

CONVENTION CENTER

Employee Appreciation

Convention Center hosts Employee Appreciation Day.

Photos by Robert Larios, Director of Operations

The Los Angeles Convention Center (LACC) family of employees held its annual Employee Appreciation Barbecue July 23, with the participation of more than 250 employees from all divisions.

The event highlighted the LACC's unprecedented achievements as it has positioned itself as a proud reflection and a worthy representation of Los Angeles before a local, national and international audience.

As part of this event, employees who made outstanding contributions toward providing excellent customer service and the achievement of the LACC's goals for the 2007-08 Fiscal Year were recognized. In addition, Los Angeles City Service Year Pins were awarded to 38 LACC employees.

The event was conducted this year by Greg

Lissow, Building Superintendent II, who was unanimously chosen by the organizers because of his great personality and charm.

The Club was present to document this fun and important event. Way to go, Los Angeles Convention Center! Thanks to Luis Aguilar, Convention Center, for his assistance.



Pouria Abbassi, General Manager and CEO, Los Angeles Convention Center, attended the event.



Food Services Director Duane Gornicki gives an award to Executive Fous Chef Francisco Kofonoy.



Accounting Clerk I Melby Orellana receives an award from Exhibitor Services Division Head Monica Shelton.



Building Superintendent II Greg Lissow was the host.



Set-up Section Supervisor Leopoldo Hernandez (white shirt) receives an award from Greg Rosicky, Director of Event Services.



Security Services Director John Shea presents an award to Senior Clerk Typist Karen Manson.



Facility clerical staff decorating the space, from left: Julia Lizarde, Hedy Guinto, Herbert Romero, Michael Bernard and Adriana Valles.



Building Superintendent I Tom Fields presents an award to Senior Electrician Reggie Chit.



Duane Gornicki gives an award to Director of Concessions Sue Franco.



Luis Aguilar conducts the game "Mad Lips."



Executive Chef Rick Wineman cuts the cake.



Accounting Clerk II Carlos Torres receives an award from Department Chief Accountant Mary Jane Aquino.



Retired Electricians, from left: Richard Quackenbush, Eugene Cheney, William Riddel, Aubrey Thompson, Ezequiel Gordon and Clem Linnebur.



Graduates!

Congratulations!

**Let the Club family celebrate with you ...
by putting your photo in *Alive!***

Club members: Have you had a family member graduate from elementary school ... high school ... or college this summer? Send us a photo, and we'll publish it in *Alive!*

Make sure you tell us:

- The name of the graduate.
- The school from which they graduated. If a college, tell us their major.
- Their future plans (briefly)
- The name and department of the Club member they're related to (and how they're related)



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If you have a paper print, send a duplicate (we prefer you not send the original) to:

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City Employees Club of Los Angeles
350 S. Figueroa St., Suite 700
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