

SLOCREA NEWSLETTER APRIL-MAY 2021

San Luis Obispo County Retired Employees' Association

Date: Monday May 10, 2021

Time: 1:30 PM – 3:00 PM (may end earlier)

Place: Zoom from your favorite electronic device or telephone

RSVP: Please RSVP to Miki Gillman's email: mikigillman@gmail.com, or

Cell Phone: 1-805-550-7196 (Text or Call) by Sunday 05/09/2021 @ 8:00 PM.

Program: Carl Nelson, Pension Trust: Everything We Want to Know About Pension Trust!

Feel free to email to me any topics, issues and/or Qs you want him to address in his presentation. He will also answer questions from the floor.

This meeting will start at 1:30 PM

Larry Batcheldor is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting. Join Zoom

Meeting <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/9622810477>

Meeting ID: 962 281 0477

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Find your local number: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/kDWX6GLKo>

Scheduled 2021 General Meetings

Monday May 10th: Carl Nelson, Director of Pension Trust **Zoom @ 1:30 PM**

Monday July 12th - Kerry Sheets, Executive Director of SLO Village **Zoom @ 1:30 PM**

Monday October 4th: Ashleigh Szkubiel, Benefits Coordinator of SLO County **Live @ 12 Noon!**

Monday December 13th: Annual Elections and Extraordinary Local Violinist Brynn Albanese will entertain us. **Live at 12 Noon.**

All meetings are currently @ 1:30 PM via Zoom through our July Meeting. We anticipate returning to in-person luncheon meetings October 4th, and will switch time of meeting back to 12 Noon then. Location to be announced.

A huge Thank-You to Vita Miller for scheduling all these wonderful programs!

We anticipate having a special celebration when we return to live meetings.

Board Meetings are currently scheduled to be held immediately following each General Meeting. Any SLOCREA Member may attend. We may have a separate board meeting at other times as needed. Those are also generally at 1:30 PM on a Monday. Please contact us if you would like to attend, so we can send you the Zoom information..

2021 Board of Directors

President: Miki Gillman, 1-805-550-7196, mikigillman@gmail.com

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Director: Vacant: *Are You Ready to Join Our Board?*

Hearty thanks to our new members and to those of you who have already renewed for 2021! We appreciate your sweet notes, also! If you have not yet renewed, please do. Simply mail a check for \$15.00 to SLOCREA, PO Box 3533, San Luis Obispo CA 93403-3533.

Check out our website at: www.slocrea.org

Dear Everyone,

We are jubilant that we have turned a corner in controlling the pandemic! Our County entered the Orange Tier! The CDC is loosening restrictions, especially for those of us who are fully vaccinated. We are discussing how, when, & where to resume live luncheons.

We are currently planning to return to live luncheons Monday October 4, 2021 (12 Noon) when Ashleigh Szkubiel, Benefits Coordinator of SLO County will talk with us about County Retiree Health Insurance and other benefits. This meeting is 10/04/21 to provide useful information for you to make decisions before Open Enrollment for 2022 closes. ***Lunch will be free for all paid up SLOCREA Members. Being fully vaccinated is highly recommended.***

Our May 10th Zoom meeting (@ 1:30 PM) will feature Carl Nelson presenting the status of pension Trust. This is a great opportunity to have our questions of Pension Trust answered. Feel free to send questions to us beforehand, to be sure Carl covers them.

At our Board meeting immediately following Carl's presentation, we will discuss resuming live luncheons – how, when, and where. All paid up members are invited to attend this Zoom Board Meeting and give us input. We will follow Federal, State, & County regulations and guidelines for resuming live meetings.

When will **you** be ready for live meetings? When you are fully vaccinated? When everyone is fully vaccinated? When the County Department of Public Health says it's okay? Please let us know.