



MEDIA ALERT

LOS ANGELES AVENGERS Third Annual Charity Poker Tournament Benefiting PADRES Contra El Cáncer SUNDAY, APRIL 20

WHAT:

The Los Angeles Avengers will host their Third Annual **Charity Poker Tournament** on Sunday, April 20, 2008. All proceeds will benefit **PADRES Contra El Cáncer**, a non-profit organization committed to improving the quality of life for Latino children with cancer and their families.

WHO:

Various celebrity guests will play No-Limit Texas Hold'em along side **Avenger fans** and **Avenger players**, including leading receiver **Kevin Ingram**, defensive lineman **Jason Stewart**, and wide receiver **Timon Marshall**.

WHEN:

Sunday, April 20th – 1 p.m. to 6 p.m.
Doors open at 11:30 a.m. Lunch will be provided.

WHERE:

Bonaventure Brewing Company at the Westin Bonaventure Hotel
404 South Figueroa St.
Los Angeles, CA 90071 (corner of 5th & Figueroa)

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NOTES:

- The **Los Angeles Avengers** are fresh off their thrilling 79-62 victory against the Utah Blaze on Saturday. The victory propelled the Avengers into a first-place tie in the AFL's Western Division with the defending Arena Bowl Champion San Jose SaberCats. The team's next game will be on Saturday, April 19th, when they face the Gladiators at the Los Angeles STAPLES Center. Please call 1-888-AVENGERS for more information or visit the team's official website at www.laavengers.com.
- **PADRES Contra El Cáncer** is a non-profit organization committed to improving the quality of life for Latino children with cancer and their families. PADRES' programs, activities and services, while primarily oriented to the Latino community, serve childhood cancer patients from all races and ethnic origins. No family is turned away. Celebrating 20 years of service, PADRES brings together children, families, healthcare professionals and community leaders to promote a comprehensive understanding of childhood cancer and other blood disorders as well as effective methods for treatment. Since 2005, actress **Eva Longoria Parker** has served as PADRES' national spokesperson. For more information about PADRES Contra El Cáncer please visit their website at www.iamhope.org or call 323.850.7901 ext. 224
- Members of the media who would like to be credentialed to cover this tournament should contact Maribel De La Torre at 818.581.5458 or by emailing mdelatorre@iamhope.org

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