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The Construction Industry Continues its 35 year old Tradition of Collecting Toys during the Holiday Season

The San Diego Chapter of the Associated General Contractors of America, (AGC) a national construction trade association, collected hundreds of toys for the children at Rady's Children's Hospital and Polinsky Children's Center to be delivered by Santa in time for Christmas.

Over 400 AGC members in attendance at their Annual Holiday Dinner Dance on Saturday, December 7, 2013 at Hotel Del Coronado helped kick off the Annual Toy Drive by bringing an unwrapped toy to the black tie affair. This tradition of collecting toys began 35 years ago, and it will continue through the coming years.

AGC's Build & Serve Committee, partnering with the Meeting & Events Committee, selects charitable projects throughout San Diego for AGC members to participate and "give back" to the community. The AGC Annual Toy Drive is one project that members eagerly participate where they can bring smiles to children who are being treated at Rady's Children's Hospital during Christmas, or to children who are temporarily residing at the Polinsky Children's Center; an emergency shelter of children who must be separated from their families for their own safety, or when parents cannot provide care.

The Associated General Contractors of America is the largest and oldest construction trade association, and the San Diego Chapter has been in existence since 1927.

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