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Arroyo Grande Community Hospital Foundation Enjoys Record Breaking Success at 10th Annual Comedy Night

Proceeds support the Legacy Campaign at Arroyo Grande Community Hospital

ARROYO GRANDE, CA – April 7, 2017 – The Arroyo Grande Community Hospital Foundation is pleased to announce that more than a quarter million dollars was raised during its 10th Annual Comedy Night fundraiser on Saturday, March 18th.

The amount is the most ever raised at its Comedy Night event and is due to the incredible generosity of the community. The funds raised will benefit the Legacy Campaign at Arroyo Grande Community Hospital, which includes the expansion of the Emergency Department, upgrading imaging technology and services, and enhancing the Acute Rehabilitation services.

The themed event, “Celebrating a Decade of Comedy Night,” included a classic car show, food and drinks from 25 local vendors, live and silent auctions and a comedy show by Steve Hytner, known as Kenny Bania from *Seinfeld*.

For more information about the Arroyo Grande Community Hospital Foundation visit <http://www.supportarroyogrande.org>

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About Arroyo Grande Community Hospital

Arroyo Grande Community Hospital, located in Arroyo Grande, California, is rated a top Joint Replacement Center by Blue Shield and is among the Top 10% in the nation for Joint Replacement. Arroyo has achieved prestigious designation as a Primary Stroke Center by the Joint Commission. The Emergency Department is one of the busiest in the county and nationally recognized for superior patient satisfaction. The hospital also provides the only comprehensive hospital-based Acute Rehabilitation Center on the Central Coast. Arroyo is a Dignity Health member of the Central Coast which also includes French Hospital Medical Center



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