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Employee Newsletter

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Jan Tuomainen '69 invites all employees to join her lunch time dance aerobics class which meets Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 12:10 to 12:50 p.m. in Salomon lecture hall in Maher Hall. A 12-week session is only \$36. For more information, call Jan at ext. 4310.

Campus Briefs

USD Exceeds United Way Goal

Despite the distressing economic times, USD's employees contributed some \$52,045 to the 1991 United Way campaign, exceeding last year's total by more than \$5,000.

Physical Plant employees contributed the most again this year and posted a 70 percent participation rate. Other departments with high participation rates included the Bookstore, Controller's Office, Student Affairs, University Center Operations, Volunteer Resources and University Relations.

Members of the USD United Way Committee, **Bob Mertz**, Engineering; **Barbara Snyder**, Physical Plant; **Fred Rocha**, Grounds; **Lou Magana**, General Services; **Linda Camp**, Controller's Office; **Jann Jackson**, Student Accounts; **Esther Nissenon**, Human Resources; **Jan Tuomainen**, Payroll and **Maria Martinez-Cosio**, Public Relations, extend warm thanks to employees for their support and help.

Christmas Spirit Kudos

Greg Modugno donated his time and talent this year to the 11th an-

nual Bob and Maxine Wilson Christmas dinner for the homeless in Southeast San Diego.

The Dining Services employee baked cakes and cornbread for the dinner, which fed some 3,500 people. "I was really just an insignificant part of the whole operation," says Modugno, who has been involved in the dinner for the past five years.

For the past two years, USD has allowed Modugno to use the main dining room kitchen for his efforts. "I'm grateful to USD for allowing me to use the kitchen," he says. "I am able to bake more because of the facility."

Jesse Jackson Jr. to Speak

Jesse Jackson Jr. heads the list of guest speakers at the School of Law's week-long observance of Martin Luther King, Jr.'s birthday. Jackson will speak on Tuesday, Jan. 21 at 6:30 p.m. in Shiley Theater. His appearance is being sponsored by the Black American Law Students Association.

For more information, call **Angela Moore** at 294-6624.

SEA Update

The Staff Employee Association (SEA) was established in 1976 and is a vital communications link between the staff and administration.

All staff employees are automatic members of the SEA, and there are no membership dues. Open meetings are held on the third Wednesday of the month in Serra Hall conference room from 2-3 p.m.

The SEA was instrumental in gaining extended tuition remission benefits for staff employees and their dependents, as well as additional dental and retirement plans.

Current SEA members are: **Cheance Adair**, co-president, Mail Center

Pat Lee, co-president, Advancement Services

Kay Norton, vice-president, Registrar

Laura Nottoli, treasurer, University Relations

Suchi Ayala, School of Education

Margaret Amers, Admissions

Judy Barnes, Publications

Perla Bleisch, Law School

Pat Bermel, Legal Research Center

Carl Boals, Media Center

Alice Bournazian, Dining Services

Kay Brown, Housing

Carolyn Constanzo, Financial Aid

Roman Keating, Public Safety

Ina Levy, Law School

Frank Orlando, Physical Plant

Phil Plouffe, School of Nursing

Will Polimadei, Physical Plant

* **Kathy Spittel**, Housing

* **Barbara Walsh**, Financial Affairs

* **Pat Watson**, Human Resources

* Non-voting members.

For more information call **Cheance Adair** at ext. 4259 or **Pat Lee** at ext. 4748.

Classifieds

For Sale

Mac+ with external drive. Call **Dorothy Thomas** at ext. 4653.

Coming Up January 20-31

SUNDAY

University of the 3rd. Age.

A program of physical exercise and classes for persons 55 and older. Continues Monday through Thursday, through January 23. 9:30-11:45 a.m., Manchester Executive Conference Center. \$65. Ext. 4644.

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Men's tennis

USD vs. U.C. Riverside. 10 a.m., west courts. Free. Ext. 4803.

MONDAY

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Golf fund-raiser. Second Annual Torero Double Eagle Golf Scramble. 11 a.m., Shadowridge Country Club. Fee. Ext. 4803.

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Training workshop. Institute for Quality and Productivity. "Beyond the Basics." Sponsored by Industries in Partnership with San Diego State University and University of San Diego. Continues through Jan. 31 and Feb. 24. 8 a.m.- 4:30 p.m., Manchester Executive Conference Center. Fee. Ext. 4644.

TUESDAY

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Breakfast seminar. "In Search of Solutions for Family Businesses." A new Family Business Institute sponsored by USD Continuing Education. 7:30 a.m., Manchester Executive Conference Center. Free, reservations required. Ext. 4644.

Speaker.

Martin Luther King Jr.'s birthday observance presents Jesse Jackson Jr. Sponsored by USD Black American Law Students Association. 6:30 p.m., Shiley Theatre. \$1 donation requested. 294-6624.

WEDNESDAY

Sports Center Challenge

Andy Berg, assistant director of intramurals, challenges all employees interested in basketball to join the faculty/staff intramural basketball league.

