

# Ben Lomond Gun Club Marine Family Fund – 2009

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The Ben Lomond Gun Club will sponsor the Marine Family Fund, a charitable effort to raise money to help Colorado families of the USMC MACS-23 (Marine Air Traffic Controllers) unit from Buckley (Aurora, Colorado) for their Family Christmas party. The Marines are local community members. The MACS-23 unit has been deployed to Iraq and Afghanistan. At any time, members are deployed overseas, away from home.

Jan Jordheim, BLGC Franktown member, has contacted the Key Volunteer for MACS-23 group. Jan Jordheim and the Key Volunteer for MACS-23 group have arranged that BLGC will raise funds throughout the year and the Key Volunteer for MACS-23 group will use the money raised for the Family Christmas party.

The money donated will be recorded, controlled and disbursed via the BLGC Treasurer

1. The first \$1000 goes to the Key Volunteer for MACS-23 group, who will use the money raised for the Family Christmas party.
2. The remaining money raised goes to support a Colorado service member in need through Homes for Soldiers or Wounded Warriors.

## BLGC responsibilities

- Raise Funds at each chapter meeting
  - o Coffee can on the table
- Contact the USMC representative/Key Volunteer for families needing help
  - o Jan Jordheim coordinating
- Contact the Homes for Soldiers or Wounded Warriors representative
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- Disburse funds based on the need identified for MACS-23 families
  - o Jan Jordheim, BLGC Treasurer
- Provide an accounting of the disbursements
  - o Jan Jordheim, BLGC Treasurer
- Re-evaluate the fund raising effort for 2010
  - o BLGC

## Key Volunteer for MACS-23 group responsibilities

- Arrange for use of the money raised

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## **2004 Actions taken:**

A group of local boys who played hockey together join the Marine Corps

The 'Marine Moms/Dads' group from Parker forms

- Contact made with the MACS-23 Marines group
- Sponsored many gifts for the children of a deployed MACS-23 Marine's family with four children (toys, winter clothes)

## **2005 Actions taken:**

Our Marines deploy

Jan Jordheim starts fund raising at the Franktown chapter meetings

BLGC Partnered with the 'Marine Moms/Dads' group from Parker

- Sponsored gifts for the children of deployed MACS-23 Marines
- BLGC sponsored the MACS-23 Family Christmas party
- \$900 donation

## **2006 Actions taken:**

BLGC Partnered with the 'Marine Moms/Dads' group from Parker

- Sponsored 35 gifts for the children of deployed MACS-23 Marines
- BLGC sponsored the MACS-23 Family Christmas party
- \$1000 donation

BLGC sponsored the Juan Perez family with winter cloths & supplies

- \$760 via Walmart (\$300 BLGC, \$200 Parker VFW & \$260 Parker Moms)

## **2007 Actions taken:**

BLGC Partnered with the 'Marine Moms/Dads' group from Parker

- Sponsored gifts for the children of deployed MACS-23 Marines
- BLGC sponsored the MACS-23 Family Christmas party
- \$1300 donation

## **2008 Actions taken:**

Our Marines return home safely!

- BLGC sponsored the MACS-23 Family Christmas party
- \$1000 donation

## **2009 Goals:**

Mention the donation at every chapter meeting.

Raise more money!!!!!!!!!!