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LOCAL SUPPORT

LAX is a proud sponsor of civic, community, and educational events. To learn about our community outreach programs, visit www.lawa.aero.

The following events are a sample of our local support:

- 8/28 Hawthorne Chamber Installation of Officers
- Jet to Jetty Run & Walk 8/29
- LAX Airfield Tour for Hawthorne 9/2 Chamber
- 9/2 El Segundo Chamber Installation of Officers
- 9/12 LMU Community Open House
- 9/26 LAX Kiwanis Club Installation Dinner

HOORAY FOR SPECIAL OLYMPICS!

While Special Olympics was in town, LAX employees grabbed the once-in-a-lifetime opportunity to be part of the World Games.

With much fanfare and excitement, the airport kicked off an ambassador program where employees welcomed and assisted athletes upon their arrival to and departure from LAX.



Employees also recruited their loved ones to volunteer

vour enthusiasm!



for Team LAWA's cheering squad to applaud and celebrate the athletes competing in track and field, gymnas-

tics and basketball. Team LAWA is an employee volunteer program. The whole "fans in the stands" experience was fun, inspiring and fulfilling - a

win-win for all. Thank you volunteers for

VOLUNTEER RESTORATION DAYS

The non-profit group, Friends of the LAX Dunes, is recruiting volunteers twice a month to help restore and maintain the LAX coastal dunes preserve. Volunteer duties include seed collection, propagating and planting native coastal dunes plants, and removing invasive, non-native plants.

Volunteers meet across from Trask Triangle Park in Playa del Rey from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. Parking is available inside the fenced area. Come out and meet your neighbors!

To sign up for next month's volunteer events, call (424) 646-6488 or (310) 563-7875 to reserve your space.



CELEBRATING 100 YEARS IN BUSINESS: DELAWARE NORTH



In honor of their 100th anniversary, LAX tenant - Delaware North - celebrated this milestone by hosting a BBQ fundraiser for the Bob Hope USO on Sept. 3.

Proceeds from the sale supported services offered to active military families. To learn about the USO at LAX, visit www.lawa.gero.

LAX AIRFIELD TOURS OFFERED MONTHLY

Community Relations Division is offering monthly guided airfield bus tours and various construction project updates for local community groups. Tours are offered on the first Thursday of the month.

To register, please RSVP at crelations@lawa.org or call (424) 646-7450.



COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIPS



DAY OF DISCOERY: November 7

"Day of Discovery" is a community, aviation and aerospace event to educate, inspire and explore. The event will be held on the campus of Loyola Marymount University and features a special presentation by General Kevin Chilton, who piloted the Space Shuttle Endeavour and was a Space Shuttle Atlantis Commander. For event info, visit the following website at www.lawa.aero/ dayofdiscovery.

"GAB'S CORNER"

Q: Why is there public art at LAX?



A: The public artworks at LAX are funded through the City of Los Angeles' Percent for Public Art Program, managed by the City's Cultural Affairs Department. This program dedicates one percent of construction costs for city capital improvement projects to public art.

The artworks are installed at various locations within the Central Terminal Area, and three major new installations by local artists are installed in the New Tom Bradley International Terminal (TBIT) and in renovated sections of the existing terminal as part of the overall New TBIT Project Scope.

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BUSINESS & JOB RESOURCES CENTER (BJRC)

The center is committed to the shared economic interests of LAX, its tenants, local businesses and the communities impacted most by LAWA's projects and activities. That commitment is centered on helping job seekers, emerging business enterprises and student interns navigate and access the promising employment, contracting and work experience opportunities that LAWA has to offer. And that journey begins here... www.lawa.org/ bjrc or call (424) 646-7300.

Visit BJRC Satellite Office in Inglewood

Visit BJRC's satellite office on Mondays and Wednesdays from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Inglewood City Hall, second floor, One Manchester Blvd. Learn about potential employment and

business opportunities at LAX. To reach the friendly staff, call (310) 412-8642 or visit www. lawa.org/bjrc.



Sound Insulation Funding Approved for Inglewood School District

Inglewood Unified School District will receive its first funding installment of \$10 million from LAWA for the District's Classroom Noise Mitigation Program. The Federal Aviation Administration (FAA)-approved plan provided funding for six Inglewood schools—Payne, Woodworth and Oak Elementary; Child Development Center; Monroe Middle School; and Morningside High School.

This action follows an announcement earlier this year that the FAA had approved LAWA's use of \$44.4 million for sound insulation in the school district with Passenger Facility Charge (PFC) funds.

Airports may use these fees to fund FAA-approved projects such as noise reduction and enhancing safety. To learn about the varied sound-insulation construction, visit www.lawa.aero/news.

LAX CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS

New Lights & Lightband Highlight the CTA

LAX unveiled its new, upgraded look with the installation of modern LED street lighting welcoming Special Olympics World Games to Los Angeles. The dramatic facelift enhancement, Phase II of \$118-million Central Terminal Area (CTA) Curbside Appeal and Roadway Improvement Project, is providing better lighting at sundown for pedestrians and motorists alike.

Aesthetically, the curbside appeal project dramatically revitalizes the look and feel of





LAX with new vibrancy, color and energy, offering a world-class welcome.

In addition to several traffic functionality and safety enhancements, the facelift includes custom-made art deco LED light poles and a programmable LED light band running the length of the CTA. The light band will provide a dynamic building effect that radiates programmable light. To view a curbside appeal project fact sheet, visit www.LAXisHappening. com.



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