



Ervin Govic, Ship Carpenter, 4 years of City service, Club Member.



From left: Marieann Gutierrez, Risk and Insurance Assistant, 12 years of City service; April Bennett, Retired, part-time, Light Duty Coordinator, 30 years, Club Member; and Chrizelle Quevedo, Clerk Typist, 5 years.



Darrelle Pan, Clerk Typist, 11 years of City service; and Kathy Merkovsky, Risk Management.



From left: Jeanette Carter, Sr. Lead Security Officer, 2 years of City service; Vernon Phifer, Sr. Lead Security Officer, 6 years; and Adrian Omelas, Sr. Lead Security Officer, 5 years.

# Harbor Health

Port hosts a health fair for employees.

Story and photos by Debbie Schroyer, Club Counselor

The port celebrated five years of bringing a health fair to its employees when it produced this year's edition on Sept. 21. More than 26 vendors participated in the health fair, demonstrating what they had to offer the employees.

Employees circulated throughout the day and were able to take advantage of the following services, among others: flu shots; massages (in a chair); and tests for vision, blood pressure and glucose. Door prizes including sporting goods, fitness gear, movie tickets and more were raffled off.

*The Club thanks Darrelle Pan and Chrizelle Quevedo for their help and support while we attended the fair.*

## HARBOR



Miguel Rios-Chavez, Gardener/Caretaker, 5 years of City service, Club Member.



Ramon Estrada, 24 years of City service, Club Member.



From left: Chrizelle Quevedo, Clerk Typist, 5 years of City service; Darrelle Pan, Clerk Typist, 11 years; and Lai Tan, Clerk Typist, 26 years. Seated: April Bennett, Retired, part-time, Light Duty Coordinator, 30 years, Club Member.

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A group of Retired LAFD members showed their support for the handball tournament.



The early bird catches the worm! These guys are serious about their handball.



From left: Retired Firefighter and past LAFD Handball Champ Vito Magnipinto with Eddie Marez and John White.



LAFD Handball Commissioner Roy Harvey.



From left: Retired LAFD Ralph Rodriguez and John White.



Watching the games on the big screen are Fire Station 2 Firefighters (from left) Jorge Miranda, Casey Kettlesleger, Omar Velasquez, and Cooper Kunath.

# Handball in Boyle Heights

Fire Dept.'s handball tournaments continue in East L.A.

Story by Gedina Bergstrom, Club Counselor, and Capt. Rick Godinez; Photos by Gedina Bergstrom

A group of about 50 people gathered Sept. 22 at Fire Station 2 for some good times at the Boyle Heights Handball Tournament. These guys are serious about the game, starting at 7 a.m. There were many people both active and retired smiling, sharing stories, and enjoying the sport. I got a chance to meet with John White, a retired Fire Fighter who filled me in on many warm memories of being with the department and about his current mission trips to places like Haiti. Check out all the wonderful pics!

The tournament was a benefit for the Widows, Orphans and Disabled Fireman's Fund.

## LAFD



From left: *Second place*—Abe Carreto, Dennis Bookil; Eddie Marez (FS 2 Handball Commissioner); *First place*—Juan Marez, and Rick Godinez (yay!). Prizes for the winners included towels for the champs and a sport bag for the runners-up.



Ed Tapia with his kill shot on the front wall. Ty Miller and Terry Williams look on.



Semifinalists, from left: Terry Williams, Ty Miller, Eddie Marez, and Greg Harvey.



Retired and Active Fire Station 2 firefighters, from left: Chad Corona, Jorge Miranda, Glenn Creiman, Terry Williams, Eddie Marez, Fire Chief Brian Cummings, Rick Godinez, John White, Cory D'Arrigo, and Abe Carreto. Bottom: Greg Harvey, Art Figueroa, Juan Marez, Javier Campos, and Omar Velasquez.



Task Force 2 is the pride of Boyle Heights. There are 12 Firefighters assigned to this station every day. This Task Force Station is comprised of a paramedic Truck Company with six firefighters. The Engine Company has four members, and the Paramedic Rescue Ambulance has two Firefighter/ Paramedics assigned.