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Employee hoedown slated for July 27

The women and men who form the heart of USD will be honored Friday, July 27, at the sixth annual Employee Appreciation Picnic.

The yearly event honors employees for their service and loyalty to the university.

"We have so many employees who give 110 percent every day and who don't think twice about putting in a little extra effort," explains Dr. Judith Munoz, director of human resources. "The picnic is a way to say thank you to all the individuals who make USD such an enjoyable place to work."

All employees — staff and supervisors — are invited to the picnic, which is scheduled for 11:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m. at the grass field behind Copley Library.

Presentation of staff service certificates and pins, and announcement of the 1990 staff Employee of the Year will highlight the event. President Author E. Hughes will address the gathering and hand out the awards.

The Staff Employees Association will present its annual Administrator of the Year award.

Because of employee feedback, the menu will change this year. Good ol' hot dogs and hamburgers will be served, along with an assortment of cold salads. This year's country and western theme will be enhanced by the performance of Al Turner and the KSON Flatbed Show. Employees will have a chance to lasso a door prize, and the winner of this year's photo contest will be recognized. (See pages 3 and 4).

"We're going to have an exciting picnic this year and I hope everyone will take a break from their work day and join in all the fun," says Human Resources' Calista Frank.

The 1990 winner of the staff Employee of the Year Award will be selected on the basis of job competence, initiative, relations with others and exemplification of the values of the university.

The top employee will receive a gift and a personal plaque in addition to having his or her name added to the permanent plaque located in the main lobby of Maher Hall. The winner and three runners-up will be invited to a luncheon with Dr. Hughes later in the year.


Previous winners of the Administrator of the Year award were Dr. Pat Watson in 1985, Dr. Jack Pope in 1986, Mel Rafferty in 1987, Dave Navarro in 1988 and Jack Boyce in 1989.
Around the Park

Undergraduate Admissions reports that "Jenny" went from Moe to Lowe in August of '89; Joe Duarte increased his household by saying "I do" in October; Mildred Brown recently became a mother-in-law for first time during spring break and now has to endure all of those "mudder-in-law" jokes; Anne Barker has become a Granny and Carrie Stinson will be a "mudder" for the first time before the year ends. Whatever you do, stay away from that office, or don’t drink their coffee!

Rick Seaman from Administrative Data Processing reports that Gary Hanson, computer operations manager, is back after a seven-month absence caused by two herniated disks and subsequent surgery to repair them. Judy Cushing returned to work on May 7 after a four-month maternity leave. Welcome back to Judy and Gary!

JoAnne Zeterberg, manager of telecommunications business services, announced her resignation, effective May 31, to enter USD’s paralegal program. Patrick Boyce has been named to fill her position. We all wish JoAnne the best of luck and congratulate Pat on his promotion.

Carol Harris, administrative data processing project leader, reports that her "Species Scanning Sensations" team sufficed forth on a recent Sunday to single out 67 species for the San Diego Audubon’s annual Birdathon.

Barbara Snyder from Physical Plant reports that Debbie Hoffman of General Services left USD June 1 to join her family in Florida. Debbie was active in the Staff Employee Association (SEA) and was a member of the Child Care Advisory Board. She has worked at USD since 1984, and we will miss her. Cassandra Tran, also of General Services, resigned at the end of April so she could go back to school full time. Also giving official notice this month is Al Bores, project manager. Al has been at USD since 1976 and will retire June 29. We will miss him!

Conley Robinson, who is now assistant project manager, will move into Al’s busy spot.

USD’s Ground Maintenance Department, managed by Fred Rocha and supervisors Robert Sparaco and Charlie Thomas won an Award of Recognition for Unique and Innovative Safety Programs from the Campus Safety Association, a division of the National Safety Council. This honor is for USD’s safety program on pesticide spraying notification. The program will be on display at the International Conference on Campus Safety July 1-6 in Virginia. A word of thanks is due to those who make our campus environment a safer place.

Loan Collections’ John McCloskey and crew wish Marge Constanzo a happy June 5 birthday!

DeSales Hall to be renamed for bishop

DeSales Hall will be renamed Bishop Leo T. Maher Hall during a dedication ceremony in early July. USD’s board of trustees acted to rename the building at its May 18 meeting to honor the bishop’s 22 years of service to the university as board chairman. The bishop, who is undergoing radiation treatment for a brain tumor, will retire July 1.

A specific date for the dedication ceremony will be announced soon.

Classifieds


Aluminum cans wanted. Please help the Manchester Family Child Development Center and donate your aluminum cans for recycling. Funds are used to purchase books and equipment.

A container is located in the lobby of the center, which is open Monday through Friday, 7:30 a.m.- 5:30 p.m., and located in the canyon, across from the softball field.

Kenmore washer & dryer, electric. $25 for pair. Need moderate repair. Call Judy, ext. 4684.

Passages

Births

A son, Donald Lucas, to Dr. Donna Barnes, assistant professor of education, and Clay Hinkle, on May 4. Baby Donald weighed in at 8 lbs., 6 oz.

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Is Your Boss Someone To Shout About?

The 1990 Administrator of the Year will receive an award presented at the annual Staff Appreciation Picnic on Friday, July 27.

Nominations should be submitted to Denise Dolbey, U.C. Retail Operations, or Mercedes Bennett, Maher Hall 100, by Friday, June 29.

The nominating committee will screen the nominations and the final selection will be voted on by the Staff Employees Association board members.

Please use the following criteria and others you feel are necessary to explain why you feel your nominee should be Administrator of the Year.

- Dedication to department and the university
- Leadership of staff
- Promotes staff development
- Relations with others
- Support of values of USD

1990 Administrator of the Year Nomination

Deadline for nominations is Friday, June 29.

Name of nominee

Title

Department

Years of service

Why is this administrator deserving of the award?

(Please use back of form for additional comments.)
How well do you know your campus?

So you think you know the campus like the back of your hand? Then enter the 1990 Employee Photo Contest. Simply identify the location of the following photos. The person who correctly identifies the most locations will win a prize that will be awarded at the July 27 Employee Appreciation Picnic.

Submit entries to Human Resources, Bishop Leo T. Maher Hall 127, by July 1. (These photos also will be posted on the bulletin board outside of the Human Resources Office.)
Coming Up
June

6 Wednesday
  Continuing education course. Certificate in International Business.
  "Global Marketing." Dr. Greg Gazda, associate professor of marketing. Continues Wednesdays through June. 6:30-9:30 p.m., Manchester Executive Conference Center. Fee. 260-4644.

10 Sunday
  Sports Camps. Camps for boys and girls, ages 7-18. Weekly sessions available for both resident and day campers. Programs include tennis, basics tennis, competitive swimming, boys and girls basketball, soccer, football, volleyball, baseball and softball.
  Camps run through August 17. USD campus. Resident camps from $325, day camps from $235. 260-4593.

Send calendar items to Judy Barnes, Publications, Maher Hall 274.

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