



RELAC *newsletter*

Over 50 Years of Dedicated Service to L.A. County Retirees

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President's Message

by David Muir

I'm writing this just a few days before Thanksgiving and thinking about how thankful I am for the great retiree health care program we all enjoy. There was some interesting information about our health care program at a recent Board of Retirement meeting. The chart below shows how dramatically insurance premiums have risen in the private health insurance arena. Thank goodness we do not have to get our health insurance that way!

Workers in the private sector have seen their contributions for health insurance increase 212% over the past 15 years. For those of us with at least 25 years county service, we don't even pay for our health insurance. For those who are required to pay a premium, increases have been modest compared to what private sector workers have been subjected to. Premium increases in the LACERA health care program have stayed in the low single digits for the last seven years. Deductibles in the private insurance market have increased 47% over the past five years, while our deductibles have not increased at all during that period. Let's all give thanks for a truly wonderful health care program!

As we move into 2015, I'm looking forward to another great year as your RELAC President. Our Annual Recognition Luncheon at the Almansor Court will take place on January 29, 2015. We will have great entertainment by the Hyland Band featuring vocalist Jennifer Gates. Our keynote speaker this year is Gregg Rademacher, LACERA's Chief Executive Officer, who will be speaking about the state of LACERA. I hope many of you will be able to attend.

On behalf of RELAC's Board of Directors, I send you the very best wishes for good health, prosperity, and happiness in 2015 and beyond.



Inside the Newsletter

RELAC's Annual Recognition Luncheon is happening on January 29. Registrations must be in by January 20. You won't want to miss it. LACERA's CEO Gregg Rademacher will be the featured speaker. The food is fine and we are all happy to spend time with former colleagues. Entertainment is provided by the Hyland Band and vocalist Jennifer Gates. All the information is **on page three**. So is the registration form.

RELAC members will be asked to vote on proposed increases in dues. The vote will be taken at the **General Membership Meeting to be held in Torrance on February 24**. **On page four** you will find a full explanation of the need for the proposed increases and on the precise language of the bylaws amendment to be voted upon is **on page six**. The program planned for the meeting and its exact location can be found **on the back page**.

Things are going well with our retirement funds. **LACERA's investments** are paying off. The numbers are provided for you in the Investments Board article on **page two**.

Also on page two you learn about **RELAC's institution of seminars** for those Los Angeles County employees nearing retirement. Two seminars have been held thus far and each one was well attended. The seminars aim at helping employees prepare for retirement. They also provide information about RELAC and attract new members.



Investments Board

by Diane Sandoval
 Retiree Representative,
 LACERA Board of Investments
 with contribution by Gregg Rademacher,
 LACERA CEO



The Board of Investments is dedicated to protecting and providing your promised benefit. Our previous update highlighted how our investment portfolio performed strongly during the fiscal year by posting a 16.8% return. We all know some years are better than others and it is very rewarding to have a very good investment year! The plan actuary uses this information to calculate how much the working employees and the County need to contribute into the retirement plan every payroll period and to measure the retirement system's financial health. The actuary's report is hot off the press and the news is good! The strong investment returns over the past two fiscal years have really improved our financial health outlook. As of June 30, 2014, the actuary reports our retirement system climbed to 79% funded. Considering we recently survived one of the most difficult investment downturns since the 20th Century, I am glad to see our financial health on the upswing. Many public employee retirement system consultants consider a plan with an 80% funding level to be in good health and sustainable over the long term. Are you ready for some more good news? The actuary's report also noted we can expect to reach nearly 90% funding in the next few years if we continue to meet our 7.5% long term investment return assumption. In practical terms this means we have in the bank all the money needed to pay you and all the current retirees, all the money contributed by the currently working employees plus interest, and about one-quarter of the money which needs to be contributed by the employer. And fortunate for us California State Law requires the employer to make good on their benefit promises and they are contributing additional funds to bring the retirement system to 100% funded.

The Board of Investments uses a diversified investment strategy to ensure all of our "retirement nest eggs" are not in one basket. This helps us weather poor investment markets, manage the effects of inflation, and reap the rewards when the times are good. Here is a snapshot of how our portfolio was positioned at the beginning of November 2014:

US Equity (public stocks)	26%
Non-US Equity (public stocks)	25%
Private Equity (private stocks)	9%
Fixed Income (bonds)	23%
Real Estate	11%
Commodities	3%
Hedge Funds	1%
Cash	2%

Stay healthy and enjoy your well earned retirement. Thank you for your continued support.



