



Stay cool out there as we welcome in September. School is in session and fall will be here soon!

IN THE NEWS

Chairman Don Wagner and Orange County Board of Supervisors Send Letter of Support for Veterans Cemetery Grants Program for Southern California Veterans Cemetery at Gypsum Canyon in Anaheim Hills

(Santa Ana, CA) – Chairman Don Wagner and the Orange County Board of Supervisors have sent a letter of support for the Veterans Cemetery Grants Program Pre-application submitted by the California Department of Veterans Affairs (CalVet) to the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs' National Cemetery Administration.

In the letter, the Board underscores its strong and unified backing for the development of the Southern California Veterans Cemetery at Gypsum Canyon in Anaheim Hills. After extensive deliberation and collaboration, the Board, along with all 34 cities in Orange County, a bipartisan majority of the County's state and federal delegation, public safety and labor organizations, and over 100 Veterans' organizations, have all endorsed the Gypsum Canyon site.

"The Veterans' community and the County have made significant progress towards the creation of this fitting cemetery for our Veterans," said Chairman Wagner. "This application to the Federal Government has been a long time coming and reflects the diligent work of many Veterans and state and local leaders. I hope the Department of Veterans Affairs quickly joins in our efforts."

The Board's commitment is reflected in their 2021 decision to allocate \$20 million specifically for site development and the deed of over 280 acres of County-owned land for the project. This was further supported by the Anaheim City Council's recent approval of the Orange County Cemetery District's application to develop a public cemetery at the Gypsum Canyon site.

"This cemetery is not just a place of rest but a testament to the valor and dedication of our servicemen and women," added Chairman Wagner. "We are proud to lead this initiative and ensure that our Veterans receive the respect and honor they so richly deserve."

The Orange County Board of Supervisors remains dedicated to collaborating with CalVet and other stakeholders to advance the development of this important site, providing a lasting tribute to those who have served our country with unwavering courage and dedication.

IN THE COMMUNITY

ORANGE COUNTY HALL OF FAME PLAQUES AND LOGO UNVEILING



After the August 13th Board of Supervisors meeting, the Board and I took a photo to unveil the Hall of Fame logo and plaques of last year's inductees.

Each year, the inductees will be added to the wall after each Hall of Fame ceremony.

I'm excited this first batch was installed and look forward to seeing this wall fill out over the years!

LA RENE ORGANIC THAI MASSAGE AND SPA





Congratulations to La Rene Organic Thai Massage & Spa on its grand opening in Yorba Linda. This beautiful Thai-themed spa provides luxurious spa treatments.

The spa prides itself on excellent service, ensuring a visit to the spa is a memorable one.

The Yorba Linda Chamber of Commerce hosted a ribbon cutting ceremony to celebrate the occasion.

CALIFORNIA HIGHWAY PATROL DEPUTY COMMISSIONER TROY LUKKES RETIREMENT CELEBRATION





DONALD E. WAGNER



My District Director, Scott Voigts, joined a retirement celebration for California Highway Patrol Deputy Commissioner Troy Lukkes where he presented a certificate of recognition to Commissioner Lukkes for his 30 years of service to the Southern California region.

We are grateful for all your years of selfless service to the residents of Orange County and wish you a very happy retirement.

SUPERHEROES OF TUSTIN AWARDS LUNCHEON





Congratulations to all the community volunteers who were honored at this year's Superheroes of Tustin awards luncheon.

The Tustin Community Foundation holds this annual event to thank volunteers who generously give their time to help others in the community. Non-profit organizations throughout the Tustin community nominate volunteers to be recognized.

During the awards ceremony, my Field Representative, Al Tello, presented certificates of recognition to each honoree.

CREATIVE MINDS GRAND OPENING AND RIBBON CUTTING



My District Director, Scott Voigts, and Community Outreach Director, Saga Conroy, joined the grand opening and ribbon cutting of Creative Minds Children's House, where they presented a certificate of recognition.

Creative Minds is a day care center focused on enriching children's learning experiences through an innovative educational approach.

Congratulations on your grand opening, and we wish you many years of success!

HOUSE OF MERCY GRAND OPENING



The Orange Chamber of Commerce held a ribbon cutting ceremony to officially welcome House of Mercy to Orange. My Field Representative, Al Tello, attended

the event and presented a certificate on my behalf.

House of Mercy is a bilingual Christian Church whose purpose is to strengthen families with a primary focus on upcoming generations. House of Mercy is sharing space with the First Christian Church located at 1130 E Walnut Ave in Orange.

ORANGE COUNTY RESCUE MISSION SUCCESS CENTER GRAND OPENING





Congratulations to the Orange County Rescue Mission on the grand opening of its new Success Center at Double R Ranch in Silverado. My Field Representative, Al Tello, attended the event on my behalf.

Thanks to the support of a \$100,000 grant from Cox Communications, the newly completed Success Center will provide training opportunities, life skills classes, financial literacy education, workforce development, and more, which will all contribute to acquiring long-term, full-time employment and financial stability. This grant will help the organization continue their important work among people who are impacted by housing insecurity in Orange County.

Established in 2005 by Orange County Rescue Mission, Double R Ranch is a working horse ranch that benefits formerly homeless families, children, senior citizens, and veterans. Currently undergoing renovation, the property spans 33 acres and will eventually encompass 60,000 sq. ft. to accommodate 141 beds. The Success Center is a pivotal addition to the Double R Ranch and will provide vital resources to help residents achieve long-term employment and financial stability.

HURTT FAMILY HEALTH CLINIC TOUR







I joined the Hurtt Family Health Clinic for a tour of its facilities with Executive Director Jina Lawler, and Director of Nursing, Courtnee Hastings.

Hurtt Family Health Clinic is an outpatient clinic that specializes in providing preventative, primary, and specialized healthcare services to homeless and underserved families.

I was impressed with Hurtt's operation and look forward to its growth as it continues to serve those most in need here in Orange County.

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	8:00-9:45 HILLBILLY CRUTCH Outlaw Country
June 15	6:00-7:30 Wild Adults - Jams for the Masses
	8:00-9:45 BOBBY GRAY Singer, Saxophonist Multi-instrumentalist, all types of music Recorded with Grammy Award Winners
July 20	6:00-7:30 Conspiracy Radio Band Rarely Heard Big Hits
	8:00-9:45 STARSIGN - Rockn'Roll Band the Biggest, Baddest Hits of the 70's
Aug. 17	6:00-7:30 Doggful Dead Acoustic Dead Tunes
	8:00-9:45 HEMPSTRING ORCHESTRA Grateful Dead Music w/Special Guest
Sept. 21	6:00-7:30 the Brother Jonathan Original Rock & Gold
	8:00-9:45 Music of PAUL SIMON Spend an Evening with the SIMON SEZ REVUE

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To sign up for the class, please email Kyle Harriman at communityengagement@ocsheriff.gov



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Daily Adoption Options

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11 a.m. - 5 p.m.

- Scheduled Adoption Visits available for the convenience of adopters
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- Phone line open daily from 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.



Daily
2 - 5 p.m.

- OC Animal Care is open daily for visitors to drop by to walk through
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OC SHERIFF DISASTER PREP
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