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GRAND JURORS ASSOCIATION OF ORANGE COUNTY

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JOIN US FOR LUNCH
Thursday September 5
at
Phoenix Club
1340 S. Sanderson Ave
Anaheim

Speaker:
Lisa Wright Jenkins
President,
O.C. Council on Aging



PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE –

This has been a busy few months since our last meeting. We will have an election at our September meeting for 6 seats on the Association Board of Directors. You must be at the meeting to vote.

A list of candidates is included in this newsletter and will be available at the Sept. meeting.

I want to thank Carol Duensing for fulfilling her 3 consecutive terms on the Board. As our Parliamentarian, she has kept a current record of our bylaws

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SEPTEMBER PROGRAM SPEAKER

Lisa Wright Jenkins - Lisa holds a Bachelor of Science in Business Administration from The Ohio State University. She is active in a number of non-profit organizations including the Girls Scouts of Orange County and Holt International.

Lisa joined the Orange County Council on Aging in 2012 – as the President and CEO. A local non-profit for over 40 years, the Council's mission is to promote the independence, health and dignity of adults through compassion, education and advocacy. Lisa's focus is on expanding the Council's services while building community awareness about the growing needs of the Orange County's rapidly expanding senior population.

Lisa will talk about senior services available in Orange County, and the value of the O.C. Senior Guide.

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and lists of sitting grand juries each year.

Bill Underwood and I have been working with our accountant, Ken Parker, on getting all of our state and federal filings brought up to date. We are in good standing now.

I have met with OCTA in preparation for renewing the contract for our participation with the selection of members for the MSR M2 Citizen's Oversight Committee.

We will place an ad in the 2014 O.C. Senior Guide. This ad is part of our recruitment outreach for next year's grand jury, and it helps to support this worthwhile publication.

I look forward to seeing you in September.

- Cheryl Brothers



The Honorable Bill Campbell, speaking at our June Meeting on "Everything you always wanted to know about Pensions"

**September Lunch Flyer
is on Page 4**

THE 2013 – 2014 ORANGE COUNTY GRAND JURY

The 19 members and 11 alternates of the 2013 - 2014 Orange County Grand Jury were selected from a drawing held at the Central Justice Center in May, and sworn in on July 1.

The 19 members of the new Grand Jury include 5 women and 14 men, with 4 minority members.

The average age of those selected is 66 with the members ranging in age from 53 to 81.

The Court received over 200 applications for the 2013 - 2014 panel. Canvassing efforts for the 2013 - 2014 Grand Jury included mailing more than 1,500 application packets to community members, distributing flyers to 550 companies and 50 minority organizations, listing the position at local colleges/universities, and advertising in newspapers and on the Web.

Members of the previous Grand Jury and the judges of the Grand Jury Recruitment/Selection Committee spoke at community events.

2013 - 2014 GRAND JURY

- 1. Dannah Murphy
- 2. April Lancaster
- 3. Natalie Miles
- 4. Richard Koppang
- 5. Steven Duron
- 6. David Baker *
- 7. Thomas Lucas
- 8. Kenneth Brose
- 9. Michael Anzis
- * Foreman
- 10. John Gallie
- 11. Gina Phillips
- 12. Thomas Cagley
- 13. Barry Durham
- 14. Richard Jackson
- 15. Teresa Franklin
- 16. Peter Murtough
- 17. Raymond Chapel
- 18. Alfred Lyle
- 19. Luis Casteneda