Membership/ Recruitment News

by Jason H. Williams, Chair
 Membership/Recruitment
 Committee



The committee recruited over 270 new RELAC members in 2014 - far short of our goal of 1,000 new members. But the good news is that in 2015 we expect a much better year recruiting new members for the following reasons:

Our committee will work more closely with both LACERA and the Los Angeles County Management Council (LACMC) on overall recruitment strategy;

Our committee will consider conducting additional pre-retirement seminars for LA County employees planning to retire in venues close to where they work outside of the LA civic center area.

The first two free seminars, conducted on **October 7 and November 13, 2014**, have given RELAC lots of exposure since: (1) the two approved Board of Supervisors motions granting us use of County space also asked that LA County department heads ***with employees in the Los Angeles civic center and planning to retire*** email their employees about the seminar and (2) ***many of the seminar attendees had never heard about RELAC whose primary goals are to preserve and protect retirees' pension and medical benefits.***

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Leslie Caldwell, representing Great-West Financial Services, discusses the advantages of Horizons and why advance retirement planning gives retirees a significant financial advantage.



Attendees take notes during a presentation by LACERA's Stephanie Kawai at RELAC's October 7, 2014 Pre-Retirement Seminar.

Photos by Jason Williams

RELAC Annual Recognition Luncheon

January 29, 2015

Almanson Court, Alhambra, CA



KEYNOTE SPEAKER: Gregg Rademacher
LACERA Chief Executive Officer

ALSO FEATURED WILL BE THE BILL HYLAND BAND
WITH VOCALS BY JENNIFER GATES
THE COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT COLOR GUARD WILL PRESENT THE FLAGS

All members and their spouses and guests are invited to RELAC's Annual Recognition Luncheon being held Thursday, January 29, 2015, Almanson Court, 700 South Almanson Street, Alhambra, CA. Meal costs are being subsidized 50% by RELAC.

Choice of entrees – Pancetta Oven-Roasted Chicken or Prime Rib of Beef with salad and dessert \$15.00 per luncheon ticket - tax and tip included. **Tickets to be picked up at the door.**

No Host Cocktail Hour 10:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. • Luncheon and Program 12:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.
Free Parking

Come make new friends - Have a good time!

RESERVATION FORM

Annual Recognition Luncheon • January 29, 2015 • Almanson Court, Alhambra, CA

Member _____

Spouse/Guest _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Guests(s) _____

(Attach additional sheets if necessary)

A. Pancetta Oven-Roasted Chicken

Member/Spouse _____ \$15.00/ea \$ _____
Guest(s) _____ \$15.00/ea \$ _____
TOTAL A \$ _____

B. Prime Rib of Beef

Member/Spouse _____ \$15.00/ea \$ _____
Guest(s) _____ \$15.00/ea \$ _____
TOTAL B \$ _____

TOTAL ENCLOSED \$ _____

Make check/money order payable to "RELAC" and mail to:
RELAC

1000 So. Fremont Ave., Unit 15, Alhambra, CA 91803-8802

NO LATER THAN JANUARY 20, 2015

We regret we are unable to refund payments on cancellations received after January 22, 2015.

Bylaws Amendment to Increase Dues To Be Voted On At February 24, 2015 General Membership Meeting

Members will be asked to vote on a dues increase at the General Membership Meeting to be held on February 24, 2015. Approval of the dues increase was originally scheduled to be voted on at the December 2014 meeting, but action on the proposal was postponed due to a technical error in the text of the Bylaws amendment. The increase in dues would take effect in March 2015.

RELAC last increased its monthly membership dues in September 2000. That was over 14 years ago! Since then, we have seen increases in costs for just about everything we do for our members. For example:

Office rent increased from \$30,000 to \$59,000 in 2014, a 92% increase.

Insurance costs increased from \$12,800 to \$34,400 in 2014, a 169% increase.

Services and supplies expenses increased from \$30,000 to \$59,000 in 2014, a 102% increase.

First class postage in 2000 was \$0.34. Today it is \$0.49. That has driven up the cost of mailing our newsletters which our members value so much.

On an annual basis, regular member dues will increase from \$24/year to \$30/yr. Affiliate member dues will also increase to \$30/year in recognition that affiliates receive all the same benefits that regular members receive. Associate Member dues will increase from \$6/year to \$12/year.

As we all know, public pensions and retiree health benefits are under continual attack. RELAC must remain strong and ready to vigorously oppose any attempts to reduce our benefits. Accordingly, RELAC has built up a sizable litigation and advocacy reserve to defend against any attacks in the future. Under the current dues structure, the Board of Directors has found it necessary to dip into the reserves in order to maintain the current level of services our members enjoy. The proposed dues increase will allow us to continue to provide a robust program and remain strong and well equipped to fend off any attack on our benefits we may be faced with in the future.

