

Yuba-Sutter Right to Life

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FINANCIAL REPORT FOR 2011

Beginning Balance 1/1/11	\$2,969.82
Receipts from Contrib. & Dues	2,747.00
Receipts for Buses	5,891.00
Bishop of Sacramento—Grant	2,650.00
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	\$14,257.82
<u>Disbursements:</u>	
Bulk Mail & P.O. Box	\$ 234.00
Newsletter: Expenses	1,281.24
Educ. Materials/Fair Supplies	634.20
Vinyl for Billboard	171.00
Y-S Fair Booth Fee, Ins. & Passes	525.00
Website expenses	234.94
Contributions to A Woman's Friend	325.00
West Coast Walk for Life/4 buses	2,658.00
Radio Spots (KCYC & KMYC)	1,850.00
Miscellaneous	180.00
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Total Disbursements	(\$8,093.38)
Net due for WCWFL buses	3,826.56
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Ending Balance 12/31/11	\$2,337.88

BOOK ALERT:

[“Do Chocolate Lovers Have Sweeter Babies?: The Surprising Science of Pregnancy”](#) is a book by science writer Jena Pincott in which she explores the incredible relationship between women and their preborn children.

[In 1979, researchers at Stanford University were shocked to discover a pregnant woman's blood contained Y sex chromosomes.](#) Since women only have X chromosomes, they concluded that the cells must have entered into her body from the male child she carried.

Pincott discusses in her book what science has learned since the Stanford discovery, drawing on studies in biology, reproductive genetics, and epigenetics. “During pregnancy,” she wrote, “cells sneak across the placenta in both directions. The fetus's cells enter his mother, and the mother's cells enter the fetus.” Pincott pointed out that as the quantity of fetal cells in a mother's body increase, the activity of autoimmune conditions such as rheumatoid arthritis and multiple sclerosis decreases.

In what any ethicist would consider to be legitimate ‘embryonic stem cell therapy’, the baby's fetal stem cells migrate to the mother's injured sites and offer themselves as a healing remedy, becoming part of the mother's very body.

Genetics specialist Dr. Kirby Johnson of Tufts Medical Center, Boston, and professor Carol Artlett, a researcher at Philadelphia's Thomas Jefferson University, back up Pincott. Their research shows that when a woman becomes pregnant she acquires an army of protective cells—what might be called a gift from her child—that remains with her for decades, perhaps until the end of her life. In their research, Johnson found that a teaspoon of blood from a pregnant mother contained, “dozens, perhaps even hundreds of cells.....from the baby.” Science has shown that at the end of a mother's pregnancy, up to 6 percent of the DNA in her blood plasma comes from her baby.

MOVIE ALERT: “October Baby”

An upcoming movie that dramatically deals with abortion is being given it “two thumbs up”. It's called [October Baby](#) and is about a young girl who finds out she's adopted. But along the way there's some twists and revelations to keep you engaged to the end of the film. You'll get a new and unexpected perspective on the abortion issue. The film will be in theatres March 23rd. Please make it part of your weekend to see this moving story. I believe it will be well worth your time.

[West Coast Walk for Life 2012](#) in San Francisco was a huge success (estimated 45,000 people). We doubled the number of buses from last year. Over 200 people filled 4 buses and participated in the peaceful, prayerful Walk for Life! Mark your calendars for next year's walk on January 26th, 2013.

IN THE NEWS:

January 24, 2012—Fort Lauderdale, FL ([Life Issues Institute](#)) Edward Jermaine Babbs, 20, was recently convicted of killing his 17 year-old girlfriend Stephanie and their unborn son. Babbs, who was also 17 at the time of the killing, shot his girlfriend once in the back of the head as she attempted to flee, and again in the abdomen which proved his goal was to kill the 8 month-old fetus. Babbs had been pressuring Stephanie to have an abortion. According to police, her refusal and the impending birth of their son triggered the killing.

Unfortunately, Stephanie is not the first victim nor will she be the last. According to the [Elliot Institute](#), homicide is the leading killer of pregnant women. For more information on this topic and the studies cited, scan the code with your smart phone.



UPCOMING EVENTS:

You Are Cordially Invited.... To our meetings! We meet the **first Wednesday of every month** at 7:00pm in the St. Isidore Parish Hall. Everyone is welcome! Call 673-1437 for details.

40 Days for Life in Yuba City? YES! Join us in front of the Planned Parenthood on Palora Avenue the **last Wednesday of each month** from 4-5pm. For more information, call Heather at 751-9349.

