

**BUENA PARK POLICE DEPARTMENT  
PRESS RELEASE**

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*Corey S. Sianez, Chief of Police*

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**INCIDENT:** Project Give a Christmas

**LOCATION:** Buena Park Community Center, 6688 Beach Blvd, Buena Park

**DATE/TIME:** Sunday, December 14<sup>th</sup>, 2014/8:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

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**SUMMARY:**

On Sunday, December 14<sup>th</sup>, 2014, at 8:00 a.m., the Buena Park Police Department will be hosting its annual "Project Give a Christmas" event at the Buena Park Community Center. This endeavor began 20 years ago when the Buena Park Police Association sponsored a single needy family for the holidays and has since grown exponentially. The families are hand selected by school officials through their child's school and matched with a sponsor by the Buena Park Police Department's Crime Prevention Unit.

This year, through the generosity of private donations as well as local businesses including Pepsi, Orora North America, Shelly BMW, Premier Chevrolet, and Yamaha we are able to provide 85 families including 159 children with gifts and essential items for the holidays. A special thank you goes out this year to Orora North America for providing a warm breakfast to kick off the festivities.

We hope you will join us, Santa, and Mrs. Claus to help make this season a special time for those in our community less fortunate.

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