The RELAC Board of Directors strongly urges our members to approve the modest dues increase that would be implemented by the proposed Bylaws amendments.

The text of the proposed Bylaws amendment is found on page six.

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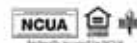
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REGIONAL ACTIVITIES/ SPECIAL EVENTS

by Diane Sandoval
Chair, Regional Support/Special
Events Committee



HAPPY NEW YEAR – I survived the busy holidays!! I hope you are ready for a busy 2015. RELAC has an exciting year planned for you. Please plan to attend all or at least one of our events this year. We enjoy visiting with each of you and appreciate your support.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS:

ANNUAL RECOGNITION LUNCHEON – JANUARY 29, 2015

Our Recognition Luncheon is one of the highlights of the year. Our 2015 Board Officers will be introduced. We also take this opportunity to recognize our volunteers who take time out of their busy schedule to organize many of our events, including our golf tournaments and RV outings. This year RELAC is honored to have Gregg Rademacher, LACERA Chief Executive Officer, as our keynote speaker. I am sure he will share some interesting facts about changes that have taken place at LACERA. As in past years, the LA County Sheriff's Department's Color Guard will present the flags. The Bill Hyland Band featuring Jennifer Gates will provide entertainment. **Please plan to attend.** The menu, additional details and reservation form are provided on **page three**. Luncheon tickets are only \$15.00 per person, the same price as last year. **The reservation deadline is January 20, 2015.** RELAC regrets we are unable to refund payments on cancellations received after **January 22, 2015.**

LANCASTER LUNCHEON MEETING – March 31, 2015

This meeting will be held at the Lancaster Moose Lodge, 44545 Division Street, Lancaster, CA 93535. Tickets will be \$15.00 - a delicious buffet luncheon will be served. The Committee is in the process of arranging a speaker from Kaiser who will speak on a subject relevant to issues we face in our golden years.

Yes we will have door prizes! A meeting isn't a meeting without door prizes. Perhaps you will be the lucky holder of a winning raffle ticket. Please plan to attend and visit with your neighbors and catch up with co-workers of years past. Be sure to look for the reservation form on **page five**. **The reservation deadline is March 19, 2015.**

REMAINDER OF 2015

The Committee is planning to hold a meeting in Huntington Beach at the Huntington Beach Library and Cultural Center sometime in July and is considering holding a meeting at one of the casinos in the Palm Springs area in the fall. **Stay Tuned!!** Additional details will be included in future issues of our newsletter.

Reservation Form LANCASTER REGIONAL LUNCHEON MEETING March 31, 2015

Lancaster Moose Lodge
44545 Division Street, Lancaster, CA 93535

Name(s) _____

Address _____

City _____ St. _____ Zip _____

Cost of Luncheon - \$15.00 per person x _____ = \$ _____
(Tickets to be picked up at door)

Doors open at 11:00 a.m. – Program begins at 11:30 a.m.

Make check/money order payable to "RELAC" and mail to:
RELAC

1000 So. Fremont Ave., Unit 15
Alhambra, CA 91803-89802

Reservation Deadline - March 19, 2015

We are interested in what you want to hear about at RELAC's Regional Meetings. Please call the RELAC office with your suggestions. Tell us the subjects you are interested in and we will do our best to accommodate your requests. We'd love to hear from you. Thank you for your past and continued support.



Help Us Help You

**Know any County retirees who are not members of RELAC?
Encourage them to join.**

Or, just give us their names and addresses and we will take it from there. Our contact information is inside the newsletter - call, write or email. Whatever is easiest for you!

Keeping RELAC strong is the best way to protect your medical and retirement benefits. And strength comes in numbers.

Membership continued from p. 2

The seminars were held in the LA County Hall of Administration's Treasurer/Tax Collector's Training Room and the Board of Supervisors Hearing Room. Over 120 County employees attended each seminar and several signed up as new members. **Speakers at the seminars represented the most important elements to Los Angeles County employees' retirement planning:**

LACERA
Great West - Financial (Horizons)
Social Security

Pacific Group Agencies (supplemental insurance for vision, pet, travel, etc.)

RELAC
Retired Employees of LA County
PROPOSED BYLAWS AMENDMENT
TO INCREASE DUES
Feb. 24, 2015

Section 8 of Article II (Membership) is amended to read as follows:

Section 8 – Dues

(a) Regular Members: The dues for regular members shall be \$30.00 per calendar year, to be paid at the rate of \$2.50 per month through retirement payroll deduction authorized under procedures established by LACERA and other County departments as may be necessary. Notwithstanding the foregoing, any regular member who, as of January 1, 2015, was paying less than \$24.00 per year shall be grandfathered and shall be exempt from any dues increase approved after January 1, 2015.

