

The Forty Niner



From the President's Window

The Golden Year is in full swing. And it cannot be any more exciting. As I was packing for the May Convention, I was remembering what I was feeling 20, 30 years ago while I was



doing the same thing. There was excitement, anticipation and hope. Where would we be in the Parade of Locals? What good friends would we be able to see? We could not wait to share our latest successful project, latest challenges or hear those touching Jaycee Stories. The feeling was soooooo..., well you know. You were there. My regret is that we have been unable to convey what being a Jaycee means to the young people of today. (you know, why can't they be a little more like us).

It had to mean a lot to you. Or you would not have been awarded your Senatorship. I cannot image my life today without those

friends we made back so many years ago. And I can't image what life would be like today without the Senate.

Thank you for letting me carry on so. You get the point. Remember what being a Jaycee meant to you yesterday and get involved today. The California JCI Senate has much planned. Some of your Board and members will be traveling to Baltimore next week to participate in the National Convention. Then it is off to Crescent City for the Annual Salmon Feed. What fun will that be!!!! More information on that as it becomes available. Scheduled 8-15 thru 17 is the August Board in Oakland, Courtyard Oakland Airport - 350 Hegenberger Road, Oakland. See the attached registration form. Register today. The climax of the year will come next May, with the Celebration of our 50th Anniversary.

We are still in the early planning stages of the year. So you can have a meaningful impact by getting involved now. Our slogan is "Fun, Friends and Fellowship". If we let this thought guide our organization, what a thrill this year will be.

And more Friends to have Fun with, the better. So get some of those old acquaintances and join us. If there is someone who has not

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Treasurer's Report

Welcome to our 50th year! This year we will see more chances to get together at socials, alumni and Jaycee weekends and of course our anniversary celebration in May. If you know a senator who has let their membership lapse, this is the year to renew to ensure everyone is notified of the various celebrations being held. As the 2014/15 treasurer please contact me with any questions about paying dues or other financial questions you may have in regard to the CA JCI Senate. I look forward to seeing you all through out the year.



**California JCI Senate
Past Presidents**

- 65-66 Louis Robinson
- 66-67 Lindsay Strout
- 67-68 Mel Smith
- 68-69 Bill Edwards
- 69-70 Dirty Ernie Freese
- 70-71 Lou Hjelm
- 71-72 Ray Ables
- 72-73 Fred Figge
- 73-74 Reed Cowan
- 74-75 Howard Hill
- 75-76 Ray Noxsel
- 76-77 Dan Signor
- 77-78 Phil Shaeffer
- 78-79 Jens Holm
- 79-80 Steve Harrison
- 80-81 Roger Wales
- 81-82 Jerry Caston
- 82-83 Chuck Davis
- 83-84 Mike Allen
- 84-85 Jack Myers
- 85-86 Doug Meyers
- 86-87 Bruce Christensen
- 87-88 Jim Ashley
- 88-89 Jim Bewley
- 89-90 Bob Dickie
- 90-91 Steve Dunn
- 91-92 Thom Diggins
- 92-93 Mike Irvine
- 93-94 Mark Gardner
- 94-95 Bob Solis
- 95-96 Chip Carter
- 96-97 Clarence Alvey
- 97-98 Herb Pike
- 98-99 Joe A Souza

JAYCEES DO GROW UP!!!!!!!!!!

Do you recall that it has mentioned a few months ago that our own Shawn Bagley 52789 is running for California State Senate (District 12). He entered the primary at the last minute. While his opponent is a well-liked, well financed incumbent, Shawn did remarkably well. Two similar races (State Assembly and Congress) were held at the same time/area. In these races, campaigning had been going on for over a year, with lots of time and money spent. You will be pleased to learn that Shawn outpaced those challengers by more than 10%. Great job. There is a chance that the California Senate will have a real California JCI Senator as a new member. They will be the better for it. We were so very pleased to see him at the May Convention. If you are interested in making contact with Shaw, he can be reached at bagley@bagleyforsenate.com.

Past Presidents continued-

99-00	Susie Irvine
00-01	Wendy Bell
01-02	Xavier Ruelas Jr
02-03	Buck Edelman
03-04	Denise Lyons-Conrad
04-05	Vince Salinas Jr
05-06	Greg Conrad
06-07	Ernest "ET" Talmantes
07-08	Sandy McManus
08-09	Katina Repp
09-10	Karen Talmantes
10-11	C.J. Jorif
11-12	Lorraine Neal
12-13	Jeanne VanderHyde
13-14	Dave Repp

National

The MN JCI Senate is excited about hosting our US JCI Senate National Convention on June 21 - 25, 2015 in Rochester, MN. We want you to prepare yourselves to "SET SAIL FOR THE LAND OF LAKES, ICE, & MINNESOTA NICE"! Rochester is located in the southeast corner of Minnesota. Minneapolis & St. Paul are approximately 1 hour north of Rochester. Rochester is consistently ranked as one of the most livable cities in America and is built on the world renowned Mayo Clinic's rock solid foundation. The city hosts more than 2.7 million visitors each year, many of whom receive care at the Mayo Clinic.

