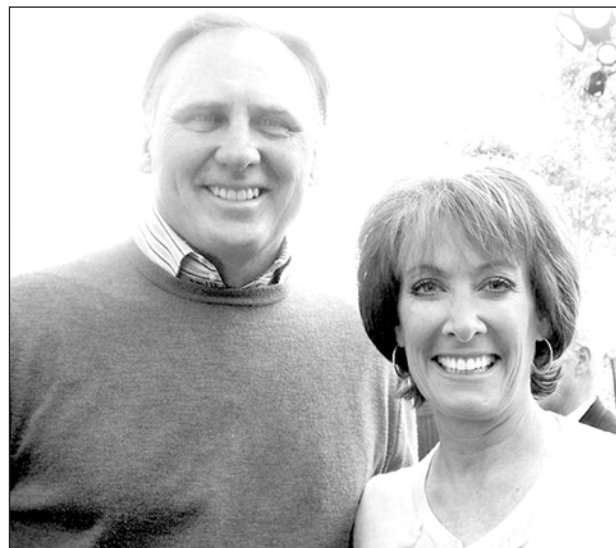
NBC's Susan Taylor and Ed Campbell were event co-chairs. Steve and Lori Temko were honorary chair persons.



Sue Turnbull, and Jackie Linson sit with Darlene Shiley, the 2010 recipient of the Reagan/Thal Legacy Award for her tireless work and contribution to the Alzheimer's Association. *Photos by Patty McCormac*



Paul and Jill Goldstein were first-time guests of the event.



Host Committee Jim Laslavic and NBC's Susan Taylor, who co-hosted the event.



Maggie Watkins, vice chair of the association, poses with volunteer Lyn Granger.



Board member Bob Schlax poses with Gail Levin, a member of the host committee.