(b) Associate Members: The dues for associate members shall be \$12.00 per calendar year, payable at the rate of \$1.00 per month through retirement payroll deduction authorized under procedures established by LACERA and other County departments as may be necessary.

(c) Affiliate Members: The dues for affiliate members shall be \$30.00 per year, payable on or before January 1 of each year. Notwithstanding the foregoing, dues payable upon joining shall be prorated at the rate of \$2.50 per month.

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Bill Fujioka Decides to Retire After More Than 39 Years of Public Service

by Jason H. Williams
 Chair, Membership/Recruitment Committee

William "Bill" T Fujioka, the former Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of Los Angeles County, was honored at his retirement celebration on November 6, 2014 at the Sheraton Universal Hotel. Over 1,200 guests attended including members of the County Board of Supervisors, department heads, elected officials and RELAC Board members.

Bill, who has more than 39 years of public service, was responsible for managing the largest county government in the nation with a budget of approximately \$23 billion and over 100,000 employees serving the 10 million residents within its borders. In addition, the CEO is responsible for countywide policy and program leadership in a variety of service areas including health and social services, public safety, community and municipal services, recreation and the arts.

Mr. Fujioka has been a good friend to RELAC having been keynote speaker at several of RELAC's events and he has paved the way for our Membership/Recruitment Committee to access LA County departments in order to grow our membership. In appreciation of Bill's public service, RELAC presented him with a Waterford crystal clock (see photo) bearing his name and RELAC's logo.



At his retirement party CEO Fujioka is the one who is standing second from the right. With Bill are members of the RELAC Board of Directors. The clock in the second photo is the clock which was RELAC's retirement gift.



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Golf News

By *Gil Sandoval*
RELAC Golf Director



Diamond Bar Golf Tournament December 1, 2014

We had a real winter day as we had a bit of rain and cool winds which made play difficult. Mike Barreras won the "A" flight shooting the only net subpar round of the day with a net 70. Three strokes back in 2nd place was Michael Hernandez and in 3rd place John Madrid who edged out Tony Asuncion in a card off. They both had net 75's.

The "B" flight was a tight match as Miguel Ortiz-Marroquin won with a net 76. He was followed closely by Al Kelly who took 2nd with a net 77. Only one back in 3rd was Rex Loughran with a net 78.

Mike Zabaro won the "C" flight with a net 83. He easily out distanced Jose Cancel's net of 88 which placed him 2nd. Art Moronez took 3rd with a net 93. It was not an easy day for those in the "C" flight.

Marjorie Stevens-Kelly played better than most of the men to win the Ladies Flight. Since she was the only woman, her net 76 looks great.

I am sad to report the loss of one of the "Good Guys" as Burr Prentiss lost his long battle with Cancer. Those of us who knew him were truly blessed. Please pray for the repose of his soul and to give his family peace through these difficult holidays. "Rest well my Friend." Some good news, Richard Duran is recovering well from his health problems and is itching to play as soon as possible.

Diamond Bar Results:

"A" Flight Winner (19 and Under)

1st Mike Barreras (70)
2nd Michael Hernandez (73)
3rd John Madrid (75)*

"B" Flight (20-27 Handicaps)

1st M. Ortiz-Marroquin (76)
2nd Al Kelly (77)
3rd Rex Loughran (78)

"C" Flight (28 up Handicaps)

1st Mike Zabaro (83)
2nd Jose Cancel (88)
3rd Art Moronez (93)

Women's Flight

1st Marjorie Stevens-Kelly (76)

**Winner in a card off*

Closest to the Pin on Par 3's

Men:
3 - Mike Barreras
9 - Rex Loughran
#13 - Benny Martinez
#17 - Al Kelly

Women:
3 - No Winner
9 - No Winner
#13 - No Winner
#17 - Marjorie Stevens-Kelly

NEXT TOURNAMENT
MONDAY, JANUARY 26, 2015
Los Amigos Golf Course, 8:00 a.m. Start
Entry must be received by January 8, 2015

RELAC Golf Entry Form



Los Amigos Golf Course
7295 Quill Drive
Downey, CA 90242

Monday, January 26, 2015

8:00 a.m. Start

Please Print

1. Name _____

Address _____

City _____ Zip _____

Phone _____

Fees: \$32.00 PER GOLFER - CART EXTRA

If possible, place me in a foursome with below listed golfers. Addresses of all golfers MUST be included.

If possible, we would prefer an
Early _____ Late _____ starting time.

