



Los Angeles County Professional Peace Officers Association

WEEK *IN* REVIEW

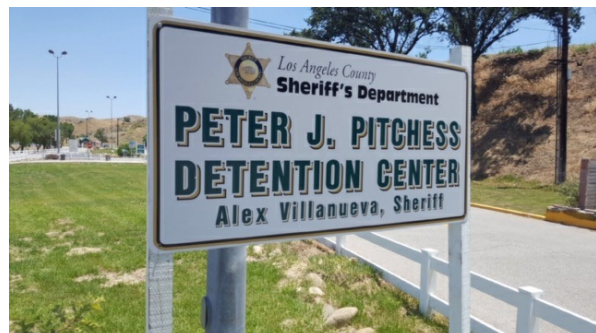
Board Member Meeting at NCCF

Feb 24: Board Member Tony Coleman visited NCCF to discuss working conditions of Custody Assistants, such as position assignments, mandated overtime and drafting.



Meeting with Sergeants at PDC

Feb 25: Sergeants assigned to Pitchess Detention Center met with PPOA President Tab Rhodes on Monday afternoon to discuss issues related to the Dual Track process.



PPOA Delegates Meeting



Feb 25: PPOA delegates from units throughout the county gathered with union board and staff members in Burbank on Tuesday for the first delegates meeting of the year. Topics of discussion included endorsements, training, committees and much more. We are grateful to all of the delegates who joined us for this informative evening.

Meeting to Discuss Dual Track

Feb 26: PPOA hosted a meeting on Wednesday to continue discussions with the Sheriff's Department about the Dual Track process. Participants included President Rhodes, Board Members Carlos Marquez, Tony Romo and Ryan Vienna, as well as Assistant Sheriff Robin Limon, Employee Relations representatives, and Captain John McBride from Personnel Administration Bureau.



Board Member Meeting at CRDF

Feb 27: Board member Tony Coleman visited CRDF to discuss the current state of CCW's,



the Custody Assistant classification review, scheduling & drafting, the assignments of Custody Assistants at the facility, the vacancies/hiring of CAs and

Primary Election Endorsements Sent to PPOA Members

Feb 27: PPOA emailed its list of primary election endorsements to members on Thursday. If you are a registered voter in LA County, the PPOA Board of Directors encourages you to cast an informed vote for candidates who support the interests of public safety personnel. If you are not a County resident, you can still help by sharing the endorsement list below with friends and family who live in Los Angeles County.

PPOA ENDORSEMENTS

Primary Election - March 3, 2020



ASSEMBLY

- ✓ BURTON BRINK / 49th District
- ✓ SYDNEY KAMLAGER-DOVE / 54th District
- ✓ PHILLIP CHEN / 55th District
- ✓ LISA CALDERON / 57th District

CITY COUNCIL

- ✓ AL AUSTIN / Long Beach
- ✓ JIM EDWARDS / Cerritos
- ✓ ANTHONY OTERO / La Mirada
- ✓ DAVID RYU / Los Angeles
- ✓ CHUONG VO / Cerritos
- ✓ ERIC WEBER / San Dimas

MAYOR

- ✓ EMMET BADAR / San Dimas

LOS ANGELES COUNTY SUPERVISOR

- ✓ HERB WESSON / 2nd District
- ✓ JANICE HAHN / 4th District
- ✓ KATHRYN BARGER / 5th District

LOS ANGELES COUNTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY

- ✓ JACKIE LACEY

LOS ANGELES SUPERIOR COURT JUDGE

- ✓ KENNETH FULLER / Office 29
- ✓ STEVE MORGAN / Office 72
- ✓ SHERRY POWELL / Office 97
- ✓ SCOTT ANDREW YANG / Office 162

Feb 27: PPOA Vice President/L.E.T. Jim Blankenship, President Tab Rhodes and Executive Director Wayne Quint met at the Hall of Justice with LASD executives and LA County CEO's Office representatives to discuss the ongoing L.E.T. class study. Upon recommendation from the L.E.T. Labor Management Committee (a byproduct of contract negotiations between PPOA, County and LASD), the CEO Classification Division is conducting a review of the staffing and classification concept, standards and duties of LETs throughout the department. For more information about the ongoing study, [click here to read "The Quest for Equality and Reform for LETs" by Vice President Blankenship.](#)



Pay Errors Discussed with Medical Examiner's Office

Feb 27: The latest in a series of meetings to discuss errors in payment to employees of the Department of Medical Examiner was held on Thursday at the DME-Coroner Office. Those participating included President Rhodes, Executive Director Quint, PPOA Representative Kevin Thompson, and representatives from the Department of Medical Examiner.



