LAX, Ontario **Employees Have** Fun at Annual **Picnics**

Hundreds of employees of **LAX and Ontario airports** gathered for their annual picnics, staying cool, eating well and having lots of fun.

The Ontario picnic was held August 2 at Red Hill Park in Rancho Cucamonga. The LAX picnic was held August 9 at Westchester Park in Westchester. Both picnics were sponsored by the Association of Airport Employees (AAE).

Prizes were given away. Some of the winners are pictured below.

The Club would like to thank AAE President and Club member Leatrice Pickens for the invitation to attend, and AAE Vice President Jimmy Sparks (and the crew: Lori and Diana) for going out of their way to make the Club's visit a good one. 🏨

Ontario Airport Prize Winners



Barry and Lori Coleman won dinner for two at Wild Bills. Barry, an A&C mechanic, and Lori, a senior clerk typist, have 13 years of service each.



Lisa Yencey, Carpenter, 2.5 years, won two Los Angeles County



Grand Prize Winner: Dorla Baptist, a gardener/caretaker, 24 years. She won two Wild Rivers tickets, four movie passes and two VIP Improv tickets.



Congratulations to Leah Ruiz, 6, who won the Hello Kitty portable CD player. She is accompanied by Jeff Mararac and Raydeen **Guzman, Custodial Section, 3 months**



Bertha Vega, Clerk Typist, 18 years, won two San Diego Wild

Animal Park tickets. NOT PICTURED: Susan Leanos, Custodial Section, 6 months, won four passes for the Long Beach Aquarium; Avis K. Powell, Department of Transportation, 15 years, won two Los Angeles County Fair tickets; and Ed Bowers, Street Cleaning Crew, 15 years, won the grand prize of four Disneyland passes.

LAX Prize Winners



Constance Brooks, Custodial Section, 7 years, won dinner for two at Wild Bill's.



Lorenzo Maldonado won tickets to the San Diego Zoo.

New Club Benefit Eases Car Ownership Costs

Hey City employees who work downtown: Wouldn't it be nice to have another car occasionally? Then check out this great new Club benefit.

If you need a car, but are concerned about the high cost of insurance and gas, try Flexcar. It's smarter than owning a car. Flexcar parks brand new cars all over Los Angeles and allows you to drive them as if they were your own! The big difference? Flexcar pays for gas, insurance, maintenance and 24-7 emergency service while you pay an hourly or monthly rate.

When you join Flexcar, you're given a special Flexcar KeyCard that electronically opens the doors to their vehicles. You reserve the vehicle you want over the phone or over the Web, arrive at the car, unlock the doors and enter your PIN code in a device inside to start the ignition (just like a cash machine). You take your trip and return the car to the original spot, and they send you a monthly bill based on your use. It's that simple.

Use Flexcar for trips to the store, across town to visit friends or family, or for any other purpose. With vehicles located close to public

transit in Los Angeles, USC, Pasadena, Burbank and Long Beach, it's like having your own car – without the cost and hassle. You can also use Flexcar during the business day, for personal or business trips.

If you work in City Hall, or for the Building and Safety, Transportation or Community Development, you'll find that Flexcar has locations right near your building! More locations are on planned for the future.

Rates in the Los Angeles area begin at \$10 per hour. The cars are brand new 2003 Honda Civic Hybrids, which are equipped with automatic transmission, air conditioning and a

CD player.

Club members are entitled to a special discount - only \$15 to join (normally \$25). **Just enter the following** promo code "D-15-CEC" when you join.

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