2. Name _____

Address _____

City _____ Zip _____

Phone _____

3. Name _____

Address _____

City _____ Zip _____

Phone _____

4. Name _____

Address _____

City _____ Zip _____

Phone _____

NOTE: Only ONE GUEST per member.
Enclose check for ____ golfers @ \$32 per Golfer. Make checks payable to RELAC. Mail entry to RELAC, 1000 So. Fremont Ave., #15, Alhambra, CA 91803-8802

Entry Deadline
January 08, 2015
ALL CHECKS MUST BE
IN RELAC OFFICE

Members Spotlight



LOS ANGELES COUNTY RETIRED MARSHALS 2015 LUNCHEON SCHEDULE

January 7, 2015

Black Bear Cafe

7005 Knot Avenue, Buena Park

February 4, 2015

Matt Denny's

145 East Huntington Drive, Arcadia

March 4, 2015

Marino's Italian Restaurant

17126 Bellflower Blvd., Bellflower

April 1, 2015

Villa Tepeyac Mexican Restaurant

2200 East Garvey Blvd., West Covina

May 6, 2015

North Woods Inn

14305 Firestone Blvd., La Mirada

June 3, 2015

Yang Chow Chinese Restaurant

3777 East Colorado Blvd., Pasadena

July 1, 2015

Damon's Restaurant

317 North Brand Ave., Glendale

August 5, 2015

Elephant Bar

12002 Lakewood Blvd., Downey

September 2, 2015

Matt Denny's

145 East Huntington Drive, Arcadia

October 7, 2015

Marino's Italian Restaurant

17126 Bellflower Blvd., Bellflower

November 4, 2015

North Woods Inn

14305 Firestone Blvd., La Mirada

December 2, 2015

Villa Tepeyac Mexican Restaurant

2200 East Garvey Blvd., West Covina

Valentine Drawing

Attention All RELAC Members!!!

It's that time of year again. In a gesture of our appreciation for your continued support, all members are eligible for a Special Valentine Drawing of 40 prizes - \$25.00 each. To participate, complete the coupon below and mail it to the RELAC Office, 1000 South Fremont Avenue, Unit 15, Alhambra, CA 91803-8802. Coupons must be received no later than February 5, 2015.

Valentine Drawing

Name _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____

Zip _____

Please Print Clearly

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Inside LA County

by Judy Hammond
Member, RELAC Board of Directors

Elections are over and the Board of Supervisors again has two women members with Sheila Kuehl's victory over Bobby Shriver. There are a lot of familiar faces in Kuehl's office as she hired many of her predecessor's aides, as well as several from other Board offices. Supervisor Zev Yaroslavsky's Children's Deputy Lisa Mandel is Kuehl's Chief Deputy, and Press Deputy Joel Bellman continues in that role. Also staying are Maria Chong-Castillo, Genie Chough, David Colgan, Kieu-Anh King, Elan Shultz, Susan Nissman, and Lourdes Arevalo. Other staff members include Nicole Englund, former aide to Supervisor Gloria Molina; Sylvia Drew Ivie, formerly with Supervisor Mark Ridley-Thomas; and two staffers in the Board's Executive Office, Moses Ledesma and Gilbert Valle.

Yaroslavsky's Chief Deputy Alisa Katz retired, as did staffers Lori Wheeler and Regina Marquez (who agreed to stay until January to assist in the transition). Flora Gil Krisiloff went to Mental Health, Lennie Laguire to Public Works, Vivian Rescalvo to the Metropolitan Transportation Authority, Benita Trujillo to the Registrar-Recorder's and Joel Sappell to the Chief Executive Office.

Yaroslavsky, when asked by a reporter why he never ran for LA Mayor, said he had more power as a Supervisor. "I'm a big fan of checks and balances, but once you've been in a job that has no checks and balances, you kind of get spoiled!" He said the three best local government jobs in America are Mayor of New York, Mayor of Chicago and LA County Supervisor.

The appointment of Board Executive Officer Sachi Hamai as interim Chief Executive Officer to replace retired Bill Fujioka caught many by surprise. The expectation was that Fujioka's Chief Deputy Brence Culp would serve as interim. Culp had publicly said she would like to become the next CEO. Only days later the newly-constituted Board said it would no longer name individuals who might be candidates for department head openings to serve as interims to ensure a level playing field in the recruitment and selection process. The names of Los Angeles Chief Administrative Officer Miguel Santana and Deputy CEO Santos Kreimann have surfaced as possible candidates, but the Board said it wants to do a national search. In his departing message, Fujioka advised the Board to expect increased pressure from unions, and urged them to avoid the tendency to micromanage staff and to be careful about the proposal to scale back the authority of the next CEO.

