



First Annual TV Fund Raiser Get Your Kicks with Group 66 Kicks Off with the 'Del Mar Idol Kids Singing Contest'

Back in the fifties and sixties, one of the catchwords made famous by a highway and a song was "Get your kicks on Route 66". This historical line has produced a new and enlivening theme for Del Mar today called "Get your kicks with Group 66!" We kick off with the Del Mar Idol Kids Singing Contest where an exciting question is being asked; Can we have fun in the sun, where the turf meets the surf, and still get our kicks from Channel 66? Yes, the Del Mar Television Foundation (DMTF) can make that happen, but we need your help!

Our overall public fund raising goal is approximately \$40,000.00. Contributions, together with the City's funds, which we plan to match, will enable us to both meet our equipment goals and have sufficient operating funds for such things as programming, education, training, and individual grants to budding television entrepreneurs. Look for our exciting Grant program to develop and produce eye-popping programs, and clearly document some fascinating features of life in our unique community.

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GET YOUR KICKS WITH GROUP 66

STARTS WITH A SONG

A Kick off to our first annual fundraising program is an event called "Del Mar Idol"

A kids singing contest for age groups 8-12 and 13-17. If you are a budding Del Mar Idol, make a five minute tape and send or drop it off along with the entry form and a \$15 entry fee to the Del Mar TV Studio located at 240 10th Street, Del Mar, CA 92014 by October 15th.

Ten kids will be selected for the Preliminary contest on Nov 2nd, at the Powerhouse with the top three from each age group going forward to the finals on Nov. 16th at the Del Mar TV Studios.

The finals will be taped and aired on DMTV Channel 66.

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PRESIDENT'S CUT

I started out the last President's Cut with "It must be summer". You can tell summer is over when it's after Labor Day, the track season is over and the End of Summer Picnic has happened. Oh yes and the tourist are gone, So, I guess summer is over.

I hope some of you got to see the replays of the daily Del Mar Thoroughbred races. The Thoroughbred Club with the help of T, Pat Stubbs, provided them to DMTV66. I thought it was a great show. Every night at 10 pm you could see the day's races.. without commercials. I hope they do it again next year.

Once again we covered the "End of Summer Picnic". It was as usual a big success. Jeff Stone and Tracy Phillips shot it for us and the program should be seen on DMTV66 in October. Also in September, Edward Kramer covered the Peter Puffing concert at Oceansong. That too should be seen in late October or early November.

DMTF Productions managed get on the air all the stuff on our plate from June; Summer Solstice at the Del Mar Plaza, the Texas Toothpicks musical group at the Art Center at the Plaza, the Harry Potter Magic Show at the Del Mar Library and the first Powerhouse Park Summer concert all made it to DMTV66 in July and August. That was a lot to do, but with the help of many it got done.

The Del Mar TV Foundation is about to get a lot more visibility. I have been asked by the Del Mar Times to write a weekly column, which I started on September 5th. By the way, it's call "President's Cut". You know, I first wrote this President's Cut starting with the publication in 2000 of the first Del Mar Television Foundation's Newsletter. We have been publishing the Newsletter quarterly ever since. Since our Newsletter has very limited distribution, I'm very happy that The Del Mar Times asked me to do the weekly column. We have a lot of activities going on in Del Mar that I think will be of interest to the community.

Our grant programs in on track for this year. There still are plenty of uncommitted funds available, so if you think you have a great idea for a show, submit a grant request. Remember, that the year is drawing to a close and the uncommitted grant funds don't carry over to the next year. The grant form is available on the web and at the DMTV studio. We have some pretty experienced producers around that I'm sure would be happy to answer any questions you might have on what it takes to put on a production.

The Producer's Showcase rolls on. It continues to provide a place for old (not by age) and new producers to hone their skills and come up with new ideas. We had a fine program in September, Reflections, produced by Luana Karr with two Del Mar residents Jack Batzler, one of our board members, and City Councilmen Richard Earnest talking about their experiences as naval aviators. I hope we can get more Del Marians who would be willing to reflect on the past life.

The website's Community Calendar is in for some more upgrades. The Calendar Consortium has approved three changes to expand the capabilities: 1st - to add email contact directly to the sponsoring organization; 2nd - to allow people to select which organization they want to see on the Calendar and 3rd - for people to request the Calendar be automatically sent to them on a regular basis.

I hope everyone paid attention to our cover story. We are starting our first annual fund drive. Half the funds we raise will be used to improve the studio. So between now and the end of the year will be a busy time for the Foundation. I hope we can count on all of you for some help.

Don't forget to tell your, outside of Del Mar, friends to take a look at the expanded distribution of our programs on Time Warner (channel 19, Thursdays @ 7pm) and Adelphia (channel 3, Monday @ 8:30pm).