**2013 - 2014 GJ
ALTERNATES**

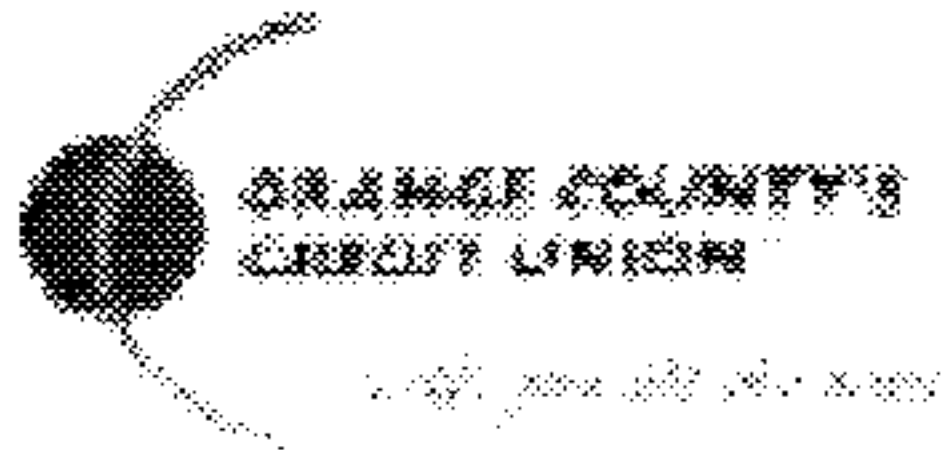
- A1 Sandra Dunkin
- A2 Barbara Hunt
- A 2 Leandro Bailey
- A4 John Warr
- A5 Maxine Marcus
- A6 James Louis
- A7 Linda Hudak
- A8 Gregg Williamson
- A9 Kenneth Nash
- A10 Aurelia White
- A11 Frank Faecke

TREASURER'S REPORT

As of the end of July 2013 the combined balance of checking and savings accounts as of July 31, 2013 is \$16,215.84.

NOTES & MISCELLANY

Board Meetings here
On the First Thursday
Jan/Feb Apr/May
July/Aug Oct/Nov



Santa Ana
Ross St. Branch

(10th Street)
856 N. Ross Street
Santa Ana, CA 92701
(888) 354-6228

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MEMBERSHIP

We have 152 members of the GJAOC at the present time. Of these, 138 have paid, and 14 members of the 2012/2013 jury who were retired on July 1 and per the bylaws are complementary members for the balance of the year.

If you have not yet renewed your membership, you may renew at the September meeting.

If we do not hear from you by November 2013 – this will be your last newsletter.

SUBSCRIBE TO GJAOC ORG'S POST

Ron Harris has been working night and day on our web site. He faithfully attends the board meetings to stay up to date on what is new.

He has scanned and posted past newsletters for our archives, is posting our board meeting minutes and agendas and photos that members have sent to him. He is happy to post GJAOC business that is appropriate for posting, but this is not an opinion page or a blog. We are delighted to post your photos, but please, identify the parties.

To be notified by email of a new post, subscribe by entering your email address in the Subscribe via Email block at the lower right of the Home page and click on the Subscribe button.

Check your email inbox for a new message from the Grand Jurors Association of Orange County and click the Confirm Follow button

on this email. You will receive a second email confirming your subscription and providing information on unsubscribing.

That's it. You will now receive an email each time a new post appears.

MSR. M2

The Oversight Committee panel selection is complete for 2013. Our committee of 5 GJAOC members received sixty-one applications for 4 district seats. Thirty-three applicants were interviewed by our committee. The five year contract with OCTA for this task is up for renewal in 2014.

In Memorium

Lou Schulte
2002-03
passed away June 5th

CALIFORNIA GRAND JURY ASSOCIATION

John Moohr has undertaken an investigation of requirements for the GJAOC to become a member of the California Grand Jury Association.

We were first invited to join last century when the fees were extraordinary and the CGJA offered no justification for our membership. Both the fees and the justification have changed to the extent that members of the Board want to reconsider membership.

Grand Jurors Luncheon

Program

Lisa Wright Jenkins, President, O.C. Council on Aging
Senior Services in OC & OC Senior Guide

Thursday, September 5, 2013

Luncheon served promptly at 11:45

The Phoenix Club ←
1340 So. Sanderson Ave. Anaheim ←

Menu:

~ ~ Chicken Picatta ~ ~
Or
~ ~ Cobb Salad ~ ~

LOCATION
SEE MAP
BELOW

NEW ROOM
Loreley

**GROUND
FLOOR THRU
THE MAIN
LOBBY**

\$ 20 w/ Reservation --- \$ 25 at the Door

For reservations, please contact:

Joe Quiros (949) 651-0113

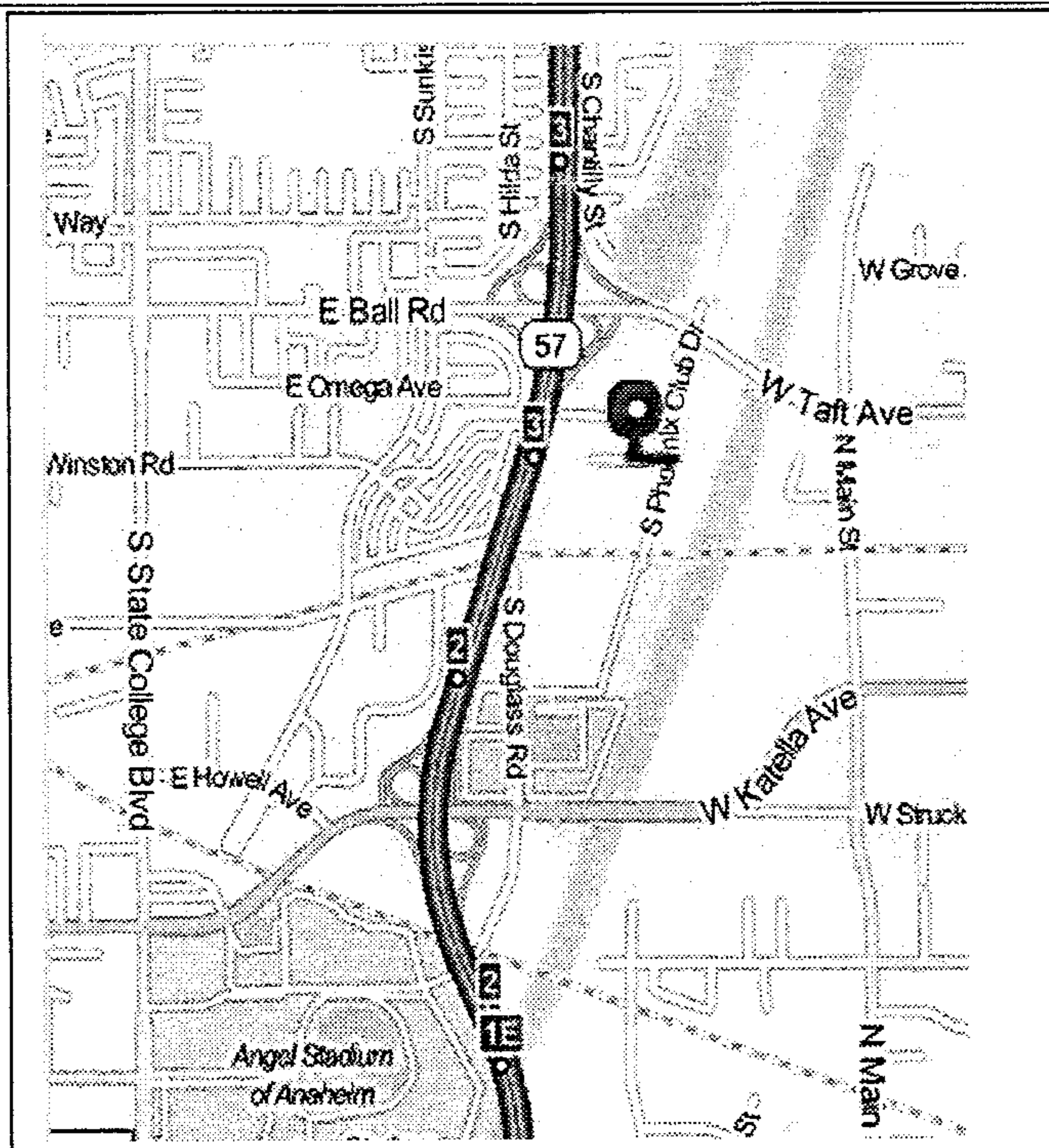
or email: jmquiros@cox.net

Call for reservations by Mon. Sept. 2nd - OR PAY THE "AT THE DOOR" PRICE

Reservations NOT canceled by 9/2 will be billed

Please
Leave your
NAME

PHONE NUMBER
&
MENU SELECTION
when making
reservation



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the 57 Fwy.

Go East to Phoenix
Club Dr.

Turn South on
Phoenix Club Dr.

Turn Right on
Sanderson Ave.