Voters narrowly chose Jeffrey Prang over John Morris to become the new Assessor, overwhelmingly selected Jim McDonnell over Paul Tanaka as Sheriff, and rejected the continuation of a \$23 per parcel property tax for parks, cultural and recreational facilities, beaches and wildlife areas.

Supervisor Mike Antonovich is the new County Mayor (other members use the term "Chair," but Antonovich has always opted to be called Mayor since the Board passed a motion years ago creating the title). Elected pro tem Chair of the Board of Supervisors was new Supervisor Hilda Solis, meaning she will automatically become Chair in December 2015.

Antonovich says his Chief Deputy Kathryn Barger-Leibrich is his preferred successor when term limits require him to retire in 2016. Leibrich, who was said to be caught off guard by Antonovich's announcement, said she will make a decision about running by January.

Jim Adams, assistant CEO of the Benefits, Compensation Policy and Employee Relations Section, is set to retire January 9, after delaying his original November 2014 departure date. Tim Braden, General Manager of Internal Services Department's Facilities Operations Services, and Deputy District Attorney Victoria Pasternack have retired. John Krattli, who retired as County



Counsel in 2014, and his wife have moved to the Monterey area to be close to their eldest daughter, also an attorney, and three young grandchildren.

Laurel Karabian, former member of the County Arts Commission and Director of Development for Los Angeles Philharmonic, has died at age 60. Walter Edward Garrison, former Chief Engineer and General Manager of the Sanitation Districts, died at age 92.

John Naimo is the new Auditor-Controller, replacing retired Wendy Watanabe, and John Kelly is acting Treasurer-Tax Collector following the selection of Mark Saladino as the new County Counsel.

The County has agreed to a wide-ranging redesign of its jails to accommodate disabled inmates, settling a six-year lawsuit. Supervisors approved \$40.9 million to open three 24-hour psychiatric urgent care units to allow police to bring people with mental health issues there instead of emergency rooms or jail.

Hoping to attract a younger and more diverse audience, the Music Center will offer more varied performances, including a week-long hip-hop festival.

Supervisors approved the initial \$125 million of funding for a proposed \$600-million building for the County Museum of Art, which architectural critics say would be a landmark on the level of Walt Disney Concert Hall. Billionaire Jerry Perenchio's pledge of his \$500 million art collection is contingent on the construction of the building.

Monitors will be used to oversee hiring by the County Fire Department to ensure decisions are made on merit instead of relationship to current firefighters.

A master plan is being prepared to create a 1,200-acre regional park on the former Puente Hills Landfill site in the Hacienda Heights area.

Supervisors have approved what was described as an ambitious plan to modernize Marina del Rey.

New namesakes: Gloria Molina Medical Pavilion at County+USC Medical Center, Zev Yaroslavsky Family Support Center in San Fernando Valley, William T Fujioka Olive Court in Grand Park.

The Office of Small Business and the Small Business Commission were transferred to the Department of Consumer Affairs and renamed the Department of Consumer and Business Affairs.



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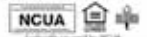


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Baca, Lorraine

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Wiggins, Susan

Fire

Domingo, Fidencio D. Sr.

Scott, Dale

Health Services

Are, Esther

Matteson-Ryan, Shirley

Human Resources

Howland, Travis

Parks and Recreation

Guerrero, James

Probation

Wright, Carrie B.

Public Health

Mark, Patricia

Public Library

Williams, Rachael H.

Public Social Services

Fisher, Sharon I.

Rodriguez, Myrna

Public Works

Cain, Gaile

Sheriff

Avila, Steven

Cathcart, Sharon Y.

Cruz, Daniel

McBurney, Barbara

Sells, Richard R.

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Grant, Wanda

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Peinado, Epifanio

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Smith, Mia

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Buckner, Richard

Chisholm, Frederick

Escobar, Juan M.

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Lear, Brian

Leonard, Teresa

Lieras, Maria

Mange, Sandra

McGee, James

Migliaro, Deborah

Nguyen, Cuong

Pettigrew, Judith

Rizzo, Karen

Rodriguez, Liza

Rosato, Ralph

Schwartz, Roberta

Solis, Sandra

Telander, Stephanie

Vieyra, Marina

Williams, Brenda J.

New Associate Members

Armendariz, William

Arranaga, Carla

Avila, Mary K.

Barcenas, Daniel

Cruz, Kristy M.

Domingo, Gregoria E.

Guerrero, Connie L.

Hartfield, Laura H.

