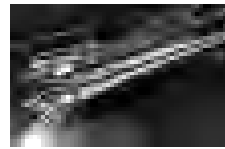




34 Dodge; From left: Larry Levine and Ken Sobel, Retired City Safety Administrator.



Welcome to the 12th annual Cops for Tots.



A 1946 Chevy Fleetline hood ornament



A 1954 Chevy hood ornament.



From left: Pablo Rivera, Newton Explorer; Jose Ruvalcaba, Newton Explorer; Officer Garrett Breegle, P2 Central with the T3; and Bryan Gomez, Newton Explorer.



Alicia Martinez, Traffic Officer, Transportation, Central.



Cece Tatum, Clerk Typist.

Cops for Tots

■ Police Dept.'s 12th annual Cops for Tots event raises funds for children who need transplants.

Story by Arlene Herrero, Club Counselor; Photos by Daniel Wang, Club Photographer



POLICE DEPT. — The Los Angeles Police Department's Central Traffic Division presented its 12th annual Cops for Tots event Oct. 28 at the

Police Academy. This year's event once again fell on the weekend prior to Halloween, so many spooky-themed vehicles were on hand.

The event was free to the public with the proceeds to Benefit the Children's Charities of Los Angeles.

Approximately 600 cars and motorcycles entered the show. Many trophies were awarded. Over the past 12 years, more than \$200,000 has been raised, with this year's event raising at least \$45,000.

There were also many vendors on hand and LAPD displays from the Special Weapons and Tactics Unit, the Recruitment Section, the Los Angeles Police Historical Society and other entities within the Department.

Thanks to Officers Abe Rangel, Club Member, and Mike Belmonte for their assistance. And congratulations to the Central Traffic Division for another excellent event.



Heather Cosner and Abe Rangel, P2+2, Event Coordinator, Club Member.



A group of Chevys dating from 1949-50.



LAPD Air Support, from left: Adam Grenburg, Pilot; Manny Dickerson, Pilot; Chris Van Horn, Pilot; and Lance Ordin, Reserved Officer.



From left: Ben Matias, P2, CTD; Krista Hallenbeck, Volunteer; Mike Morales, P3, CTD; Lawrence Henderson, Volunteer; Lauren Henderson, Volunteer; and Arturo Bautista, Reserved Officer.



From left: Robert Golden P2+2 and Mike Goldstein, P2+2, with a 1947 Plymouth deluxe police vehicle.



From left: Rudy De Leon, P3+1, Mounted Unit, Club Member; and Ron Terrazas, P3+1, Mounted Unit, Club Member.



From left: Lindsey Terrazas, CEO of Cattle Dogs, and daughter of Club Member Officer Ron Terrazas.



From left: Michael Henderson, P2+2; Anthony Stewart, P2+2; Sgt. John Vasquez; and Corinne Ernst, P2.



From left: Cecilio Flores, P2, CTD; Alfredo Villegas, P2, CTD; Henry Servin, P2, CTD; Robert Takahashi, P2, CTD; and Brandon Reese, P2, CTD started cooking at 5 a.m. and estimated that they fed more than 600 people and cooked at least 150 pounds of meat.



From left: Fred Yamamoto, P2+2, CTD; Mike Valencia, P2+2, CTD, Club Member; and Alvin Linton, P2, CTD.



Richard Rogers stands next to his 2006 Ford GT.



A 1924 Buick.



An Oldsmobile on its side.



A 1940 Willys.



A 1965 Volkswagen Microbus, also known as the 21-window bus.



Mini Cooper Limo used a 1969 Austin Mini as a base for this project car.