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Prof's book guide to cheap eats around San Diego

Looking 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 paperback, "The San Diego Budget Gourmet—Dining Out for Under $5," is a guide to budget restaurants throughout San Diego.

Mark calendar for July 30

Mark the date of Wednesday, July 30 on your calendar. That's the date of the second annual Staff Appreciation 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 Employee 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.
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 I to library assistant I, Copley Library.

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Who’ll be employee of year?

It 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 honors 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.

Can you serve as a big brother?

By Lou Hassan

Do 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**

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**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.


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

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

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

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

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

26. Memorial Day.

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.