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TRIPLE PLAY OF EVENTS

*Join ARF in January for **Comedy Night**, **Stars to the Rescue XXI** and
World Series 2011 – A Champ’s Perspective*

WALNUT CREEK, California – December 8, 2011 – Tony La Russa’s Animal Rescue Foundation (ARF) has lined up an All-Star weekend with three fun-filled events in January! Please join host Tony La Russa at Leshar Center for the Arts in Walnut Creek for ARF’s trio of exciting entertainment.

Give the gift of laughter this holiday season and help the animals too! Thanks to last year's rousing success, ARF has added **Comedy Night** to the lineup on Friday, January 6. Hosted by Mark Pitta, the evening will star funny man George Lopez, with more to come.

ARF’s 21st annual presentation of **Stars to the Rescue** on Saturday, January 7 is not to be missed. Scheduled to appear at this fabulous evening of music and entertainment is five time Grammy winning country music star Wynonna, multi-talented entertainer George Lopez, whose career encompasses television, film and standup comedy, and vocalist Jeff Scott Soto. Additional performers will be announced as they confirm their participation.

Enjoy the thrill of the baseball season at **World Series 2011 – A Champ’s Perspective** on Sunday, January 8, with live commentary from World Champion Manager Tony La Russa, as he takes you through the race to October and the excitement of the nail-biting World Series battle between the St. Louis Cardinals and the Texas Rangers.

Comedy Night

Friday, January 6, 2012 7:30 p.m.
\$35 • \$75 Premium seating

Stars to the Rescue XXI

Saturday, January 7, 2012 7:00 p.m.
\$75 • \$100 • \$250 VIP Premium seating and reception following show

World Series 2011 — A Champ's Perspective

Sunday, January 8, 2012 6:00 p.m.
\$25 • \$125 Premium seating and reception following show

All events at Leshar Center for the Arts in Walnut Creek, California. Tickets available now at 925.943.SHOW. Check www.arf.net for ongoing updates. Order today – tickets are expected to sell out quickly! Proceeds support ARF’s lifesaving programs.

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