"We've won the championship three years in a row," says Berg. "We need more teams participating."

League play begins in March, so there's plenty of time to get in shape!

For more information, call Berg or **Grace McElhaney** at ext. 4803.

THURSDAY

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Women's basketball USD vs. University of Portland. 5:15 p.m., Sports Center. Fee. Ext. 4803.

Men's basketball

USD vs. University of Portland. 7:30 p.m., Sports Center. Fee. Ext. 4803.

FRIDAY

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Seminar. "Customer Service for the International Visitor." Tailored for America's Cup '92 host companies. Sponsored by the Small Business Development Center, USD's School of Business Administration and Continuing Education. 7:30 a.m., Manchester Executive Conference Center. Free, reservations required. Ext. 4644.

SATURDAY

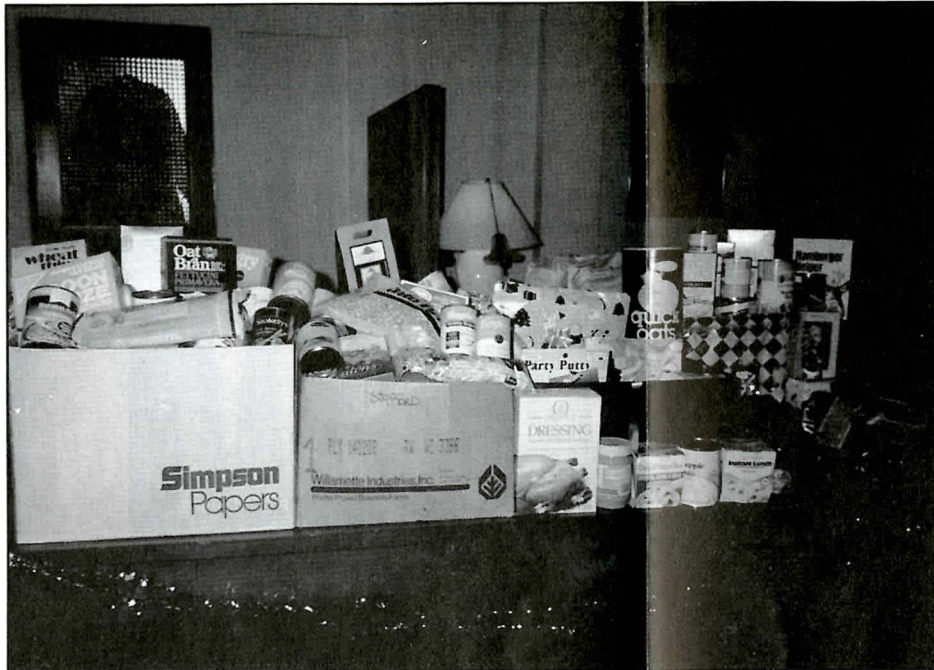
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Workshop. Institute for Christian Ministries. "Music for Pastoral Celebrations." Kenneth Nielson. 9 a.m.-4:30 p.m., Camino Hall 153. Fee. Ext. 4784.

Women's basketball USD vs. Gonzaga University. 5:15 p.m., Sports Center. Fee. Ext. 4803.

Men's basketball USD vs. Gonzaga University. 7:30 p.m., Sports Center. Fee. Ext. 4803.

Do you have an item for the calendar? Call us at ext. 4684 to get your event in the next *Alcalá View*.



SEA Food Drive
SEA Representative Carolyn Costanzo would like to thank all employees who donated food to the SEA Christmas food collection. The food was distributed to needy families by Campus Ministry.

HELP WANTED!

We need a few good women and men to represent the following buildings in the Staff Employee Association:

Olin Hall, Copley Library and the University Center. For more information call **Pat Lee** at ext. 2405.

Workplace literacy program to expand

Thanks to enthusiastic employee participation and administrative support, the Workplace Skills Enhancement program is now available to all employees.

"We are really excited about this," says **Shawna Stewart**, director of the program. "Employees currently in the program have spread the word, and there seems to be a real desire on the part of the employees for workplace literacy programs."

The Workplace Skills Enhancement program was established by the Volunteer Resources and Dining Services offices in August 1991 to help USD adult employees improve their English skills. The program is now administered by the Human Resources office, with funds from Physical Plant, Student Affairs and the James Irvine Foundation cultural diversity grant.

For more information, contact Stewart at ext. 4594.

Passages

Engagements

Dan Yourg, assistant director of athletics, to Virginia Stehly '83.

Pete McMahon '87, assistant athletic trainer, to Susan Lindhorst '83. The wedding is set for July 25, 1992.

Marriage

Andy Berg, assistant director, intramurals, to Andrea Mora, on Dec. 14, 1991.

Birth

A girl, Emily Christine, to **Jenny Lowe**, senior admissions officer, and her husband, Mike, on Dec. 29. Baby Emily weighed 7 lbs. 7 oz.

Deaths

James Colachis, member of USD's board of trustees for ten years, in January.

Sylvester Heiser, father of **Judy Sandman**, housing assistant, in December.

