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John "Romy" Rose

## The Eldorado celebrates 36 years with cake, champagne and a \$10,000 giveaway!

**W**E'RE celebrating 36 Years! The Eldorado Hotel Casino brought you Reno's best food, events, entertainment, casino action and Reno's best employees! Back then, and now, the Eldorado is #1! Join us for a spectacular 36th Birthday Celebration starting Wednesday, May 27, to Friday, May 29.

Enjoy a one-of-a-kind birthday meal at The Buffet, where prices are being rolled back to what they were in 1973. Breakfast at The Buffet will be just \$4.99 and lunch will be just \$5.99. Guests can enjoy birthday cake prepared fresh in the Eldorado bakery and champagne everyday on the casino floor from 2-4pm.

On Friday, May 29, there will be a \$10,000 drawing on the casino floor from 4pm to 8pm. The drawings, held every five minutes, include four \$1000 prizes, five \$500 prizes, six \$200 prizes, 11 \$100 prizes and 24 \$50 prizes.

Don Carano, who was told the casino was on the "wrong side of the tracks," founded the Eldorado Hotel Casino in 1973. The Eldorado of 1973 included a lobby, registration area, coffee shop, cocktail lounge, specialty dinner house and gaming area.

Now, 36 years later, the Eldorado Hotel Casino is Northern Nevada's premiere property boasting eight award-winning restaurants, including the recently renovated restaurant, The Buffet, a Broadway style showroom, 80,000 sq ft of gaming, over 800 rooms and suites, live entertainment in several bars and lounges.

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Also, please visit The Rose Garden Restaurant at 1255 Stardust Street in Reno, which serves Asian, American and Italian cuisine. The Rose Garden features a Filipino Buffet from Tuesday to Saturday from 10am to 2pm (lunchtime) and 5pm to 10pm (dinnertime), and Sunday from 10am to 3pm. On Fridays and Saturdays, The Rose Garden features ballroom dancing and karaoke.

Finally, I would like to thank all patrons of The Rose Garden who have supported the restaurant despite the economic downturn. The Rose Garden celebrates its first anniversary this month, and has continued its operations despite the difficult financial climate in the US over the year. To my friends, business associates and to The Rose Garden Restaurant clientele, my sincerest thanks and appreciation!

See you in Reno!

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The Philippine Consulate General in San Francisco conducted a successful outreach to Filipino-Americans in Reno, Nevada last April, a continuation of the "Consulate on Wheels" program initiated by the PCG-SF several years back. Photo above shows members of the FAAN, including Warly Pizarro, John "Romy" Rose and Thelma Frias, with the Philippine Consulate staff.



Dual citizens take their oath in front of Deputy Consul General Wilfredo Santos after completing the dual citizenship process at the Consulate on Wheels outreach program by the PCGSF.



At the April Consulate on Wheels program conducted by the PCGSF are (from left) FAAN Board Chair Warly Pizarro, Deputy Consul General Wilfredo Santos, Dr. Carazon Ibarra and FAAN president Thelma Frias.

## Asia's Songbird Returns with Fellow Divas for Stockton Concert

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of foreign pop favorites presented with innovative arrangements from R&B/hip hop, pop rock, pop ballad, and blues showcasing her musical versatility. Together with Caca Velasquez, Ogie Alcasid and Raul Mitra, Regine launched a record label, IndiMusic. On October 11, Velasquez reunited with Robin Padilla via the movie, *Till I Met You*.

In January, 2007, Velasquez was an honoree during *People Asia Magazine's* "People of the Year" awarding ceremonies. She was the recipient of an Exemplary Achievement Award for her significant contribution in the field of music and entertainment. She shared the honor with prima ballerina Lisa Macuja-Elizalde, top fashion

designer Lulu Tan-Gan and broadcast icon Charo Santos-Concio of ABS-CBN.

Catch Regine as she returns for another *Divas 4 Divas* concert with Kuh Ledesma, Zsa Zsa Padilla and Pops Fernandez at the Bob Hope Theater in Stockton on May 24, 2009 starting at 7pm. This concert is presented by Caselin Productions and Filipinas Productions.

For information and tickets, please call Filipinas (209) 832-0027, Cecille Azarcon (707) 645-1098, Bernie Mirando (650) 278-2326 or Pia Peña (510) 499-5340.

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