Howland, Aleta

Pettigrew, Craig

Rosato, Jill

Smith, Patrick

RV Outing Notes

by Ed Clifton
 Coordinator of the RV Club
 and Jeanne Klauk,
 Assistant Coordinator of the RV Club



From Jeanne: October found the RV Group in Indio - not a large group this time, but boy did we have fun. Since Chickee lists those attending her outings, I am going to copy her idea and list ours: Ron and Betsy Morgon, Gilbert and Eloise Cardiel (pretty new members), Fred Wineberg, Randy Forney, Dorie Fregeau (my mother), Shirley and Don Egbert, Mike and Veronica Reyes, and me, Jeanne. Monday we started out the day with two games of Whoopee - our dice game - with lots of mysteriously wrapped goodies. We invited the RV office staff to join us and they too, had a lot of fun stealing from one another after all the "gifts" were taken from the table. It really brings out the very worst in people as they hide or hoard their goodies.

Monday's hors d'oeuvres were exquisite as usual. We had been fearful that we would not have enough to eat but food was plentiful. My favorite was Betsy's skewered artichoke, grape tomato and fresh mozzarella cheese pounded into a half head of purple cabbage. You had to really work to remove the skewers. We all were plenty full by evening's end.

Tuesday morn found us with a lovely breakfast of bacon, sausage, eggs, hash browns, baked French toast casserole, fruit and, of course, coffee and juice. Since the weather was a little toasty, we convened in the clubhouse for cards. This trip we played mostly 3-13 which can accommodate many players. At one point we had so many players we had to use three decks of cards. Veronica kept a very methodical account of our score, eliminating any chance of cheating.

Tuesday evening we convened again for food. We were surprised with a coaster for each of us at our table. These were provided by Ron and Betsy - and were a cool gift! They are made of tile and embellished with "RELAC 2014 Indio". A wonderful memento to treasure. I am keeping mine by my computer so I remember the fun time we had on this outing. After the

potluck was over the 50/50 drawing was won by me, Jeanne. The gas card was won by Don Egbert. Thanks RELAC for donating the gas card.

So, Wednesday morning we had another great breakfast. Then we played cards most of the day. We had our dinner out at Roc's Firehouse Grille. It serves a nice variety of good food and we managed to fill up. We again convened in the clubhouse for cards. I sneaked my dog in as I felt very guilty for abandoning her all day. She was very good and we sneaked out the back way so the staff wouldn't see us.

In the morning Don Egbert took one of his cool solar light crafts and gave it to the office staff. These are really nice lights with different critters on top of short little logs with a solar light on top. Mine has turtles, of course.

So - if you have an RV rig come and join us - we really do have a lot of fun.

From Ed: By the time you are reading this Christmas will be over so Jeanne and myself hope you had a very Merry Christmas and are looking forward to an enjoyable and Happy New Year. Following is a list of the 2015 outings that are scheduled for the club. The date in parentheses will be the early day:

- January (11) 12-13-14, 2015 - Pechanga RV Resort, Temecula, CA
 Wagonmasters: Al and Diana Medina
- March (22) 23-24-25, 2015 - Banning Stagecoach KOA, Banning, CA
 Wagonmasters: Fred Weinberg and Randy Fortney
- May (17) 18-19-20, 2015 - Flying Flags RV Resort, Buellton, CA
 Wagonmasters: Mike and Bob Reyes
- September (13) 14-15-16, 2015 - Chula Vista RV Resort, Chula Vista, CA
 Wagonmaster: Jeanne Klauk
- October (18) 19-20-21, 2015 - Shadow Hills RV Resort, Indio, CA
 Wagonmasters: Ron and Betsy Morgon

Please see the coupon to the left for our March outing in Banning. If you have any questions give me a call at 562-428-3360. If I am not home, leave a message and I will get back to you.



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Letters To The Editor

Thank you very much for the card. The year really flew. Hopefully I will be at the December General Membership Meeting in Carson to thank you personally. Wishing all of you the best.

Jeanette Hays
Harbor City, CA

Thank you for sending me a birthday card and a 2015-2016 pocket calendar. I appreciate receiving them. Since I am 94, I am not paying dues but I am receiving valuable information from RELAC. I would like to help so I am enclosing a check for \$50.00. Thanks again.

Bill Barbour
Thousand Oaks, CA

I truly value the excellent work you at RELAC do. Praise God, you are doing well with the funds you are asked to care for. Thanks for the great 2015-2016 calendar. May you have a joyous holiday season! Best regards.

Eileen Smith
Rio Vista, CA

Thank you RELAC Board of Directors and Officers for my pocket calendar. I am very grateful for all your hard work. I hope you have a blessed and happy holiday season!

