



Southern Caregiver Resource Center *presents the 19th annual*



Bastille Day Celebration

Saturday, July 10, 2010, 4 to 8 PM
Fairbanks Ranch Clubhouse,
San Dieguito Rd., Rancho Santa Fe 92067

What is Bastille Day?

Storming of the Bastille in Paris France on July 14, 1789 is an icon of the French Republic. It was on this day that crowds of farmers and peasants rose against the tyranny of King Louis XVI and overtook the medieval fortress that “sparked” the rebellion of the French Revolution. Bastille Day (otherwise known as *Fête de la Fédération*) is a Public Holiday and celebrated throughout France.

For **Southern Caregiver Resource Center (SCRC)**, Bastille Day is also a day of celebration, but not for triumph over tyranny. Instead, Bastille Day is a day to celebrate the devotion and selflessness family caregivers give of themselves. These extraordinary human beings inspire us by taking on insurmountable responsibilities to ensure that their loved ones are safe and well cared for. Family caregivers are the “spark” for thousands of adults in need of help and our **Bastille Day Celebration** is our way of saying “thank you”.

On **July 10, 2010**, **Southern Caregiver Resource Center** will host its **19TH Annual Bastille Day Celebration** at the beautiful **Fairbanks Ranch Clubhouse in Rancho Santa Fe**. The celebration promises to be a fun filled evening of wine tasting, bidding on exotic international and regional fine wines, and eating delicious hors d’oeuvres catered by the exceptional Metro Catering, one of San Diego’s finest! There will be live musical entertainment and many of our County’s “whose who” will be in attendance. Of course, the greatest benefit of all is the good feeling of knowing that your contribution will go a long way in helping us continue to meet the direct service needs of our families caring for their loved ones.

Who are we?

Southern Caregiver Resource Center (SCRC), a non-profit organization, is the premier agency in San Diego and Imperial Counties that serves family caregivers. For the

past 23 years, SCRC has specialized in understanding and working with caregivers of frail, older adults or adults with chronic and disabling conditions or disease such as Alzheimer's disease, stroke, Parkinson's disease, and acquired brain injury. Staffed by Master's level and/or licensed professional consultants, SCRC helps families directly through:

- Family Consultation/Case Management
- Specialized Information (I&A)
- Support Groups
- Education and Training
- Short Term Counseling
- Respite Care
- Link2Care (web-based resources)
- Eldercare Alternatives

These specialized and essential services enable families to provide care for their loved ones at home for as long as possible. Most services offered are at no cost to the caregiver.

How will my Contribution Help?

The Annual Bastille Day Celebration is Southern Caregiver Resource Center’s primary fundraising event of the year. All funds raised at this event will help us to meet the growing demand for our services not covered by grants and contracts. Specifically, your support at Bastille Day will help us provide respite care to a portion of the 700 families waiting to receive this help. It is SCRC’s goal to offer life saving respite to all family caregivers to help them keep their loved one at home. SCRC is very proud to say that 94 cents of every dollar contributed goes directly to help family caregivers. So, you can be assured that any investment in our organization will be well managed.

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