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Aphasia (uh-fay-zhuh): A loss or reduction of language (i.e., speaking, understanding, reading, and/or writing) following brain damage, typically as a result of a stroke.

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"Giving opens the way for receiving."

Florence Scovel Shinn

Human Race Sets New Aphasia Center Record

May 11th was a beautiful day for the 4th year of the Aphasia Center's participation in the Human Race. More than 60 individuals walked, rolled, or ran the race route at the Lafayette reservoir. The best news was that \$8,000 was raised to support program services at the Aphasia Center of California--an all time Aphasia Center record!!

Three Aphasia Center members raised more than \$1,000 each for the ACC: Jim Santanna, Philip Tien, and George Yee! And Judi Briano received donations from more than 40 different people! A drawing for restaurant and merchant gift certificates was held for those participants who had raised at least \$150 for the Aphasia Center.

Please join us in giving your business to the following companies that generously contributed gift certificates: Albertson's--Montclair (Oakland), Compadres Restaurant--Oakland, C-Ports Café--Oakland, Downtown Restaurant--Berkeley, Glenview Florist, Infinity Salon--Lafayette, Italian Color's Restaurant--Oakland, La Strada Restaurant--San Pablo, Michael's Ristorante--Moraga, Noah's Bagels--Montclair (Oakland), Pastino's Restaurant--Oakland, Safeway--Oakland, Sergio's Trattoria--Oakland,