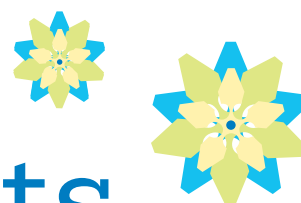


Life's Important Moments



Share your moments!

Did you get married? Have a baby? Get a promotion? We want to hear from you. Share your news with the world! Send all notices and high resolution photos with the appropriate information to talkback@cityemployeesclub.com or send paper notices and print photos to: *Alive!*, 120 West 2nd Street, Los Angeles, CA 90012

Welcome New Members!

The Club gives a great big welcome to these new members, who recently joined the Club:

New Members

Airports

William Collins
Kanisa Harrison
Jose Lopez
Maurice McKinzy
Ramon Pasillas
Joseph Pemberton
Earnest Richardson
Jorge Sandoval

Animal Services

Sarah Amstutz

Building and Safety

Krisandra Torres

City Attorney

Michelle McGinnis

City Clerk

Valerie Escalante
Martin Escanuelas
Christine Tang

City Council

Dianna Peterson

CDD

Elsa Silverstine

LAFD

Towner Douglas
Chuck Hallman
Orlando Maxwell
Christopher Pohl
Kurt Ruiz

Jerrold Webster

Fire and Police Pensions

Carmel Simmons

General Services

Victor Alvarado
Kevin Busch
Audie Chester
Tommy Davis
Ernesto Del Real
Dave Grimstead
Graham Harrison
Victor Minor
David Ostrander
Katherine Quinn
Curtis Watts

Harbor

Carlos Baldenegro
Antonio Carrillo

Housing

Calvin Oglesby

ITA

Danny Pham
Ian Kim

Library

Kate Aaronson
Deborah Avila
Patricia Marion
Cheryl Mc Call
Kriston Peers
Karen Pickard-Fair

Cassandra Thompson

Jacqueline Welsh
Dawn Willey
Tania Wilson
Dave Won

Planning

April Geary
Bruce OBryant

LAPD

Sharmika Asher
Arnita Bilal
Jasmine Brunson
Stefan Cornell
Dora Corral
Obad Evis
Kimberley Fairfax
Gregory Field
Clinton Giles
Anissa Hilario
Martha Jacobo
Teresa Jones
Curtis McIntyre
Richard Montoya Jr.
Javier Navarro
Danh Ngo
Joshua Parker
Marisol Roldan-Ponce
Raquel Sandoval
Louis Schilling
Brian Schmider
Elizabeth Swanson
Salvador Talavera

Melissa Valles

Tommy Wong
Fatimah YaDullah

PUBLIC WORKS

PW-Engineering

Zohra Abassy
Warren Liu
Armando Medina Jr.

PW-Sanitation

Jaqueline Alvarado
Mathine Cline
Matthew Eller
Roger Garcia
Michael Girdway
Rafael Gomez Jr.
Vincente Ruiz
Salvador Ruiz
Steve Vosburg

PW-Street Lighting

Lazard Diaz
Mario Olguin
Matthew Wood

PW-Street Services

Eugene Alvarado
Gabriel Basulto
Joaquin Cano
Michael Cox
William Hart
Michael Laidlaw
Sergio Lopez

Antonio Mendez
Wilfredo Osorio
William Rutan

Rec and Parks

Esteban Carrillo
Maria Contreras
Walter Cortez
Eric Frausto
Daniel Hernandez
Enorse Jackson
Steve Lopez
Marcos Manriquez
Maria Mata
Louise Merritt
Alexander Pubill
Denia Ruiz
Eva Sarinana
Hugh Sasaki
Jason Senac
Ruben Vargas
Frank Yorba
Warren Young

Transportation

Douglas Aitken
Maurice Camacho
Clarence Crisp III
Hao Fang
Juan Miranda, Jr.
Carlos Naranjo
Lon Soh

Zoo

Sean Bok
Irene Enriquez

Jennifer Kuypers
Stephen Morrice
Joshua Pagliuso
Marilyn Rathgeb
Deanna Rocca
Amy Rossa

Retired

Cecilia Castaneda

DWP

Joel Ackermann
Jesse Acosta
Kevin Amabisca
Federico Blanquel
Brian Chamberlain
Daniel Denning
Joseph Foreman
Daniel Garcia
Walter Lopez
Jason Morgan
Sheridan Phillips
Jose Rodriguez
Uriel Sanchez
Jeff Steinbock
Marc Swagler
Charfrey Thornton
Peng Cheng Zheng

Other

Stacey Beagle-Breault
Ira Beaty
Charles Connor
Narina Davtyan
Guillermo De La Mora

