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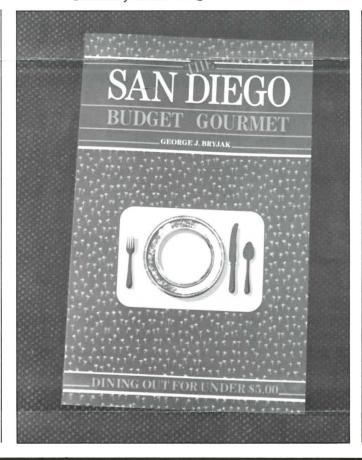
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Prof's book guide to cheap eats around San Diego

ooking for an inexpensive place to eat out on your next lunch break?

Consider Linda Vista Mexican Food, Carmen's Linda Vista Mexican Food, Pho Pasteur Restaurant or Real Gusto Seafood. Each restaurant is located in nearby Linda Vista, and each comes highly recommended by Dr. George Bryjak, assistant professor of sociology, whose recently published paper-back, "The San Diego Budget Gourmet-Dining Out for Under \$5," is a guide to budget restaurants throughout San Diego.





George Bryjak

Dr. Bryjak, sometimes accompanied by **Dr. Gary Macy**, associate professor of religious studies, spent five months sampling area restaurants while researching the book. He included reviews of 73 restaurants—ranging from such little known eateries as Perry's Cafe and Coo Coo Bottle n' Beef to such better known spots as the Spice Rack and World Famous.

The book is available in area bookstores. ■

Mark calendar for July 30

ark the date of Wednesday, July 30 on your calendar.

That's the date of the second annual **Staff Appre-**

ciation Picnic—an afternoon when the University's employees will get together for food and drink, music, prizes and other entertainment.

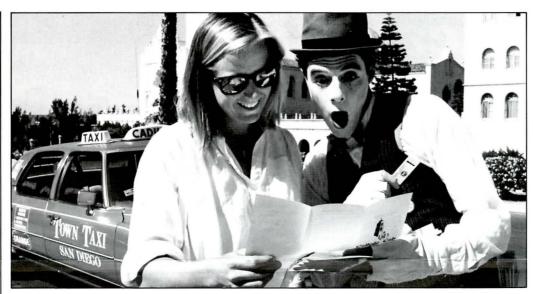
All employees—staff, administrators and faculty—are invited to attend and participate in the activities. The picnic will begin at noon at the grassy area east of Founders Hall.

"This is our once a year time when we pause from our daily schedules to say thank you to all of our employees who serve the University," says **Dr. Judith Munoz**, director of Human Resources.

A deejay, door prizes, presentation of staff service certificates and pins, and announcement of the University's 1986 Em-

ployee of the Year are among the activities planned. "We're also planning a few other surprises," according to **Calista Frank**, Human Resources coordinator of employment and training. As they did last year, administrators will cook and serve lunch.

For more information, contact Human Resources at ext. 4594. ■



Mime Jay Miller draws the attention of student Julie Barrett to a brochure explaining USD's new College Cab program for students.

Around Alcala Park

The **College of Arts and Sciences** recently received a \$50,000 grant from the Atlantic Richfield Foundation to purchase three pieces of equipment.

The liquid scintillation counter, UV/visible spectrophotometer and Sorvall ultracentrifuge rotor will enable faculty to more adequately introduce students to modern research techniques. The departments of biology, chemistry, physics, environmental studies, marine studies and the new electrical engineering program will benefit from the equipment.

The **School of Law** is working with San Diego Superior Court on an experimental teleconferencing project designed to save the courts, attorneys and

clients hundreds of thousands of dollars.

The experiment allows a judge to preside over certain types of hearings and other court proceedings by telephone. The equipment features four outside phone lines, enabling a judge to preside over a hearing with up to four attorneys.

According to law professor **Robert Simmons**, who conceived the project, teleconferencing eliminates the need for personal appearances by attorneys and their clients, thereby saving large amounts of money.

The **Student Affairs Office** and the **Associates Student Body** recently introduced "College Cab"—a free ride program for students in unsafe situations.

The program is believed to be the only one of its kind in the United States. It provides students with a free taxi cab ride any day or time if their car breaks down, they are in an uncomfortable date situation or they have had too much to drink.

USD contracted with Orange Cab Co. of San Diego to provide the rides at an estimated cost of \$1,000 to the University for the semester-long experiment.

The **English department** has inaugurated a tutoring program for elementary school students in southeast San Diego.

Thirty-three USD students are teaching English, reading and math to children at five elementary schools, according to **Sr. Betsy Walsh**, professor of English and program supervisor. Because of the program's success, she expects to continue the program next fall.

"To extend the possibility of the educational process to the poor and the marginalized members of society is the privilege and the responsibility of the Catholic university," Sr. Walsh says.

New staff, promotions

Welcome to the following new staff employees who recently joined the USD community:

Daniel Clark, secretary, Arts & Sciences; David Elliott, clerk, Mail Center: Susanne Fitzpatrick secretary, Law School; Carol Harpster, senior secretary, Housing; Michael Hove, gardener, Physical Plant; Ginny Hunter, clerical assistant, Controller; Julieta Pastor, technical assistant, Copley Library; Marguerite Peoples, media assistant, Media Center; Suzanne Sniffen, cashier, Controller: Debbie Vankinsbergen, duplicator operator, Print Shop.

