

CUCSA Campus Update December 2009

Lean at Lunch Programs

Five well-received Learn-at-Lunch programs were hosted by Staff Assembly during the Fall 2009 quarter.

- *What ASUCLA Can Do for You?* – December 1, 2009
- *Hard Choices in Tough Times* – November 19, 2009
- *“Tips for Maintaining Healthy Weight for Your Children” and “Flu Prevention Facts for You and Your Family”* – November 10, 2009
- *Pac-10 Fitness Challenge & iWorkout* – October 27, 2009
- *The Benefits of Giving Blood* – October 8, 2009

Outreach

UCLA Staff Assembly is extending its outreach by attending various campus fairs and events such as:

- UCLA Veterans Day Memorial Ceremony – November 10, 2009
- UCLA Sustainability Fair – October 21, 2009

Breakfast with the Chancellor

UCLA Staff Assembly hosted the 8th “Breakfast with the Chancellor” on November 6, 2009. The event was scheduled as a luncheon due to scheduling conflicts. Over 120 staff applied for 13 available slots for the opportunity to meet with the Chancellor over lunch and engage in dialogue about important campus issues. The next Breakfast with the Chancellor is scheduled for February 11, 2010.

Presidential Task Force on Post Employment Benefits

The Post Employment Benefits Task Force Forum was held on October 12, 2009, and was well attended by close to 200 staff and retirees.

UC Commission on the Future Meeting

Staff Assembly is coordinating the UCLA meeting for the UC Commission on the Future on December 7, 2009 from 1pm to 4pm. So far, over 300 faculty and staff have RSVP for the forum. Aside from the public comments segment, Staff Assembly has invited several speakers to discuss various areas during the Staff Assembly comments segment.

Holiday Toy Drive

Partnering with the Mattel Children’s Hospital UCLA, we launched our annual toy drive to help children during the holiday season. Donation barrels are available at 25 locations throughout campus and are available all our Learn-at-Lunch programs.

Other Campus Events

UCLA Volunteer Day

On September 22, 2009, over 4000 new students took 100 buses and were led by 600 student, staff, faculty and alumni leaders to eight locations around Los Angeles to improve schools, restore beach trail and areas of park and assist in the lives of Veterans. The event was the largest single day volunteer event in UCLA’s history. For more information, please visit the Volunteer Center website at <http://volunteer.ucla.edu>.

Campus Closure

The UCLA Campus is scheduled to close for 16 days, between Saturday, December 19, 2009 and Sunday, January 3, 2010. Employees are encouraged to use furlough days in combination with vacation time to cover the time off. Additional information can be found at <http://map.ais.ucla.edu/go/1004387>.

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