

## RLACEI Throws Successful Golf Tournament on June 15



It is about 6:45 am and several cars quietly turn into the Alhambra Golf Course parking lot. There are several cars already there. Some just arriving and others have been parked for a few minutes with the owners of the cars standing near their car trunks with their golf bags and golf shoes. One would think this is a weekend morning, but its actually Tuesday.

This was the 26th annual Retired Los Angeles City Employees, Inc., Golf Classic at the Alhambra Municipal Golf Course June 15.

There are a handful of retired City employees who connect once again to partake in a team environment, getting to work together again as a cohesive and collective unit just as they did when they were part of the City workforce. Except this time it is not in the City yards or offices, but it is in golf carts at the Alhambra Golf Course.

At the Alhambra Public Golf Course, retired recently or long ago join together for a brief few hours a year. Retirees like two-time defending RLACEI Golf Classic champion Dick Hovious, and Adam Birkenbach, who worked for Harbor and the DWP are longtime Golf Classic attendees and would find it hard miss the tournament. "It's more than playing golf, it is about getting together and revisiting with some of the people whom you worked with for decades in the City."

The Club gladly helped sponsor the golf tournament. "One of our goals is that we want to show our support to our retired City employees," Club COO John Hawkins said.

LACERS also sponsored this year's event. General Manager Robert Aguillo Jr., with several of his senior staff, attended the event.

Raffle and Trophy Winners included : Gil Alberio; Richard Cooper; Lilly Esparza; Jack Mathews; Ed Anderson; Mark Rose; Archie Estrada; Richard Telles; Ernie Robles; Joe Crunkleton; George Walker; Bob Gomez; Ray Jantz; Jess Molina; Hector Ramirez; Rich Malone; Hans Markus; Gail Draper; Gil Garnas; Cozetta J. Heard; Jeanette Nave; Jeffrey Jessee; Robert Aguillo; Rob Jacques; Dick Hovious; Ed Harding; Jack Mathews; Carmen Alva; and Phil Skarin.

Congratulations, RLACEI, on another successful golf tournament. Here are photos of the event. 📷



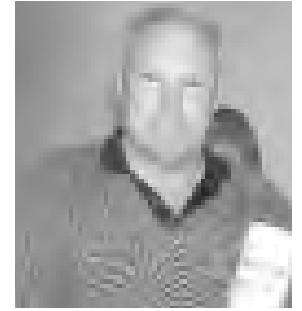
Trophy winners Ed Harding, Jack Mathews, Carmen Alva and Phil Skarin.



Raffle/trophy winner Hans Markus.



Raffle/trophy winner George Walker.



Raffle/trophy winner Rich Malone.



Raffle/trophy winner Jess Molina: Hector Ramirez.



From left: Tom Moutes, LACERS, 23 years; and Robert Sweeley, Airports.



From left: Robert Aguillo, General Manager, LACERS, 2 years; and Gary Mattingly, General Manager, Fire and Police Pensions, 37 years.



Jim Hamilton, LAPD, 32 years; and Gail Draper, Police/ITA, 40 years.



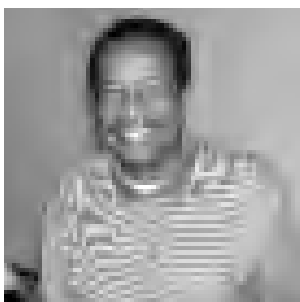
Raffle/trophy winner Bob Gomez.



Raffle/trophy winner Gail Draper.



Defending champion Dick Hovious, Building and Safety, 27 years.



Raffle/trophy winner Joe Crunkleton.



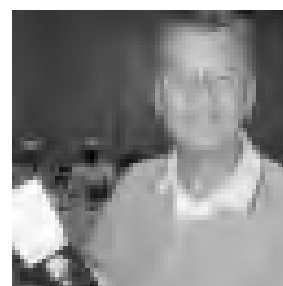
Shogi Fukuma, Public Works, 34 years.



Trophy winners Gil Garnas.



George Egami, 34 years.



Raffle/trophy winner Ray Jantz.



Walt Naydo, Public Works, 38 years.



Loren Meeche, ITA, 36 years; and Gozetta Heard, LAPD, 32 years.



Trophy winners Jeffrey Jessee and Robert Aguillo.



John Bobo, Bill Tramel and Norm Gottlieb.



Trophy winners Cozetta J. Heard and Jeanette Nave.

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Glen Nave, Public Works, 34 years.



Tim Chavez, DWP, 16 years.



Ed Itagaki, Public Works, 32 years.



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Trophy winners Rob Jacques and Dick Hovious.



Guests Ben and Jess Molina, brothers of Hector Ramirez.



Joe Markus, Transportation, 32 years.