Dolores Parrish
Diamond Bar, CA

Thank you very much for the pocket calendar. It is a real help to me each year. I appreciate that RELAC staff and Board Members remember past Los Angeles County workers.

Ellen Smith
Livermore, CA

Thanks so much for the 2015-2016 pocket calendar. I use it every day. Cheers!

Fay Angus
Sierra Madre, CA

Thank you for my "pocket calendar". I look forward to receiving it annually. Despite the technology of today, this 18-month compact paper volume is the yearly repository of my life. Thank you again.

Kathleen Rivet
Covina, CA

I am eternally grateful for your kindness and generosity!

Albertha Handy
Compton, CA

Letters continued bottom of next column

Marilyn Lewis, RELAC Office Manager, Retires

*by Pat Koulos
Board Secretary*



Marilyn Lewis, our Office Manager, is calling it quits after 14 years of dedicated service to RELAC and its members. Marilyn has been a valuable asset and an enjoyable presence in the office as well. We are really going to miss her! But, she is eager to spend more time with family and friends and catch up on the traveling she so enjoys.

Marilyn joined the Agricultural Commissioner right out of high school in 1957, worked for Supervisors Baxter Ward and Pete Schabarum, the Music Commission and ended her 37-year County career at the Coroner's Office. While there, she established the popular "Skeletons in the Closet" Gift Shop and was featured in People Magazine. She considers this to be one of her greatest achievements and certainly her greatest challenge.

We wish you much happiness Marilyn and hope that you will keep in touch and continue to attend RELAC events.



Marilyn Lewis is seen holding the cake at her retirement party while backed by members of the RELAC Board of Directors.



Letters Continued

Thank you all for the lovely birthday card. I do appreciate all you do for the retirees and for your remembrances.

Evelyn Lee
Ventura, CA

I really appreciate you sending me a pocket calendar. Don't know what I would do without it and you at RELAC too.

Rita Lockridge
Westminster, CA

News From LACERA

by JJ Popowich
Assistant Executive Officer

It's that time of year when we all reflect on what we're thankful for and on the joy of the holiday season. Personally I am thankful for my beautiful wife, my awesome daughter, all of the staff here at LACERA and for you. After all you, the reader of these newsletters, are what this job is all about. Everyone at LACERA knows our mission is to Produce, Provide, and Protect the Promised Benefit – and we do it all for you. So thank you for this opportunity to serve you. I hope that everyone is enjoying the holiday season and that you all have a very happy and healthy new year.

The beginning of the year is a great time to share some annual reminders. First up is the annual reminder that we mail the 2014 1099-R forms on January 30th. Please allow five to 10 business days for the mail to reach you. The 1099-R forms will also be available to you on our member only section of laceracom – My LACERA. It does take us a week or so to get all the 1099-R imaged but usually by mid-February you can log into My LACERA and print a copy if you need one. This is often quicker than calling and asking us for a copy – of course you can still do that any time.

This is also a good time of year to look over your information and make sure everything is up to date. LACERA now allows you to change your address, direct deposit, tax withholding instructions, and now submit beneficiary updates on line. I also encourage everyone to look at their beneficiary designations and make sure they are up to date and reflect your wishes. When checking your beneficiary designations please be sure to keep us informed of any address or phone number changes for your beneficiaries.

This is also a good time to let you know if you call us in December or January you may be asked to take part in a beta test of a new customer service survey process. As I mentioned, taking care of each of you is our primary mission. We are committed to checking in with members that contact us to see how our service is. We have been surveying members who call the Call Center for years by sending out paper surveys in the mail to randomly selected members. Fortunately we consistently exceed our service goal. However, the paper survey process is a bit cumbersome and there could be a several week delay between the time you call us and when you receive the survey in the mail.

In an effort to get more feedback in a timelier manner, we are testing out a new after call survey process where the specialist you speak with will ask you if you would like to take a short five question survey. If you agree we'll transfer you to our survey application where you can use your touchtone phone to let us know how we are doing. We are excited about this new process and if the beta test is successful we'll roll it out to all of our Call Center staff. The more feedback we get the more opportunities we have to improve the service we deliver. Plus when staff receives positive feedback it makes the job even more rewarding.

Well that's it for this month. Until we chat again I wish each of you the best health, happiness, and as much fun as you can get as you enjoy your retirement.



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Campbell, Paul D.
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Nagelvoort, Marczelia
Stern, Lesley

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Fire

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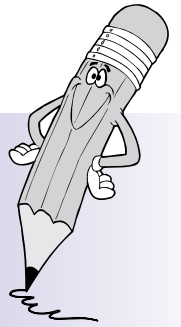
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