The MN JCI Senate has chosen to showcase our hospitality starting with early hospitality on Sunday evening, June 21 featuring a hog roast. The chefs from our host hotel, the Kahler Grand, will be roasting a hog on Peace Plaza right outside the doors of the hotel. In addition to the scrumptious roast hog, we will be serving country style potato salad with sour cream, bacon, & scallions; luscious roasted sweet corn on the cob; baked beans; classic coleslaw; fresh watermelon slices; cheddar cheese cornbread; and a speciality cake for dessert to top it all off. There is one small catch - the meal will only be served from 6:00pm to 8:00pm, and only to those who have pre-registered. Registrations for early hospitality at the door will NOT guarantee you receiving this fabulous meal. The regular hospitality room inside the Kahler will open up at 8:00pm on Sunday evening. So as you can imagine for the \$20.00 pre-registration cost this will be a marvelous opportunity for you to enjoy fun, fellowship, & a feast unlike most conventions.

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retained their membership, talk to them now.

The Team Gold Board is working hard to serve you. Your hostess is Dana Dunn, the glasses are lined up, drinks cold and the wine red (I hope). Secretary Elizabeth McInnis is ready with her quill and paper: recording all and passing information on. Treasurer, Lynne Hansen, is ready with her abacus and is prepared to collect money (starting with your dues) (Hey, we are old school.) Directors Tess Alvey, Ron Andrade, Rosa Esquer and Judy Keating are just waiting to get going.

Let's make this a truly a great and golden year.

Yours in all that is Gold

Margaret Mary Souza - \$48490
50th President
California JCI Senate



Senate Breakfast - May 2014

Chaplain Report

I have been appointed your chaplain this year and would appreciate hearing from you about news of our Senate Family.

I have some sad news to report. We have learned of the death of one of my early Jaycees friends. Many of you knew him. I speaking of Past TT 10 and JCI Senator # 37271 Richard "Rick" Fleming. He was instrumental in the formation of the Ceres Jaycees and was a United States Jaycees Award winner for Membership.

I have fond memories of our Jaycees days and his involvement with the US Jaycees as well as the time he hosted us in Titusville Florida where he was Manager of the Chamber of Commerce. He also was manager of the Chamber of Commerce in Antioch, Livermore and Ceres.

Condolences can be sent to Rick Fleming Family at 2524 Crescent Way, Discovery Bay CA 94505.

We also have heard of the passing of Mike Deveso #25059, California Jaycees 50th president.

Jeanne Vanderhyde #58890 and Debbie Procedo #64883 lost their grandmother in June. Tess Alvey's #68090 mother passed in May.

Judy Keating #67403 father has been ill and has been in the hospital for some time.

Our thoughts and prayers are with those of you who have lost family members both those listed above and those I did not mention.

Good News! Both Caren Glines-Spillsbury #58421 and Herbert Pike #42733 have recovered from recent illnesses. Happy Birthday and Happy Anniversary to those of you celebrated this month. Especially those on July 26th.

Wonderful News! Debbie Procedo has a new Grand baby. That makes Jeanne a Great Aunt (we knew that)

Please keep me informed of news of our Senate family. Not all of us are on Facebook and sometime news that should be shared fails to reach the entire Senate Family.

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Help with missing information. We are trying to get address/updates of

Robert Hill #2965, Ernie Villanueva #3741, Melvin Smith #4939, Albert O'Neal #5205, James Selby #14775 and Eldridge Wood #39559

Directors

I am very proud to be part of Team Gold under President Margaret Souza. I know we will indeed have a Golden Year.

SAVE THE DATE: The Southern JCI Senate Christmas Party will be at the Alvey abode. Details will follow at a later date. All Senators and Auxiliary members and their husbands/wives/significant partners are welcome. Plan to attend. It will be a fun party. Clarence and I have missed several Senate meetings due to family matters, and we look forward to seeing everyone in August at the Oakland Courtyard by Marriott.

Tess Alvey
Senator No. 68090



Candidate Shawn Bagley and President Margaret.



Dave Repp and Lynn Hansen.

*Passing the gavel - Margaret Souza
and Dave Repp*



*Three years of Treasurers - Rip Arias,
Lynn Hansen, Ron Andrade*



JULY 2014

California JCI Senate
1st Quarter BOD Meeting
Oakland, CA August 15-17, 2014

Name _____ Senate # _____

Spouse/Guest _____ Senate # _____

Other Guests/Children _____

Address _____ City _____ State ____ Zip _____

Phone _____ E-Mail _____

Item	Number	COST Before 7/28/14	COST After 7/28/14	Total
Hospitality Full Weekend		\$20.00	\$25.00	\$
Hospitality Single Day Circle Friday or Saturday		\$10.00		\$
Saturday - Breakfast Meeting		\$26.00	\$30.00	\$
Friday Night Dinner – Group at Restaurant		No Host		\$
			Grand Total	\$

HOTEL INFORMATION

Reservations should be made directly with the hotel, request the **CA JCI Senate** rate.

Court yard Oakland Airport
 350 Hegenberger Road, Oakland CA 94621
 Contact hotel for room reservations: (510) 568-7600
 Room Cost \$135 Parking \$8
Room block expires on July 25th.

RSVP INFORMATION

Please **RSVP** no later than August 8th to guarantee a spot for breakfast and/or dinner. Reminder, prices go up after July 28th (see above). Payments not received by August 8th will be collected on site. **You can also register and pay on-line by following the link on the CA Senate website at www.cajcisenate.org.**

Make checks payable to: California JCI Senate

Mail To: CA JCI SENATE
 c/o Lynne Hansen, CAJCI Treasurer
 1140 Castro St #1
 Mountain View, CA 94040

(Checks MUST BE received no later than July 28th to guarantee lower prices.)