Don't forget to check out the eleven streaming videos on our website

That's a Wrap!

Pete Glaser



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Look at our website for Streaming Video of DMTV66 programs

The Del Mar TV Foundation Goes after Funds to Upgrade DMTV66



Get Your Kicks with
Group 66

A major part of our fund raising is going toward additional new equipment, in order to continually improve the DMTV communications facility. Here's a list of what we are considering:

- An Inscrubber Supreme: A state of the art system for on-screen graphics and titles generated live or to tape.
- Two Teleprompters: A computer screen that mounts on the camera for script reading or prompting.
- An Aavelin Messaging system: An automated text messaging system to display schedules and events.
- A Chroma Key Screen: A blue or green backdrop that allows computer images to be superimposed behind live action talent.
- A Digital Video Tape Recorder: A new deck to support the Non-Linear Editor.

We will have memberships at various levels in our “**Get your kicks with Group 66**” donation program. There will be awards at four different contribution levels. Look at our website (www.delmartv.com) for more detail, or check you mail. We will be in touch.

We wholeheartedly encourage you to give what you can for this great cause. By so doing you will be exhibiting pride in the community and the goals of the Foundation.

Order your Copy Of :

A Walk in the Park - VHS or DVD **\$20**

It Takes a Village to Raise a Wall - VHS

Send check to: Del Mar TV Foundation P.O. Box 53 Del Mar, CA 92014

Movies



DMTV Classic Film Series

Oct 31 & Nov 6 “Penny Serenade” - Carey Grant/
Irene Dunn
Nov 7 & 13 “Delightfully Dangerous” - Jane Powell
Nov 14 & 20 “One Eyed Jacks” - Marlon Brando
Nov 21 & 27 “The Secret Weapon” - Basil Rathbone
Nov 28 & Dec 4 “Pygmalion” - Leslie Howard
Dec 5 & 11 “The Inspector General” - Danny Kaye

Dec 12 & 18 “McLintock”—John Wayne/Maureen O’Hara
Dec 19 & 25 “The Gold Rush” -Charlie Chaplin
Dec 26 & Jan 1 “The 39 Steps” - Alfred Hitchcock

Each Film premieres on Fridays at 2 p.m. and is re-broadcast that evening at 6 p.m. and again Thursday at 2 p.m. & 9 p.m.

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**Jodi Kennedy DMTV
Foundation Board
Member**

Jodi Kennedy, former television director, producer and writer has joined the Board of the Del Mar TV Foundation. Jodi brings 15 years experience and two Emmy awards as producer of a children's news show. She left her thriving career to raise a family in Del Mar. Since moving to Del Mar she has done volunteer work with the Del Mar Schools Education Foundation and with Children's Hospital. "In the future, I would love to see Del Mar TV continue to be a great resource for the community to keep up with government and city happenings," says Mrs. Kennedy. "I look forward to working with the Board this coming season."

PRODUCER'S SHOWCASE UPDATE



The Producer's group has produced 15 informative shows this year. Great topics and guests. The group had the opportunity to have their show reviewed by Chantal S. Kira, who was a line producer for the BBC. Great feedback for our producers and good learning experience that will help bring better productions to our community T.V. Classes and meetings are ongoing, so come to one of our meetings or production nights and get "your kicks" with us on Channel 66.

For more information visit our website www.delmartv.com or you can email.

DMTV LATENIGHT CLASSIC FILMS:

- Oct 7th "Free & Easy" - Buster Keaton
- Oct 14th "Mon Uncle" - Jacques Tati
- Oct 21st "Jack & The Beanstalk" Abbott & Costello
- Oct 28th "Speak Easily" - Buster Keaton
- Nov 4th "Mr. Robinson Crusoe" - Douglas Fairbanks
- Nov 11th "Hi Diddle Diddle" - Adolphe Menjou/
Martha Scott
- Nov 18th "Detour" - Tom Neat/Ann Savage
- Nov 25th "The Thief of Bagdad" - Douglas Fairbanks
- Dec 2nd "Zulu" - Michael Caine
- Dec 9th "The Private Life of Don Juan" -
Douglas Fairbanks
- Dec 16th "Two Lost Worlds" - Jim Arness
- Dec 23rd "The Painted Hills" - Lassie
- Dec 31st "Way Down East" - Lillian Gish

FOUNDATION UPDATES

Monthly Meetings

DMTV Foundation 8:30a.m

Oct. 2nd & Nov. 6th

Producer's Showcase

Oct. 9th, Nov 12th

6:00p.m. to 9p.m.

Classes

Studio Production—\$90

Call Station

6:30pm to 9:30pm

Field Production—\$120

TBA

Editing—\$120—TBA

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To reserve your spot