Congratulations to the following staff employees who recently received promotions:

Katharine Berry, from technical assistant I to library assistant I, Copley Library; **Maria Rico** from technical assistant II to library assistant I, Copley Library. ■

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Who'll be employee of year?

t won't be long before **Renate Valois'** name has some company on the plaque hanging outside the Human Resources office in DeSales Hall.

The plaque honers USD's employee of the year. Valois, a secretary for the College of Arts and Sciences, was the first recipient of the award at last July's employee picnic.

Now a screening committee is reviewing the list of nominees for the 1986 award. The winner and three runners-up will be announced at the Staff Appreciation Picnic on July 30. (See separate story for picnic details.)

Passages

Birth

A daughter, Alexis Ann, to **Jonathan** (Mail Center) and **Gina Olsen** (Print Shop) on January 11, 1986.

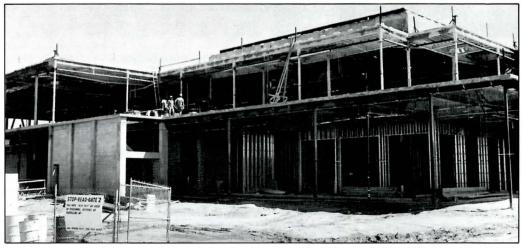
Deaths

Longtime Health Center nurse **Patty Neugebauer**, who had been ill and unable to work for a lengthy period, on December 24.

John McCabe, a professor in the School of Business Administration since 1965, on February 14.

Mrs. Alta Jones, mother of **Edith Wolcott**, secretary in the College of Arts and Sciences, in February.

Manuel Loza, father of **Silvia Killingsworth**, secretary in the School of Law, on March 20. ■



Construction of the \$10 million University Center is nearly 50 percent completed. The center is scheduled to open in the fall.

"These awards are a way to publicly recognize the dedication and effectiveness of the men and women who have responsibilities for USD's day-to-day operations," according to **Dr. Judith Munoz**, director of Human Resources.

The 1986 Employee of the Year will receive a gift and a personal plaque in addition to having his or her name added to the permanent plaque in DeSales. The top employee and runners-up will be invited to a luncheon with USD President **Author E. Hughes** later in the year.

Selection of the honorees will be based on job competence, dedication to the job, department and University; initiative and willingness to assume responsibility; relations with others; and exemplification of the values of the University.

The screening committee reviewing nominations submitted from administrators across campus includes **Dr. Iris Engstrand**, professor of history; **Sheldon Krantz**, dean, School of Law; Fr. Michael McKay, director, Campus Ministry; Joan Murry, director, Alumni Relations; John Trifiletti, residence director; Dr. Pat Watson, dean, Academic Services; John Zeterberg, director, Physical Plant; and Munoz.

The committee will submit the names of four finalists to a committee composed of Dr. Hughes, a USD trustee and a member of the Alumni Association.

Can you serve as a big brother?

By Lou Hassan

o you spend a few hours each week playing ball, visiting local attractions or just talking? Could you share some of those hours and activities with a youngster who has no parent to provide companionship or guidance?

The Big Brothers program, established in San Diego in 1961, pairs little brothers, boys aged 7-13 without a male parent in the home, with male adults in a one-to-one relationship to provide a role model while sharing activities. There is a companion program which matches girls aged 7-13 with an adult woman called The Little Sisters program.

The two programs provide adult companionship to 263 San Diego children. There are 200 children on a waiting list hoping to be similarly paired.

The Big Brothers organization conducts an extensive screening process before matching an adult and child. Consideration is given to geographical location of the two, common interests, preferred activities, personality and the child's family situation.

Human Resources has brochures with further details of the two programs. Stop by DeSales Hall 100 to pick one up. ■

Coming Up

MAY

Through May 23

All media exhibition featuring works of USD graduating art majors. Noon-5 p.m., Founders Gallery. Free. 260-4600, ext. 4261.

- 1 "An Omnibus Commentary on Contemporary Literature: Prophets Among Us." An informal look at contemporary novelists such as Alice Walker, Grace Paley and Louise Edrich. Dr. Mary Quinn, assistant professor of English. 4 p.m., Manchester Conference Center. \$4. 260-4685.
- **2-4** Spring dance concert by USD students. 8 p.m., May 2 and 3; 2 p.m., May 4. Admission charge. 260-4600, ext. 4272.
 - 6 Joint recital by pianist Fr. Nicolas Reveles and tenor William Eichorn. Works by Scarlatti, Marx and Finzi will be performed. 7:30 p.m., Camino Theater. Admission charge. 260-4600, ext. 4427.
 - **7** Women's softball vs. USIU. 2 p.m., softball field.
 - **9** Men's baseball vs. St. Mary's College. 2:30 p.m., baseball field.
- 10 Men's baseball vs. St. Mary's College. Noon, baseball field.

Graduating senior banquet, sponsored by Student Alumni Association. 5 p.m.-midnight, Atlantis Restaurant. \$20. 260-4819.





The USD men's and women's crews had good reason to be happy April 5. Each won the race for the Cal Cup in their respective division during the annual Crew Classic on Mission Bay.

24 Law School commencement. 10:30 a.m., campus stadium.

Baccalaureate Mass, 4 p.m., campus stadium.

Undergraduate gradua-

tion party. Parents, guests invited. 8:30 p.m., main patio, Founders/Camino Halls.

25 Graduate student commencement. 10:30 a.m., campus stadium.

Undergraduate commencement. 2:30 p.m., campus stadium.

26 Memorial Day.



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