

# **SDG&E** Retiree Times

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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

It's already mid-year and time is flying. Your association Board is working hard toward our annual Alumni Assoc. Luncheon. Mark vour calendars for Thursday December 8. The location will be at the Marina Village; same location as last year. Invitations will be sent out in the September timeframe and space is limited to 350. We are also investigating options for a mid-year event next year. Now that we are a recognized nonprofit, we are required to file tax returns with the IRS and State of California. I am pleased to announce that our returns have been completed and were filed prior to the April deadlines. We have also filed the necessary application with the State of California in order to hold our luncheon drawing this year.

Your Board of Directors will be meeting on the first Thursday of the month for the rest of this year, excluding December. We meet at 11:30 AM. Century Park Bldg 1. Our meetings are open to all Association members. Please call one of your Board Members in advance to let us know if you are attending so that a security badge can be prepared in advance for you.

If you have any suggestions or need to talk with one of the Board Members, please call them.

Jay Shepard

# **Alumni Association Activities**

#### **ANNUAL HOLIDAY LUNCHEON**

SAVE THE DATE: The Annual Holiday Luncheon will be held on December 8, at the Marina Village Seaside Room.

#### **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.

#### 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.

#### 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, amollyputz@san.rr.com or any of your Board Members if you have any information regarding a deceased SDG&E Alumni Member.

#### **NEW SDG&E Energy Innovation Center**

San Diego soon will have a new facility where local businesses and trades people can learn about the latest green technologies and energy efficiency programs. The center will include a commercial demonstration kitchen, a smart home inside the building with an electric car in its garage, and a number of seminar and training rooms. The building itself will demonstrate the latest in energy efficiency technology not only in its heating, air conditioning and lighting systems but in its architectural design as well. While the main purpose of the center is to work with business customers of the utility, programs targeting residential customers will be developed for the center as well.



For additional information about SDG&E's Energy Innovation Center please visit:

http://www.sdge.com/busin ess/eic/index.shtml.

#### Deceased

Benedicto T. Alvarado - February, 2011 Paul L. Clark - December, 2010 Jack H. Dawes - October, 2010 Loraine D. Gray - January, 2011 Bernardino A. Hernandez October, 2010 Florence G. McManus - October, 2010 John D. Oliver - October, 2010 Alfonso L. Penuelas - December, 2010 Abraham L. Samson - October, 2010 Juanita Strickland - February, 2011 Ronald A. Whitford - April, 2011 Frank W. Yergain - November, 2010

#### Retired

Diane M. Albertini - June, 2010 Michael S. Bassett - September, 2010 Melonee A. Stringari - December, 2010 Alfred S. Broccardo - December, 2010 Stephen R. Chavez - October, 2010 W. J. Dawsey - December, 2010 Bertha R. Gamboa - Jult, 2010 Joseph V. Giammarinaro - August, 2010 Diane S. Helmer - February, 2010 Wen P. Hsiao - October, 2010 Kenneth P. Kovack - March, 2010 John S. Laputz - October, 2010 Linden P. Leonhardt - July, 2010 John M. Moore - December, 2010 Tiffany T. Nelson - November, 2010 Joseph T. Qualin - December, 2010 Joseph F. Semerad - january, 2010 Tyrone Thomas - March, 2010 Gilbert T. Tucker - March, 2010 Cecilia L. Wey - June, 2010

William A. Babcock - November, 2010 Thomas Conner - December, 2010 Ken Henderson - June, 2011 Mildred O. Hansen - October, 2010 Richard L. Keller - October 2010 Thomas J. McNamee - December, 2010 Sarah B. Orr -March, 2011 Bill J. Ray - October, 2010 Laurence D. Smith - October, 2010 Alexander F. Szaras - October, 2010 Bobbie L. Williams - December, 2010 Joseph T.P. Yuskin - February, 2011

Mary L. Aloi - January, 2010 Elizabeth Beckett - December, 2010 Jack S. Broccardo - December, 2010 Timothy L. Brown - January, 2010 Kenneth J. Clay - December, 2010 Stan E. Dickens - August, 2010 Michael A. Gantz - April, 2010 Ramon Gonzalez - October, 2010 Martin D. Hess - March, 2010 Robert W. Keithly - December, 2010 Patricia D. Khul - June, 2010 Rodger Larsen - November, 2010 Bill R. Lewis - February, 2010 Kurtis D. Muto - January, 2010 Linda T. Ohira - October, 2010 Dennis W. Rose - December, 2010 Boris P. Spasov - January, 2010 Jeffrey W. Trace - October, 2010 John H. Wanders - December, 2010 Marcia K. Farmer – November, 2010

Alfonso Chirboga - November, 2010 Irene Dawes - January, 2011 Earl R. Gimpel - January, 2011 Douglas J. Hawley - December, 2010 Clarence E. Lee - October, 2010 Nelson Nash - January, 2011 Frances Pena - November, 2010 Rex D. Russell - January, 2011 Vernon G. Southwell - February, 2011 Robert E. Wangler - November, 2010 David J. Wilson - October, 2010

Daniel M. Annechino - March, 2010 Susan C. Bell - May, 2010 William L. Breckinridge - December, 2010 Jesus N. Castro January, 2010 Lora S. Clay - December, 2010 Ken Clay – December 2010 Charles D. Gardner - October, 2010 Barbara L. Hale - August, 2010 Arthur L. Howard - May, 2010 Paul R. Kelly - July, 2010 Margot A. Kyd - February, 2010 Robert J. Laes - December, 2010 James Mello - December, 2010 Elaine L. Najera - June, 2010 David F. Persing - November, 2010 Ruben R. Sanchez - November, 2010 Maria C. Teran - December, 2010 Michael W. Troyer - September, 2010 Harold E. Wegner - May, 2010

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. If you are listed in previous directories, there is no need to provide the information again.

Please check one of the categories below to indicate membership status. Eligible members are:

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

You may e-mail your information to Penny McGuire-Newell at sdgealumni@semprautlities.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	e):	FAX:	
E-Mail:			Year Hired:Year Retired:
Signature:			Date:
SDG&E Alumni Association 2011 Board			Alumni Association Board
Vice-President Secretary	Jay Shepard Alice M. Meyers Sue Weinmeister Randal G. (Ron) Barlow	858-278-3803 619-283-3273	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. Please consider getting involved. We

Directors at Large: Joann Allen, Ed Davis, Wally Dibb, Lucille Henderson, Irene Krepak, Carl Lower, Charlyne Oslin-Smith, Cynthia (Cindy) Young

#### SDG&E Corporate Advisor – Penney McGuire Newell

look forward to new faces and ideas. Please let one of your board members know if you are interested.