# 2009



# EVENT YEAR BOOK

# Los Angeles, California

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The American Heroes Aviation Network is proud to be an Affiliate Member of HAI and participate in a mission to educate the community as to the value of helicopters' service.



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OUR GUESTS FROM THE HOOTERS
RESTAURANT IN BURBANK PROVIDED MEALS
FOR THE FLIGHT CREWS THIS YEAR AND ARE
SHOWN HERE WELCOMING "BOBBER", THE
WATER SAFETY DOG WHO IS THE U.S. ARMY
CORPS. OF ENGINEERS' MASCOT FOR THEIR
WATER SAFETY PROGRAM.



DIVING TEAM ONCE AGAIN JUMPS IN TO THE LOS ANGELES AMERICAN HEROES AIR SHOW TO KICK OFF THE OPENING CEREMONIES AND DEMONSTRATIONS.



GUESTS GET ON-BOARD WITH HIGH TECHNOLOGY DELIVERED BY THE USAF 66TH RQS SQUADRON.

BASED AT NELLIS AFB IN Las VEGAS THE HH-**PaVehawk** 60 HAD ALL THE **EQUIPMENT FOR** WORK BEHIND **ENEMY LINES.** 

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AN AH-64
COBRA FROM
U.S.M.C. HMLA
367 BASED AT
MIRAMAR MCAS
IS ONE OF THE
FIRST MORNING ARRIVALS.

U.S.M.C.
AVIATION UNITS
ENTHUSIASTICALLY
PARTICIPATE AT
HEROES AIR SHOW
EVENTS ACROSS
THE NATION

PHOTOGRAPHERS ARE
AT THE READY LINE TO
CATCH THE ANNUAL
RED, WHITE AND BLUE
"TRIBUTE" WATER
DROP PERFORMED BY
THE PILOTS OF THE
LOS ANGELES FIRE
DEPT'S AVIATION
TEAM.

THIS PRECISION DEMO
HAS BEEN A POPULAR
PART OF THE EVENT
OPENING CEREMONY
FOR MANY YEARS.



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# American Heroes

Air Show

#### Mission Statement

Since 1993 the Heroes Air Show mission delivers an exciting aviation event to educate the community, media and elected officials as to the unique value helicopters deliver to public safety, private enterprise, homeland security and national defense.

The American Heroes Air Show is produced in communities across the nation by volunteers with a passion for aviation, public safety and community service.

American Heroes
Aviation Network, Inc.

# Participating aircraft at Los Angeles event :

- MD-500 with DEA
- HH-60 with USAF 66th RQS
- AW-139 with LA City FD
- AS350 with LASD Aero Bureau
- SH 60 Seahawk with US Navy HSL 60
- UH-60 Blackhawk with CA ANG
- Bell 407 with FBI
- ... and many, many others



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Photos courtesy of Tom Lane, Dave Elliott, Ed Miles, Larry Griffin, David Mills, John Riley and Diane Gonzalez



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# CODE-3 CAREER FAIR



Since 1998 our CODE3 Career Fair has grown to become an exciting and educational element of the American Heroes Air Shows at sites all across the country.









With recruiting teams from over 30 public service, law enforcement and military organizations attending, the Heroes Air Show has became the premier career fair in Southern California for those looking for a reliable career in service to their community and country

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Teamwork ... it's the one constant concept we learn about each year at the Heroes Air Show. Our volunteers form the core of our event staff

#### OUR GROUND OPERATIONS TEAM \* \* \*

CHRISTY ANN EVANS ALEX BRAHAM SHIRLEY SANTIAGO Bob Bauman Ryan Paules Ben Self



#### OUR AIR OPERATIONS TEAM \* \* \*

TOM RHIEL BILL GRAHAM MORRIS COHEN PHIL AUNE "HEROES CONTROL"
SEAN O'CONNER
DAVE ANDREWS





THE LOS ANGELES EVENT COULD NOT HAPPEN WITHOUT THE DEDICATED SUPPORT OF THE CIVIL AIR PATROL COMPOSITE SQUADRON UNDER THE COMMAND OF CAPTAIN JOHN SAVAGE





Our grateful thanks to the Professional Helicopter Pilots' Association for once again hosting the crew meals provided by the Hooters Restaurant in Burbank.

www.PHPA.org

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#### Log on to the internet for event profiles, pix and video coverage

Across the country many of our fans with cameras and video equipment post their work on the internet.

Link to the Heroes event on the Fire Dept News Network at <a href="http://www.fdnntv.com/American-Heroes-Air-Show">http://www.fdnntv.com/American-Heroes-Air-Show</a>

Paul Dunn attended the LA event from the UK and he writes for an aviation website www.globalaviationresource.com

His report on the show, can be found at: http://www.globalaviationresource.com/reports/2009/heroesshow090711.php

The Wings and Rotors Air Museum attended the Los Angeles event again this year with their classic Bell Huey check out their trip at

http://www.wingsandrotors.org/heros.html

Chris Shaw is one of our favorite guests - Check out his event profiles on youtube.com

to add and will send them to you as I edit them. Thanks and see you next year "

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=A90kLIBRCIw

Notes and pix from Ralph Duenas — who visits us from my home town Tulsa, OK.

"Jim, well done again this year. People think I'm nuts for flying out for just a helo show but I love it every year. Just minutes ago I started adding pics to our website. Here is the link, I have many more

http://www.jetwashimages.com/gallery/thumbnails.php?album=368

You can check out Mr. Desert Rat's multi-year profile of our event at

http://www.pbase.com/desertrat99/2009\_gallery\_

The Los Angeles Daily News is one of our primary media partners – you can check out their event profile and pix gallery online

http://www.dailynews.com/search/ci\_12813510?IADID

http://lang.dailynews.com/photos/photos.html#id=795014&num=2

Go to <u>www.Flickr.com</u> and search box for "American Heroes Air Show" several hundred pix are now up from various photographers.

Damon Duran's excellent profile is also on Flickr http://www.flickr.com/photos/39927206@N08/sets/72157621971660100/