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Association Web Site

For current updates between "Retiree Times" mailings or to read about volunteer opportunities go to our web site at:

www.sdgealumniassoc.org

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President's Message

Soon you will be receiving your invitation to our 69th annual luncheon. We hope to see many of you there. If you are unable to attend please take a moment and return your ballot in the prepaid envelope.

2010 directories will be distributed at the luncheon. If you are unable to attend and want a directory please mark your invitation and return it so that one can be mailed to you.

This year raffle tickets will be sold at the luncheon. Proceeds from ticket sales enable us to continue serving you. Please consider purchasing one or more to win a prize.

Many of our Board members are leaving at the end of the year and we desperately need volunteers. If you are interested in becoming a Board member please contact anyone on the Board.

Please stay in touch! If you have moved, notify the Retirement Service Center of your new address.

The Board wishes you a happy and healthy holiday season!

Fran Hartsell

<http://sdgealumniassoc.org/>

Alumni Association Activities

Annual Holiday Luncheon

December 9, 2010, Marina Village Seaside Room. It is the same venue as last year, but with a new sound system! We also have the ability to sell multiple raffle tickets with proceeds going to the Alumni Assn.

SDG&E Employee Association Notes

Many Credit Unions offer discounts for many of our local attractions. Check with your credit union to see what they offer.

The Board has been notified that unfortunately we will no longer be able to provide the newsletter in an e-mail format. Because of privacy laws, we can NOT stop the hard copy from coming to you as well. We apologize for any inconvenience.

Alert

It is imperative that you notify the Retiree Service Center (RSC) when you move. This is the address that the company uses to notify you of any changes and also where the Newsletter is mailed. Update your information by contacting the My Retirement Information line at 1-866-491-3316.

SDG&E Alumni Association Historical DVD -

This DVD is a 16 1/2 minute journey from the GASCO Old Timers beginnings in 1941/2 through the SDG&E Alumni Association 2008. It includes the people and places that we all remember well. The accompanying sound tract features music of our times. If you would like a copy of the DVD shown at the Annual Luncheon it can be purchased by contacting Bruce Liska at bliska@cox.net or PO Box 675391, Rancho Santa Fe, California 92067-5391. Cost is only \$15.

Retirees

Jun – Sep 2010

Michael S. Bassett
Stephen R. Chavez
Stan E. Dickens
Bertha R. Gamboa
Charles D. Gardner
Joseph V. Giammarinaro
Romon Gonzalez
Barbara L. Hale
Wen P. Hsiao
John S. Laputz
Linden P. Leonhardt
Linda T. Ohira
Jeffrey W. Trace
Michael W. Troyer

World War II Archives

The Alumni Association has recently received from the SDG&E archives, two World War II scrapbooks. Each page is devoted to one of 215 Gasco employees who served in the Armed Forces during WWII.

We would like to share the individual pages of these scrapbooks with the descendents of these proud veterans. If you would like to have your veteran's page of pictures, newspaper clippings, etc, please come to the Alumni Association Annual Luncheon on December 9, 2010 at Marina Village where the original individual pages will be available.

Deceased

Jun – Sep 2010

Adrienne Bowers
George W. Flick
James D. Gallaher
Lawrence A. Galvin
Michael Gleeson
Kenneth R. Kramer
Robert H. Landis
Ronald G. Mason
James E. McCawley
Betty A. McClellan
George S. Mercier
J. D. Miller
Joseph P. Minto
David A. Orcutt
Maurice J. Pratt
John Schoenwal
Richard W. Simonds
Laurence D. Smith

RETIREMENT BENEFITS REMINDER

For those individuals that took equal pensions for both spouses at the time of retirement, if the spouse of the retired individual passes away before the retired employee, you may be entitled to a "POP UP" increase in your monthly pension. For this or any other retiree questions, contact the My Retirement Information Line at 1-866-491-3316.

SIGN UP HERE: As a member of the SDG&E Alumni Assn. if you wish to be listed in future editions of the Alumni Association directory, just provide the information requested below. Please check one of the categories below to indicate membership status. Eligible members are:

1. Regular Member – SDG&E Retiree
2. Regular Member – SDG&E Employee with 25 years of service as of 12/31/97 & transferred to a Sempra Affiliate
3. Regular Member – An SDG&E retiree re-employed at SDG&E.
4. Associate Member – Person who left SDG&E before retirement and is now a minimum of 55 years of age.
5. Associate Member – Spouse of a deceased SDG&E Retired employee.

You may e-mail your information to Penny McGuire-Newell at sdgealumni@semprautilities.com or mail the form to SDG&E Alumni Association c/o Penney McGuire Newell, 101 Ash Street, HQ 10B, San Diego CA 92101. Current laws prohibit SDG&E from providing the Association with any personal information.

Name (please print): _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone (include area code): _____ FAX: _____

E-Mail: _____ Year Hired: _____ Year Retired: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Help Find Retired & Deceased Members

Keeping you informed about our recently retired new members as well as those who have passed away is one of our most important functions. We rely upon local newspapers as well as the SDG&E Human Resources Department for our information. If a deceased member is not listed in our Directory we are not able to send a sympathy card to the family. Please call or e-mail Alice Myers at 858-278-3803, amolyputz@san.rr.com or any of your Board Members if you have any information regarding a deceased SDG&E Alumni Member.

SDG&E Alumni Association 2010 Board

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SDG&E Corporate Advisor – Penney McGuire Newell

Alumni Association Board

The Alumni Association Board and Committee consist of retiree volunteers. All are busy folks who love getting involved and planning activities. However, like all organizations, we sometimes have members that must leave the Board and this year is no exception. Several of our members will be 'retiring' at the end of the year. Please consider getting involved. We look forward to new faces and ideas. Please let one of your board members know if you are interested.