The fundraising power of walking and the beauty of music

By Magda Liszewska

Alzheimer’s Orange County raises nearly $500,000 with walk

More than 5,000 walkers joined Orange County’s largest movement for Alzheimer’s, the recent Walk4ALZ at Angel Stadium in Anaheim. The event raised nearly $500,000 to fight Alzheimer’s disease.

“We are proud of the women, men and children who stepped forward to fight Alzheimer’s,” Alzheimer’s Orange County CEO and President Jim McAleer said.

“As a local organization, 100 percent of the funds raised from Walk4ALZ stay right here in Orange County to help the thousands of local residents who are currently affected by Alzheimer’s disease and dementia.”

McAleer said the need for support is vital as there are more than 84,000 Orange County residents living with the disease or another form of dementia, and that number is projected to more than triple to face off in the championships.

Sunny Hills marching band places second at championships

Members of the Sunny Hills High School Lancer Regiment marching band captured silver medals at the Rosemont Marching Band Tournament in February, coming in second to gold medalist William S. Hart High School of Santa Clarita. Santa Monica High School earned bronze.
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