40 Days for Life in the Sacramento area:

Our spring Sacramento 40 Days for Life will be at [Women's Health Specialist](#) abortion business, 1750 Wright Street, now through April 1, 7am to 7pm, 6 days a week (Mon-Sat). You can sign up at [the online vigil schedule](#). For more information or to coordinate a trip down to the vigil site, call Maureen at 673-1437 or Heather at 751-9349, or [visit the Sacramento 40 Days for Life website](#).

IN THE NEWS CONTINUED:

February 6, 2012—Washington, D.C. ([The Washington Times](#)) I realize that this is the third time in as many years that I have included an article on the topic of the relationship that the Girl Scouts has with Planned Parenthood, but some things need repeating. Besides, new facts have come to light and I have learned of an alternative to Girl Scouts, so please read on.

If you ask any Girl Scout leader, or the organization as a whole for that matter, they will deny that a “formal” relationship exists between them and Planned Parenthood. But as the Washington Times article of February 6th, entitled “RUSE: Planned Parenthood, Girl Scout Cookie Monster” points out, “...it’s impossible to explain away the admission on national television by Girl Scout CEO Kathy Cloninger that the organization has a relationship with Planned Parenthood, and indeed, no such attempt has been made. Her words stand today as the single most damning admission of truth on the matter: ‘We partner with many organizations. We have relationships with....Planned Parenthood organizations across the country.’” See You Tube video [here](#).

The Washington Times article goes on to state that for 14 years the Girl Scouts of Waco, Texas has co-sponsored a sex-education conference with Planned Parenthood during which a book written by a member of Planned Parenthood’s board of Advocates titled, “[It’s Perfectly Normal](#)” was given to the Girl Scouts in attendance (some as young as 10 years old). This book is filled with color cartoon-type drawings of sex organs, positions, and techniques, and tells kids that abortion can be a “positive experience”. There’s even a chapter devoted to masturbation in which it says that lots of people masturbate— including babies.

According to the website, “[girlscoutswhynot.com](#)”, **all Girl Scouts have a financial relationship with and are members of the World Association of Girl Guides and Girl Scouts (WAGGGS) through their annual \$12 membership dues.** WAGGGS promotes and advocates a

A Woman’s Friend Walk for Life: Saturday, May 5th around Ellis Lake in Marysville. Interestingly enough, May 5th is not only Cinco de Mayo, but it is also Children’s Day in Japan! Help raise money for this important life-saving ministry by signing up to walk or by sponsoring a walker. Call 741-9136 or email prc@awomansfriend.org for more information!



Yuba-Sutter Fair: The 2012 Yuba-Sutter fair will run from August 1st-5th. Did you know that Yuba-Sutter Right to Life has been the pro-life presence at the fair for over 30 years?! If you would like to join us by working at the booth, please call Maureen at 673-1437 or email secretary@ysrtl.org.

campaign for “sexual and reproductive health services,” including “emergency contraception in order to avoid unintended pregnancies” and “accessible, affordable... abortions” and openly partners with International Planned Parenthood Federation. Also a portion of their cookie sales goes to the Headquarters and then on to Planned Parenthood—cookie sales generate millions of dollars annually.

The bottom line is that if you have a child in the Girl Scouts, you are supporting abortion when you pay your annual dues or even buy cookies. Period. It doesn’t matter if your local troop has a direct relationship with Planned Parenthood or not (and I pray it doesn’t).

But I have recently learned of a Christian alternative to the Girl Scouts called [AMERICAN HERITAGE GIRLS](#) that has as its Statement of Faith the following: “We believe that there is one Triune God—Father, Jesus Christ His one and only Son, and the Holy Spirit—Creator of the universe and eternally existent. We believe the Holy Scriptures (Old/New Testament) to be the inspired and authoritative Word of God. We believe each person is created in His image for the purpose of communing with and worshipping God. We believe in the ministry of the Holy Spirit who enables us to live a Godly life. We believe that each individual is called to love the Lord their God with all their heart, mind, soul and strength; and to love their neighbor as themselves. We believe that each individual is called to live a life of purity, service, stewardship and integrity.” It then goes on to clarify Purity in these terms: “An AHG member is called to live a life of holiness, being pure of heart, mind, word and deed, reserving sexual activity for the sanctity of marriage; marriage being a lifelong commitment before God between a man and a woman.”

If you are interested in starting a troop in our area, please contact Heather at 751-9349 or secretary@ysrtl.org.

