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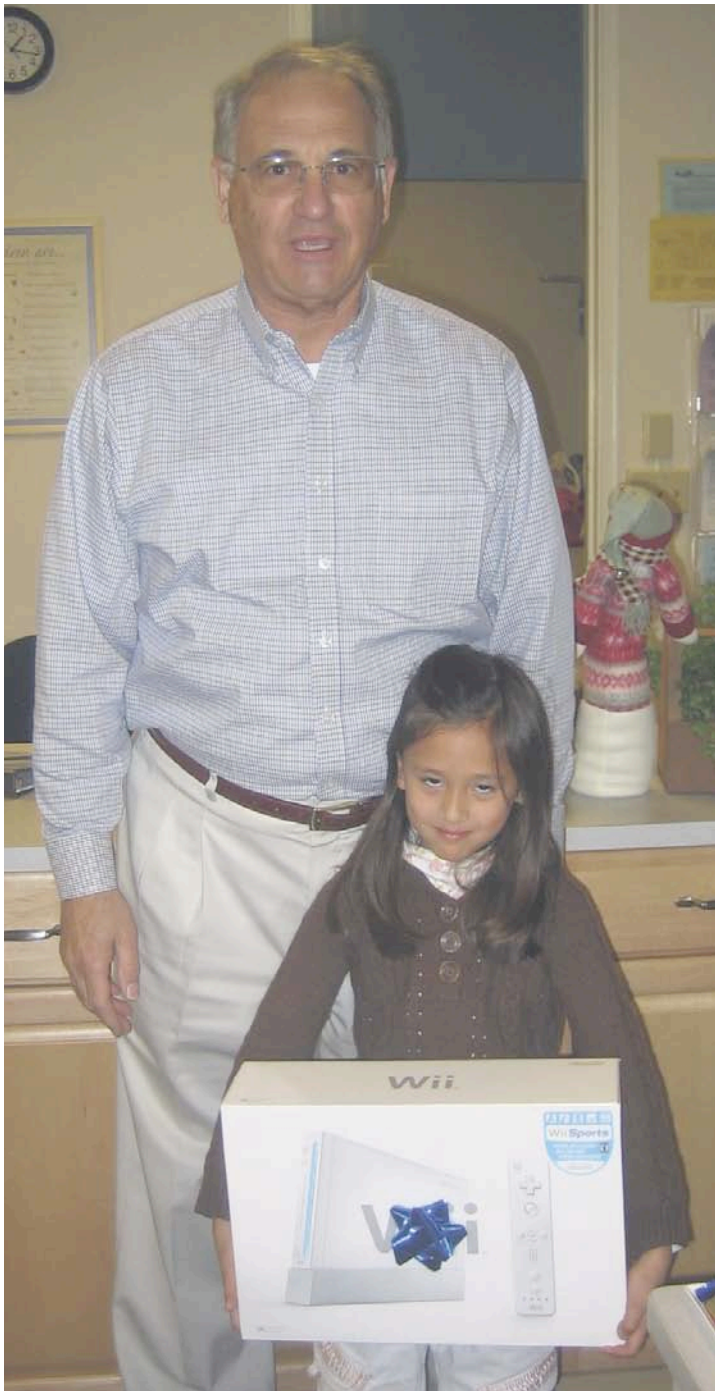


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Wii Winners!

Los Perales 2nd-grader Amy Chen was the happy winner of a Wii, a prize won in a drawing for families who got their auction donations in before the holidays. “Night in the Big Apple” Auction Committee representative Paula Pollack said, “They are generous donors; it couldn’t have gone to a nicer family!” A pleased Pollack continued, “We went from 35% participation to 53% in a few days with our latest PR stunt; it was New Year's Eve at Los Perales, where various masked New York celebrities took donations right from parents’ cars, threw biodegradable confetti and blew noise makers. Lady Liberty (a popular LP dad in drag; talk about giving your all for a good cause) was there, too!” The final deadline for LP auction donations is January 15, and the auction committee is hoping for 100% parent participation.

Camino Pablo also had a Wii to give away. In a most charitable turn of events, the Allen family, who originally won the Wii, donated it back to the auction because they already had one. A spontaneous silent auction was held, and the Fenske family is now the proud owner of the CP Wii.



Amy Chen with LP Principal Bill Walters