

LETTERS To the Editor

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—LETTER OF THE MONTH—

Capturing Beauty Is a Snap For Photo Contest Winners

My favorite page to see in the newspaper is "John's Picture Perfect Contest." There are some incredible photos that employees take! I especially like the one taken by Carlos Rodriguez of the Housing Department in the March newspaper. The affect of the sunlight coming into the ground of the warehouse is mysterious and beautiful!

— Linda Gomez, Retired

Hi Linda, we were just talking about this very subject at our last editorial meeting. We are amazed at the quality of the photos that our Club Members submit. Every month produces some more stunners. So, when it comes to appreciating "John's Picture Perfect Contest," we're in line right behind you! — Ed.



Photo by Carlos Rodriguez, Plumber, Housing

Lorena Does a Lot to Earn Club Rep Award

I want to send a great big congratulations to Lorena de la Torre for taking the Club Representative of the Year Award! There's a terrific photo on page 11 of the March newspaper.

—T. Smith, General Services

Tyrone: Man of Few Words, But These Words Are Magic

Wow! \$15 a ticket for the Magic Mountain Private Party? I'm there!

—Tyrone Hammock, CDD

Tina Paints the Town With Money Saved With Club Discount

I see you have a new King in town! King Larios the Discount King! I like it. And I wanted to share that, thanks to him, I saved \$500 on paint when I went to a Dunn Edwards paint store. I have been repainting my home, and it was going to cost me over \$1,000 in paint to do it. But I just showed my Club card with the cashier and boom! I saved \$500 on my receipt. Thanks, Club!

—Tina Roja, General Services

Glad to hear it, Tina! That's why we work hard to get Club Members all of our great Club discounts, so you can lead your life more affordably. — Ed.

Using Club Discount at Galaxy Match Gave Lucy a Real Kick

I went to the LA Galaxy Soccer game at the Home Depot Center March 20, and it was the home opener against the New England Revolution. Although it was raining cats and dogs, we had a wonderful time and we were even given rain ponchos at the entrance. I can't wait to go again. Thank you, Club, for offering this great discount —I saved 40 percent on my tickets!

—Lucy Gilligan, LAPD

Keeping Threats at Bay Is Just One Aspect of City

The story about [Public Works/Sanitation's] Toxicity Unit is very interesting [cover story, March]. I've always wondered what goes on at the Hyperion Treatment Plant. I am reminded of the greatness and vastness of the City and its employees. We have firefighters, engineers, policeman and now biologists like Dawn Petschauer. I'd like to say that we do it all here in the City of LA.

—Joe Dawson, Rec and Parks

Hi Joe, you're right — City Employees do a vast range of interesting, amazing things. And that's exactly why we produce *Alive!*, the celebrate all the things that are done by those who run the City — we mean you, too! Thanks for writing. —Ed.

QUESTION



of the Month



— Collected by Rachael Brecher, Club Store Assistant Manager

Rachael at the Club Store asks Club Members fun questions when they visit to purchase tickets or great Club apparel and gifts. So, stop by and join in the fun!

What's your favorite outdoor activity for Spring?



"Walking around the City."
— Donald Spivak, CRA, 28 years of City service



"Running."
— Preston Gilliard, Public Works, 2 years of City service



"Bike riding."
— Sergio Valdepena, Public Works, 13 years of City service



"Watching my son's Little League games."
— Cynthia Rodriguez, LAPD, 3 years of City service



"Bike riding on the beach."
— Michelle Brown, Public Works, 28 years of City service



"Racing motocross."
— Michael Rico, DWP, 4 years of City service



"Hiking and tennis."
— Orvin Perez, LAPD, 13 years of City service



"Going to Vegas."
— Lorena De La Torre, General Services, 16 years of City service
2011 Club Rep of the Year



"Motorcycle riding with my family."
— Henry, Air Conditioning Mechanic, 1 year of City service



"Camping."
— Antonio Orozco, General Services, 15 years of City service

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APPOINTMENT SCHEDULE

Representatives from Club partner, United Agencies will be at the Club Store:

April 7	8:30 a.m. – 4 p.m.	April 21	8:30 a.m. – 4 p.m.
	Rosa Calderon		Rosa Calderon
April 14	8:30 a.m. – 4 p.m.	April 28	8:30 a.m. – 4 p.m.
	Patty Pulido		Patty Pulido

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