



PRESERVING OUR FAMILY HISTORY AND PLANTING THE SEEDS FOR OUR NEXT GENERATION.

# California – Here We Come!

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## GETTING THERE IS HALF THE FUN!

If you haven't started to make your reservations now, you better get going! With fuel prices going up, the low fares will not be around for too long.

### AMERICAN AIRLINES Our Official Reunion Airline.

We have made discount fare arrangements with American Airlines for the family. Booking now and mentioning the discount code – **A3388AD** – will get you **5 % to 9% off** your lowest applicable fare from any airport in the country. **After June 2nd, the discount will only be 5%,** so it's best to book now.

Call **1-800-433-1790** to book your flight now. Valid travel dates are between 8/3/2008 and 8/10/2008.

## DISNEYLAND EXPRESS



After you arrive at Los Angeles International Airport (LAX) or Santa Ana Airport (SNA), board the **DISNEYLAND EXPRESS** to take you away to the Disneyland Resort area in the city of Anaheim.

The **DISNEYLAND EXPRESS** operates continuously throughout the day every hour or half hour during busy periods, 7 days a week.

Fare to/from the Anabella Hotel:  
LAX Roundtrip:Adults - \$30 Children \$22  
SNA Roundtrip:Adults - \$25 Children \$17

Book online <http://graylineanaheim.com> and save \$2.00 per person.

## ANABELLA HOTEL Discount Rate expires 6/3/08. Make your reservations now!

The Anabella Hotel is the official reunion hotel. Discount rates are available for the family. Just call **1-714-905-1050** and mention the discount code **BDSNM Family Reunion** to get the discount rate.

The discount rate is available from 8/3/2008 to 8/12/2008. The discount will only be available if you **make reservations before 6/3/2008.** After that date, rooms will only be available at the regular non-discounted rate. More information on Page 2.



## Anabella Hotel

The Anabella is right across the street from Disneyland and is in walking distance to shops and restaurants.

Anabella Hotel  
1030 W. Katella Avenue  
Anaheim, California 92802

Reservations: (714) 905-1050  
Website: [www.anabellahotel.com](http://www.anabellahotel.com)

Discount Code: BDSNM Family Reunion

Please identify yourself with BDSNM so that they can explain the types of rooms available for our reunion.

### PAYMENT

Mastercard, Visa, American Express, Discover. Check is accepted if mailed within 14 days of making the reservation.

### ROOM RATES

Our discount rate of \$119 per night for the standard room and \$139 per night for the deluxe room will be held until 6/03/2008. The discount is applicable from 8/03/2008 through 8/12/2008.

After 6/03/08, rooms will be available at the regular rate.

### PARKING FEE

There is a parking fee of \$10 per day if you are parking a vehicle. The vehicle must be registered at the desk. Unregistered vehicles will be

### PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES

Each building is in the Mission style comprising of 2 floors. Please ask for a room in the elevator building or on the bottom floor of any building if you cannot use stairs.

Get all the latest news and information by viewing our Family Website!

Go to [www.BDSNMFamilymyevent.com](http://www.BDSNMFamilymyevent.com)



See our new photo album on the Family Website!



(T-Shirt Design by Kimberly Dargan)

### **ANAHEIM RESORT TRANSIT Getting Around the Disneyland Resort Area is easy!**

The Anaheim Resort Transit has inexpensive shuttle transportation to places all around the Anaheim Resort area. You can take this shuttle to Disneyland, shopping, restaurants, more shopping, the Crystal Cathedral and Angel Stadium.

Passengers must have a valid pass to board. ART pass provides unlimited daily use of the system on all routes. Rates range from \$3 per day to \$12 for 5 days. Children 2 years and younger ride free.

ART vehicles are accessible to persons with disabilities.

Passes may be purchased at the Anabella Hotel.



### **Join us for Open Mike Night!**

Saturday May 31 at  
4pm PDT / 7pm EDT

See details on Page 4.

## Kimberly Dargan Wins T-Shirt Design Contest

Lisa Bidgood takes 1<sup>st</sup> &  
2<sup>nd</sup> Runner Up Prizes

Kimberly Dargan is our Grand Prize Winner of the BDSNM 2008 Family Reunion Contest with her design. Kimberly has won four 1-day Park Hopper tickets to Disneyland and Disney's California Adventure theme parks. Congratulations, Kimberly!

Lisa Bidgood is our 1<sup>st</sup> Place and 2<sup>nd</sup> Place winner with her two t-shirt designs. Lisa has won both prizes and she will receive 50 Disney Dollars for 1<sup>st</sup> Place design and 25 Disney Dollars for her 2<sup>nd</sup> Place design. Congratulations, Lisa! (Don't spend it all at one park!)

### **DISNEYLAND TICKET DISCOUNT**

Purchase 1, 2 or 3-day tickets that can be used on any day during your vacation. Use these tickets for unlimited entry and re-entry on the day that it is used. (Hand-stamp is required for re-entry.) Accepted at both Disneyland and Disney's California Adventure allowing you to "hop" between the parks on the same day at any time.

