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Letters to the Editor

LETTER OF THE MONTH



With Question of the Month, It's the Answers That Entertain

The responses to the *Question of the Month* were fun to read. I especially liked Hugo Sanchez's response, "Go to a cash-for-gold place!" It was a good laugh for me. By the way, the *Question of the Month* column is one of my favorites to read, and I look forward to it every month.

– Kyle Jones, LAFD

Glad you're enjoying it, Kyle. By the way, the question last month, in honor of St. Patrick's Day, was: "What would you do with a pot of gold?" – Ed.

Club's Office Depot Deal Made All the Difference

I have been enjoying the Club's contract discounts at Office Depot. Before the offer with City Employees Club came about with linking up a credit card, I would trade off between Staples and Office Depot. Needless to say, I now shop at Office Depot just about 99 percent of the time for office supplies and stationary products.

Thanks again for offering such a great deal to City of Los Angeles employees, and keep up the great work.

– Paul Evleth

Photos of LAPD Communications Halloween Costumes Appreciated

Just wanted to say thank you to the City Employees Club for the fine job you did in printing the Halloween pictures [March 2014]. I realize it was a challenge because they did not have all the names but you did a fine job. Thank you very much! Everyone enjoyed seeing the pictures. Hopefully next year we'll do a better job!

– Jean Sarfaty, LAPD, Club Rep

Auto Insurance Through the Club Saved Albert Hundreds

Hi there, I just wanted to let you know that I finally called the Club Auto insurance hotline. I was totally blown away – they cut my auto insurance bill by \$350 a year. Now I'm just kicking myself for waiting so long!

– Albert Simpson, DWP

From One Mary to Another, Thanks for LACERS Updates

I've been retired for over 16 years now and loving it! Please let Mary Beetz, the author of *Alive!*'s LACERS Update, know that

I religiously read her column every single month. Keep up the good work, Mary!

– Mary Rose Wilkens, Retired, Library

TEAM Award Story Shows The Good News of the City

Last month you ran a story on page 11 about Public Works and their TEAM awards. I just wanted to say, *thank you!* I know a couple of the people who won awards, and it's great to see them being recognized. Too often the good things that we City Employees do go unnoticed. Thank you for always bringing these good stories to light.

I love the City Employees Club!

– Jan, Club Member for 14 years

Technically Speaking, ITA's Update of City Tech Is Welcome

That was an informative story about the Information Technology Agency. Technology has come a long way and it is amazing to know that the City is bringing fiber and wireless to every City facility and house. Steve Reneker and all the employees there are doing a fine job, and I look forward to hearing more news about their plans to prepare the City for the future.

– Tim Laidlaw, General Services

History Column Graphic Gets Myrna's (Old) Stamp of Approval

One of the things that impressed me about the *History Comes Alive!* column by Michael Holland was the image of the 1917 request to film letter from the Keystone Film Company. Has anyone noticed the "Received" stamp on it? I still use the same stamp design at my office! Some things just never change.

– Myrna Jenkins, Rec and Parks

FELLOW CLUB MEMBERS ANSWER THE...

Question OF THE MONTH

– as collected from around the City by your friendly Club Counselors

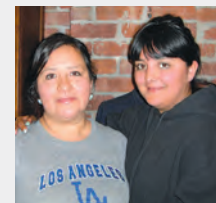


What's your favorite snack at a baseball game?



"Is beer considered food? That would be my favorite at a ball game."

– Guillermo Barragan, Bureau of Engineering, 14 years of City service, Club Member



"Nothing like a Dodger Dog and garlic fries!"

– Lorena & Raquel Espiritu (Wife and Daughter of Jose Espiritu, Sanitation, 5 years of service, Club Member)



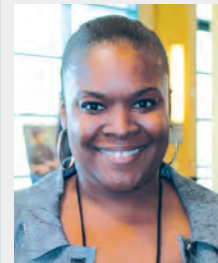
"A hot dog."

– Officer III Ignacio Rojas, LAPD, 32 years of City service



"A hot dog."

– Officer III Sabrina La Mar, 20 years of City service



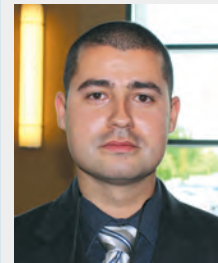
"A hot dog."

– Brandie White, Clerk Typist, 8 years of City service, Club Member



"Peanuts."

– Deborah Hernandez



"A hot dog and beer."

– Officer II Raul Olivares, LAPD, 7 years of City service



"Pizza."

– Laila Khamidora, LAPD, 12 years of City service



"A hot dog."

– Lt. Melody Hainline, LAPD, 19 years of City service



"Peanuts and Coke."

– Officer III Victor Nunez, LAPD, 17 years of City service



"I gotta go with the delicious Dodger dogs!"

– Rodney Beverly, Sanitation, 5 years of City service, Club Member



"A hot dog and beer."

– Sgt. Humberto Najera, LAPD, 18 years of City service

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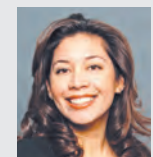
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