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JOHN ASCUAGA'S NUGGET EMPLOYEES RAISE \$37,612 FOR THE UNITED WAY

In their annual fundraising campaign for the United Way, employees at John Ascuaga's Nugget raised \$37,612. The majority of the funds were direct contributions from employees. About \$1,500 was raised through employee fundraisers like bake sales and poker tournaments. The campaign took place from mid-April through mid-May this year.

"I am honored to work in a business that values community involvement," Terry Maine, employee relations manager and Nugget United Way coordinator, said. "It's amazing to see the employees come together for a common goal...living united."

John Ascuaga's Nugget is one of the few family-owned casino resorts left in the country. Founded as a coffee shop with a few slot machines on March 17, 1955, John Ascuaga has built the Nugget into a world-class, full-service gaming resort destination.