The following family discount tickets are available. You must pay in advance by sending a check for the amount of tickets needed to **BDSNM Family 2008, 6944 Pecan Avenue, Moorpark, CA 93021**. Or you may purchase them online by clicking on the **PAY ONLINE** page (Credit Card Fee of 8% plus 35 cents per transaction will apply). Tickets will be in your welcome bag when you arrive at the hotel.

### DISCOUNT DAY TICKETS

	Child (3-9)	Adult (10+)
1 day / 1 park	\$50	\$59
1 day / 2 parks	\$56	\$66





# Calling All Talent!!!

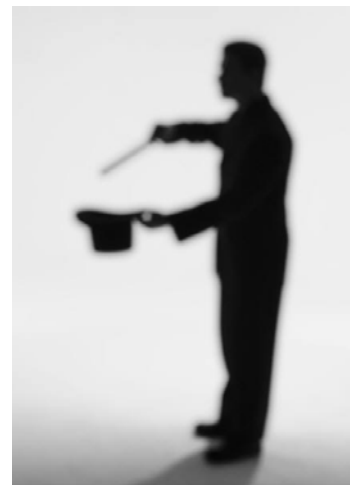


## Bring Your Talent to The BDSN FAMILY REUNION TALENT SHOW

Contact: **Ronald or Cynthia Alexander**  
**(661) 273-1921**



**SINGERS!!!**                      **DANCERS!!!**  
**POETS!!!**  
**RAPPERS!!!**                      **MAGICIANS!!!**  
**JUGGLERS!!!**



**Whatever your Talent – BRING IT!**



### Do you love to take pictures? Are you bringing your camera with you to the reunion?

We're looking for volunteers to help take photos during our many family events and activities. We are planning to put together all photos into a Memory Book and Memory CD so that everyone will have a

Keepsake of the 2008 BDSNM Family Reunion.

If you would like to share your own photos and/or participate in taking photos of the activities like the Family Picnic or Family Banquet, please contact

**Bobby Hill at (317) 919-9021 or (317) 283-3042.**

### Packing Tips



For those of you coming to visit California for the first time, here are a few items to pack for the trip.

- ✿ The dress in California is strictly Casual. Bring all your shorts, sneakers, sandals, tank tops, t-shirts, bathing suits, Hawaiian shirts and sunglasses and you will be fine for the whole week!
- ✿ The Family Banquet will be **Trendy Casual**. That's a whole new class of dressing strictly for California. Hawaiian or Southern Californian is the Theme. Wear your fancy Hawaiian shirts, polo shirts, Hawaiian dresses, sandals, dress shorts or casual pants. People with suits or gowns will not be admitted! 😊 (Just kidding!)
- ✿ Bring baseball caps, sun visors, Panama hats, and sun bonnets because the sun is strong out here. Sunscreen is advised especially for babies and small children.
- ✿ You don't have to pack water, but while in California, make sure you drink lots of water! And encourage the kids to drink lots of water too. It's very easy to get dehydrated during the day out in the sun!



The BDSNM Family Foundation is organizing its Board of Directors. Interested parties should email their bios to [BDSNMFamFound@gmail.com](mailto:BDSNMFamFound@gmail.com) or mail to 6944 Pecan Ave, Moorpark, CA 93021.



**Join us for Open Mike Night!**  
**Saturday, May 31 at 4pm PDT**  
**(See Page 4 for Details)**



## **BDSNM Family Reunion Raffle Tickets Now Selling! Request your 100 Raffle Tickets Today!**

The BDSNM Family Reunion Inc. has kicked off the family raffle that is expected to raise funds for 2008. We want to ensure that everyone has an opportunity to contribute to the success of the 2008 BDSNM National Family Reunion. Some uses for the funds:

- 1) Provide scholarships for students entering college or graduate school.
- 2) Provide funding for families who would like to attend the family reunion in 2008 but need some assistance with travel and/or lodging.
- 3) Provide additional funding for Family bonding activities to make the reunion an exciting and memorable event.

**For your purchase or selling efforts, you will be rewarded**—if you purchase or sell more than 100 tickets. Not only will your buyers qualify for a prize, as a result of the raffle drawing, you will also qualify to be a part of a seller's grand prize and/or drawing. Tickets are \$1.00 each.

Order your tickets today by calling, **301-529-3297**. Provide your contact information (name, address, and phone number). You will receive your tickets, raffle flyers, and instructions in the mail within 7 business days. Also, you may prepay for your tickets when ordering, please send your check or money order to:

BDSNM Family Reunion Inc., 6944 Pecan Avenue, Moorpark, CA 93021

*This Raffle is being sponsored by the BDSNM National Family Reunion Committee*

## **OPEN MIKE NIGHT!**

**Saturday, May 31  
4pm – 5pm PDT or  
7pm – 8pm EDT**

Do you have questions about the reunion? Travel? Hotel? Tours? Anything at all? Join us on Open Mike Night where we will tell you everything you need to know and more. Then we will open the mike and answer all your questions if there are still any left.

To save time on the call, you can email your questions to [BDSNFamily@att.net](mailto:BDSNFamily@att.net) anytime between now and the call. Put the words "OPEN MIKE" in the subject. We will include your question on the program.

**Call in number: (712) 451-6000  
Participant PIN: 304773#**