S.E.A.
**1st Annual
White Water Rafting Trip**

Spend a weekend with family and friends on the
South Fork of the American River with OARS Company.

- Itinerary:**
- Friday:** 7:00 P.M. - Meet/check-in at USD
8:00 P.M. - Leave USD by bus
- Saturday:** 7:00 A.M. - Arrive at river campsite, breakfast, set camp
- * We are then transported to launching point, given safety training, and spend this whole day on the river floating back to camp! (includes lunch)
- evening - Dinner, slide show, campfire, relax!
- Sunday:** morning - brunch, break camp/pack
- * We then launch from the river campsite to spend the rest of Sunday on the river (includes lunch on the river).
- 3:00 P.M. - End of river trip!
- * We are transported back to the river campsite and our bus home, load and leave for USD. There will be a dinner stop. Note: This dinner stop is not pre-paid and you will need to pay for your dinner.
- * There will be informational meetings (with slide show) for those going to discuss details of appropriate clothing, camping equipment, and facilities at camp area; to answer any questions; and to complete OARS paperwork.

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Return this flyer with your deposit payable to Diane C. West to the Dean's Office, Arts and Sciences (Founders 114) before February 15 to insure a space. Call Diane at ext. 4545 with your questions. You will be responsible to pay any returned check charges!

Circle choice of weekend: April 25-26 or June 13-14

Total cost per person: Adult \$240.00 Child (10 thru 17) \$220.00
Non-refundable deposit due before February 15: (Adult & Child) \$60.00/person
Total due by March 15, 1992 (for April); May 1, 1992 (for June)

Name: _____ Home phone _____

Home Mailing Address: _____

USD Department: _____ work phone _____

Number/Adults: _____ Number/Children: _____ Total: _____ X \$60 = \$ _____

Tell Us What You Think!

As you know, the *Alcalá View* changed in 1991. The format was altered and distribution was increased to twice a month. We would like to know what you think about these changes and the *Alcalá View* in general.

Your input is valuable and we would like to hear from you. Please take a few minutes to complete this survey and return it to the Publications Office, Maher 274. Results of the survey will be shared with readers in an upcoming issue.

1. I am:

- ☐ professional staff
☐ faculty
☐ administrator
☐ (other)

2. The *Alcalá View's* format changed this year. What do you think of the change?

3. *Alcalá View* now comes out twice a month (except January and August). Is that...

- ☐ good
☐ too often
☐ not often enough

 _____ (other)

4. Is the expanded calendar section

- ☐ helpful
☐ not helpful

 _____ (other)

5. Do you think the *Alcalá View* helps keep employees informed about what is happening at USD?

6. On a scale of 1 to 5, rate your interest in the types of articles published in the *Alcalá View*. 5 indicates high interest; 1 indicates little interest.

- ☐ General campus news
☐ Employee features
☐ Employee benefits info
☐ Upcoming campus events
☐ Guest speakers
☐ Passages
☐ New hires, promotions

7. What kinds of articles would you like to see in the *Alcalá View*?

8. On a scale of 1 to 5, rate the *Alcalá View* in the following areas. A 5 indicates excellent; a 1 indicates poor.

- ☐ Writing
☐ Photography
☐ Design
☐ Artwork
☐ Printing
 _____ (other)

9. Would you be interested in contributing to the *Alcalá View*? (If yes, include your name and the type of contribution you would be interested in, i.e. writing, illustrations, photographs.)

10. Please use this space to make any additional comments, criticisms and suggestions.

Help for a healthy 1992

Human Resources and Mercy Hospital have joined forces to bring you an exciting line up of "brown bag" lunch seminars for the new year.

Richard Manuccia, a health and fitness consultant at Mercy Hospital, will bring his entertaining, dynamic presentations to Alcalá Park on the following dates:

Tues., Jan. 28, noon-1 p.m.

"NoBody's Perfect"

Find out why exercise is good for the body and mind. Learn how to begin an exercise program, how often and how hard to exercise, and how to stay with the program.

Tues., Feb. 11, noon - 1 p.m.

"You CAN Teach an Old Dog New Tricks"

Weight Watchers, Jenny Craig, Slim Fast — HELP! There are so many diet and weight management programs to choose from, but what's right for you? Learn helpful hints for managing your weight with diet guidelines you can live with.

Tues., Feb. 25, noon - 1p.m.

"The Skinny on Fat"

Do you think you know how many grams of fat are in your favorite foods? Attend this unique food lab seminar and find out!

Tues., March 17, noon - 1 p.m.

"Label Fabels"

Take the confusion out of reading and understanding the labels on the food you purchase. Learn how to identify fat, calories, sodium, etc. in food before you buy it.

Tues., March 31, noon - 1 p.m.

"Eating on the Go"

Twinkies, Big Macs, — sound familiar? If you have a hectic schedule, it probably does. Learn a way of eating that will ensure a healthy heart, lifelong weight loss and energy to get you through the day.

All seminars are free to employees. Bring your lunch and enjoy! Seating is limited. For more information and location information, call Esther Nissenson at ext. 8761.



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