PPOA Benefit Spotlight: Multi-Use Conference Center for PPOA Members



PPOA was honored to host more than 20 members of the LA County DA's Office this

week for their 2-day Leadership Class. This is exactly why the PPOA Conference Center was included in the building plans for the union headquarters in San Dimas. Complete with mini-kitchen, built-in projection and seating for up to 40, the PPOA Conference Center is available to members of this association for work-related events. For more information, call (323) 261-3010.



March 3

Presidential Primary Election

[Click here to locate Los Angeles County vote centers](#)

March 4

LA County Retired Marshals Luncheon

Damon's Restaurant, Glendale

12 pm

March 6

West Hollywood Station Memorial Golf Tournament

Honoring LT Jimmy Farrell, Reserve DEP Harry Morton & DET Amber Joy Leist

DeBell Golf Club, Burbank

Info: SGT Lapkin (661) 289-1553

March 6

Retirement Celebration for:

- SGT Lyndon Dancel
- DEP Allison Bryne,
- DEP Gwen Gardner
- DEP David Bryant
- C.A. Valerie Jackson

Hall of Justice Media Room, L.A.

12 pm

Info/tix: Tammy Murdoch (213) 974-4581

March 10

LASD Southern Idaho Brunch

Dry Creek Merchantile, Boise ID

10 am

RSVP to Phil Santisteven: pswolf99@gmail.com

March 11

PPOA Board of Directors Meeting

San Dimas

10 am

March 14

Workers' Comp & Disability Retirement Seminar

PPOA Conference Center, San Dimas

Free for PPOA members. RSVP: (323) 261-3010

10 am

March 17

Retired SCV Luncheon

Coco's Restaurant, Stevenson Ranch

11 am

RSVP/Info: carriestuart04@gmail.com

March 18

Retirement Celebration for:

- SGT William Barbe
- SGT Daniel Burdick
- SGT Carlos Flores
- SGT Kevin Unland
- SUP PRD Flora Chavez-Garcia
- SUP PRD Valerie Portesi-Johnson
- PRD Donna Valdez
- PRD Jacqueline Stringer

Fleet Management Unit Lot Door 39, L.A.

RSVP/Tix: Cynthia Gallegos (323) 881-8001

March 19

42nd Annual POPA Federal Credit Union Membership Meeting

Almansor Court, Alhambra

POPAFCU.org

5:30 pm

March 20

Retirement Celebration for SGT Theresa Dawson

University of the Antelope Valley, Lancaster

6 pm

RSVP/Tix: Detective Velazquez (661) 810-9610

March 21

Las Vegas ROMEOs Luncheon

Charlie's Lakeside Casino, Las Vegas

Info: Bob Canfield (818) 219-2294

March 29

8th Annual Heroes Ride

Hollywood Bowl to Biscailuz Center

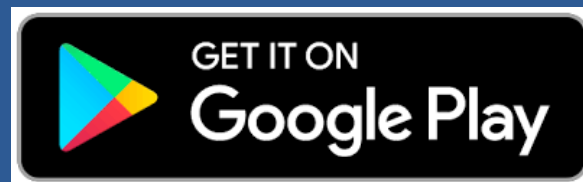
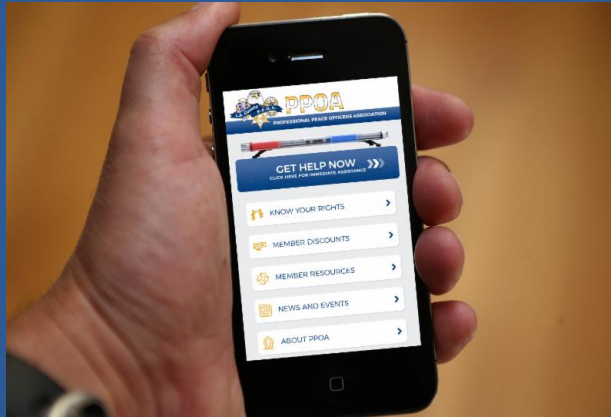
Hosted by PPOA and Star & Shield Foundation

Proceeds benefit families of fallen officers & military vets

8:30 am

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