Kathleen DeWidt

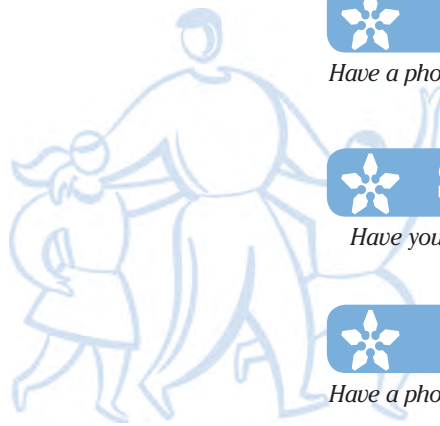
Dixie Emanuel
Rene Escobedo
Jorge Espinoza
Daphne Evangelista
Monsenior Foster
Gary Foster
Jorge Galdamez
Agustin Garcia
Ean Hargrove
Willis Huffman III
Zafar Kassai
Brandon Lacy
Daniel Mackay
Michael Manns
Brian Marracino
Silas Minor, Jr.
Sandra Miranda
Andrew Montealegre
Russell Orlando
Belma Pacheco
Johsua Ramsey
Hao Trieu
Jose Trujillo
Toby Villalobos
Timmy Whisenhunt
Sylvester Wiley Jr.
Mark Winter
Anthony Wright
Henry Yun

Births

Have a photo of a recent newborn? Send photo and the appropriate information to talkback@cityemployeesclub.com



Devyn Joyce Jamison, born May 20 to Garland III and Jessica Jamison. Devyn is the first grandchild of Lorenda Jamison, Retired, DWP, 37 years of City service, and her husband, Garland.



Military

Have a photo of a recent event? Send a high resolution photo and the appropriate information to talkback@cityemployeesclub.com

Special Achievements

Have you or your children recently achieved something special? Send to talkback@cityemployeesclub.com

Weddings

Have a photo of a recent event? Send a high resolution photo and the appropriate information to talkback@cityemployeesclub.com

Peace of Mind

by Tiffany Sy
The Club's Peace of Mind Expert



Two Special Enrollments End This Month!

July 31 is the last day to sign up for our Special Enrollment for existing DWP Club Members for our Group Short-Term Disability plan!

Special Enrollment means you are enrolled with no medical review as long as you are a Club Member working a minimum of 30 hours with the DWP. The Short-Term Disability insurance plan will pay you a benefit for any illness or off-the-job injury after being out sick for 14 days. The benefit

is a monthly nontaxable check paid up to a maximum of one full year. Please contact me to see if you qualify for this enrollment.

Our Open Enrollment for our Group Term Life insurance also runs through July 31. In addition to requiring no medical review, the Club will pay your premiums until the end of the year for any eligible Club Member age 40 and younger! We have included spouses of active City Employees in addition to DWP employees

to enroll for up to \$50,000 of guaranteed life insurance coverage per person. You must be working a minimum of 30 hours per week for DWP or the City of LA during the time of enrollment, and you/spouse must be 40 years of age or younger to qualify. Also, you must not have been previously declined coverage, withdrawn or canceled your application with the City Employees Club.

Don't delay; once this opportunity

ends, it's over. This is not an annual event. Enrolling now versus later will save you time, and you are automatically approved with no medical review. To request an enrollment kit, please contact me at the Club Store at (213) 620-0388, ext. 202.

Contact me at info@cityemployeesclub.com

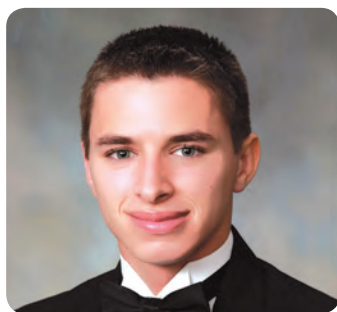


Graduations

Alive! is delighted to publish graduation photos of Club members and their children. Send a high resolution photo and the appropriate information to talkback@cityemployeesclub.com



Layla M. McCain is graduating from Wilder's Preparatory Academy Charter Middle School in Inglewood in June. She plans to attend St. Mary's Academy High School in August. In addition to studying the freshman academic curriculum, she plans to join the soccer and volleyball teams and join the National Art Honors Society. She plans to become an architect. She's the daughter of Valerie Brown-McCain, Airports.