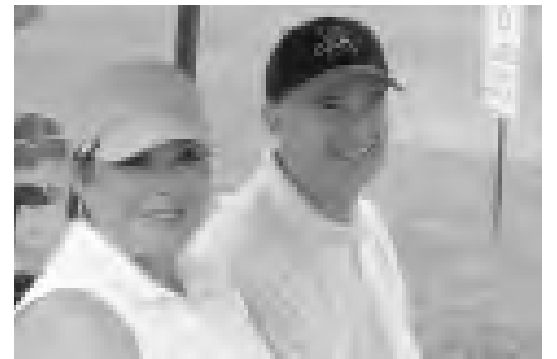
Robert Gomez, Transportation, 31 years.



Andy Pollard, Public Works, 36 years.



Adam Birkenbach, DWP/Harbor, 37 years.



From left: Lilly Esparza, LACERS, 35 years; and Gil Garnas, Public Works, 30 years.



Rich Molony, LAPD, 27 years.



Archie Estrada, Public Works, 35 years.



Hector Ramirez, Airports, 17 years.



Drew Sones, Sanitation, 30 years.



Earl Clark, Port of LA, 37 years.



Mase Beastron, Public Works, 32 years.



Mark Rose, Harbor, 10 years.



Horace Lumpkin, Building and Safety, 31 years.



Bill Schubert, Public Works, 35 years.



Gerald Tataki, Building and Safety, 33 years.



Richard Telles, Rec and Parks, 35 years.



Jack Mathews, General Services, 40 years.



Jerry Jessee, Safety Permits, 24 years.



Andy Hippert, Harbor, 35 years.



Guest Raymond Reyes, husband of Carmelia Reyes, LAPD, 30 years.



Robert Jacques, Public Works, 36 years.



Oliver Cunningham, Public Works, 30 years.



Doug Dow, Public Works, 32 years.



Charles Clement, Rec and Parks, 38 years.



Steve Hill, Public Works, 37 years.



George Walker, General Services, 30 years.



Earl Gales, Airports, 34.5 years.



Gary Mattingly, Fire and Police Pensions, 35 years.



From left: Alice Walden, Elections Division; and Helen Salgado, Housing, 35 years.



Phill Skarin, Public Works, 40 years.



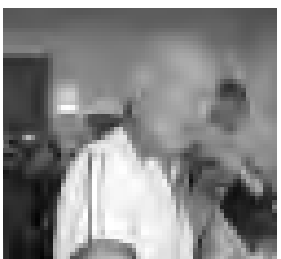
Richard Cooper, Building and Safety, 12 years.



Nick Lieggi, General Services, 25 years.



Raffle/trophy winner Mark Rose.



Raffle/trophy winner Archie Estrada.



Gill Alberio, Harbor, 39.5 years.



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Robert Sweeley, Airports, 33 years; and Tom Mautes, LACERS, 20 years.



From left: Ed Harding, General Services, 34 years; and Ken Spiker, Chief Legislative Analyst, 28 years.



Dominic Rescneto, Building and Safety, 33 years.



Sandra Dyson, LACERS, 29 years.



Walter Smith, Rec and Parks, 38 years.



Dan Gallagher, LACERS, 26 years.



Mark Blunk, LACERS, 14 years.



Raffle/trophy winner Richard Cooper.



Raffle/trophy winner Gil Alberio.



Tom Stemnock, City Planning, 14 years.



From left: Ray Jantz, City Planning, 38 years; and Jeff Jantz, LAPD, 20 years.



From LACERS, from left: James Aceron and LeLand Shen.



Raffle/trophy winner Lilly Esparza.



Raffle/trophy winner Jack Mathews.



Raffle/trophy winner Ed Anderson.



Raffle/trophy winner Ernie Robles.



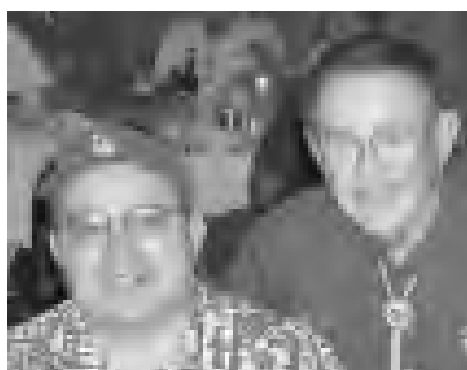
Raffle/trophy winner Richard Telles.



Jeanette Nave, Engineering, 23 years.



From left: Club COO John Hawkins; and Ed Harding, President of RLACEI.



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## L.A. Natural History Museum In Need of Volunteer Docents

The Natural History Museum of Los Angeles County seeks volunteer docents. It's a great opportunity with wonderfully satisfying returns! Give a little time as a museum docent and you just might inspire wonder in children, discover new knowledge for yourself, and share experiences with like-minded people.

During the school year, docents enhance the museum experience of school children by introducing them to the museum's wonderful exhibits in one or more of 15 science and history halls. The museum's collections include dinosaurs, Native American cultures, mammals, California history, gems and minerals, marine biology and more.

Extensive training (26 weeks) is provided. Commitment is four hours one day per week the first year, two hours per week the second year.

Added perks include lectures, lunches, periodic visits to other museums and points of interest, and special museum events.

The museum is now accepting applications for its fall training class.

Call (213) 763-3531 for additional information.



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