Kenneth Kostiv Jr. graduates from Eagle Rock High School this spring. Kenneth plans to attend Arizona State University in the fall. He has not yet declared his major but he is leaning toward business or business administration. Kenneth is the son of Laurie Kostiv West of the City Attorney's Office



Sydney Young is graduating from St. Mary's Academy in Inglewood and plans to attend Howard University in Washington, D.C. in the fall. She has been accepted into Howard University's College of Arts and Sciences, with a major in visual/fine arts. Sydney is the daughter of Charlette Starkey, Personnel, and Fred Starkey, LAPD.



Diontre Rashaun Harris graduated from Golden Valley High School in Santa Clarita in May. He plans to attend Cal State Northridge in the fall, with plans to study kinesiology. He's the son of Bobby Harris, DWP, and L'keva Harris, LAPD.



Krystian Wilkerson graduated from USC with a Bachelor of science degree in accounting, and a Bachelor of science in business administration. She plans to work this fall with one of the big four accounting firms. She's the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Durant, LAFD.

In Memoriam

Our thoughts and condolences are with the family and friends of the following current and retired City employees who have passed away. The number after the name indicates years of service.

Club Members share their memories of City Employees listed in our In Memoriam section, or others who have died recently.

Their Stories

It's Time to Tell Their Story

A new *Alive!* feature

Every month, *Alive!* publishes the names of those current or retired City Employees who have died. But who were they? Did you know them? If you worked with any of these people, knew a story or two about them or were related to them, consider writing to *Alive!* and letting us know. *Tell their story!*

- Write a few sentences or paragraphs
 - Send in a photo, if you have one
 - Let us know your name and connection to the deceased
 - Send your memories to: talkback@cityemployeesclub.com
- Subject line: Tell Their Story*



Remembering Jeffrey Paul Schlinger



Jeffrey P. Schlinger
~ Died Nov. 3, 2012 ~

Jeffrey Paul Schlinger, 57, went to rest with our Lord Nov. 3, 2012, after a one-year battle with tongue, lung and bone cancer. He passed away at his home in Crestline, Calif. in the presence of his wife, Debbie; mother, Helen Schlinger; and friend, Bob Carlson. Born on July 8, 1955, Jeff lived in Whittier for 33 years. He moved to Crestline in 2010.

Jeff enjoyed cooking and spending time with family and friends. He attended the Crestline Seventh Day Adventist Church and Alcoholics Anonymous meetings. He was a loving husband, son, brother and friend. He is preceded in death by his father, William Schlinger. He is survived by his wife, Debbie; mother, Helen; sister, Nancy; friends, Bob and Armando, and many loved ones.

He will be greatly missed. Jeff's message to all: quit smoking. Smoking kills.

- Deborah McMahon

Remembering Adrian Prince DWP



Adrian Prince
~ Died June 15, 2012 ~

Adrian Prince was our friend and a co-worker. He was employed with the DWP for more than 25 years.

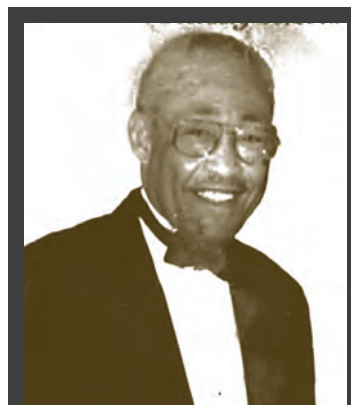
He was special to all in that he always had a positive attitude. He made coming to work an experience. His jokes were sometimes corny, but his laughter was contagious.

Adrian was very knowledgeable on every subject. If he did not know the answer, he would get it for you. Adrian strolled the halls of the DWP and touched the hearts of us all. His tallness came in handy for reaching high places and seeing above us all.

Adrian, though you have left us, you will forever reign in our hearts as "Our Prince." We shall always remember him with joy.

- Submitted by some of Adrian's friends at DWP

Remembering Jack Mathews General Services



Jack Mathews
~ Died Feb. 8, 2013 ~

I worked for and retired from the City of Los Angeles after 36 years in 1993. Thank you for the article on Chester Mathews (Jack Mathews). I met Chester in 1963. I played fast-pitch softball in the city of LA employees overhand league with the Red Sox. We were always glad to see Chester coming to umpire the games. In those days, my ball-playing name was Rookie. Chester and I also belonged to the same church, the Fifth District, he at Grant A.M.E. church and me at Bryant Temple, A.M.E. at the corner of Vernon and Fourth Avenue. Chester also gave me my lifetime card after I retired. After I moved to Texas, I still would call him sometimes. When I called he would answer and say, "Rookie, how are you? So glad to hear from you." We have lost a very fine gentleman. God bless him.

- Beacheley (B.J.) Johnson



Beacheley (B.J.) Johnson

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