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## MESSAGE FROM THE BOARD

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As we come to the close of another IAWP year (July 1, 2010–June 30, 2011). We are in need of nominations for officers for July 1, 2011–June 30, 2012. A nomination form is found in this issue on Page 2 for your nominations for the Los Compadres Chapter.

We have had a very successful year in Chapter and Community activities. Our hard work was recognized during the 2011 State Conference in Fresno, with First Place for Community Services by a large chapter. We also received the Education Teamwork Award and three Flyer of the Month Awards.

Our annual School Supplies Drive begins on July 1 thru July 31, 2011.

We have once again partnered with the LA County Parks and Recreation to help needy LSUD students in the Northeast San Fernando Valley.

The year is not over and we are not done. Currently, fundraisers for the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society have begun and will last until October. We have set a goal of \$ 1,000.00.

Our sincere thanks to all of the Los Compadres Chapter members, your families and friends for your support in making this another successful year for the chapter.

Sylvia Altamirano, President  
[saltamir@edd.ca.gov](mailto:saltamir@edd.ca.gov)



LOS COMPADRES EXECUTIVE BOARD	
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NEXT GENERAL MEETING TBA	

**CALENDER OF EVENTS APRIL- MAY -JUNE 2011**

LOS COMPADRES CHAPTER BOARD  
MEETING  
APRIL 19

DISTRICT III  
DISTRICT III MEETING  
JUNE 11, 2011  
9AM-9:45 AM

STATE  
APRIL28-30, 2011  
CALIFORNIA CHAPTER  
EDUCATIONAL CONFERENCE

CAPERS RETIREMENT SEMINAR  
GLENDALE WORKSOURCE CENTER  
MAY 18

AND  
BUSINESS WRITING WORKSHOP  
10:00-11:30 a.m.

FOUR POINTS SHERATON  
3737 North Blackstone Avenue  
FRESNO, CA.

AGING IN OUR COMMUNITY EVENT  
MAY 20

CANAGO PARK WORKSOURCE  
CENTER

Statewide Awards  
EDD Deputy Panel

NOMINATIONS DEADLINE  
JUNE 24

21010 VANOWEN STREET  
CANOGA PARK.CA. 91303

State Chapter Elections  
District III Director Elections  
Retiree Workshop

GENERAL CHAPTER MEETING  
ELECTION OF OFFICERS  
TBA

**IAWP 98TH INTERNATIONAL EDUCATIONAL CONFERENCE- JUNE 26-29, 2011  
ST.LOUIS, MISSOURI**

**NOMINATIONS FOR 2011-2012  
LOS COMPADRES CHAPTER OFFICERS**

Nominator: \_\_\_\_\_

I hereby nominate \_\_\_\_\_

For the Los Compadres Chapter office of:  
\_\_\_\_\_

Nominee's Telephone Number/Area Code \_\_\_\_\_

Nominator's Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone No. \_\_\_\_\_

**RETURN NOMINATION FORM BY JUNE 24, 2011**

**TO**

**Bettye Hicks**

**28057 Robin Avenue**

**Santa Clarita Ca. 91350**

Nominations are now open for

The offices of:

President

First Vice President

Second Vice President

Treasurer

All other offices are appointed  
by the newly elected President.



**LOS COMPADRES CHAPTER  
SUMMARY OF LOCAL CHAPTER DUTIES**

Remember serving on the Board is not just rewarding but can be fun. You have the opportunity to develop and demonstrate leadership skills as well as meeting and working with other leaders.

LOCAL CHAPTER PRESIDENT

Schedules\_ and presides at monthly Board meetings and General Membership Meetings. Attends all California Board of Directors meetings. They are usually held on a Saturday and Sunday. The State Conference meeting is held on a Thursday.\_Travel expenses are paid plus \$65.00 for the number of hotel nights voted on by the Directors. Prepares four documented packages of quarterly sub-chapter reports and presents with oral highlights at the Directors meeting. Assigns a proxy if unable to attend. Chapter Presidents have a vote on the California Board. Local Chapter President's training is usually scheduled the morning prior to the Board meeting. Past officers serve as mentors and advisors.

You are not expected to do it alone!

FIRST VICE PRESIDENT

Acts as President when the President is unable to attend a meeting. May serve as Education Chair. Arranges locations and speakers for General membership Meetings.

SECOND VICE-PRESIDENT

Assumes the duties of President or First Vice President in their absence. May serve as Membership Chair.

TREASURER

Maintain records of income and expenditures. Pays the bills, deposits checks and reconciles the account. Prepares and submits quarterly reports to the California Chapter treasurer. Serves as registration/reception contact and collects money and checks off names of attendees at chapter functions, if applicable. Must be Computer literate and able to use Quicken. Must be bondable by the local chapter.

The Secretary is appointed by the President and attends local meetings to record minutes. Assists with Preparations of quarterly reports, prepares and distributes chapter publicity documents and assists with the publication of The Grapevine Newsletter.

The President also appoints office representatives and chairs for legislation, retirees, veterans and awards.

Questions? Contact Audrey Baker at 818.833. 9511 or Bettye Hicks at 661.513.0264

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JUNE 30, 2011

Retirees Rock

**MEMBERSHIP RECRUITMENT**

The Los Compadres Chapter membership recruitment drive for the period of July 1, 2010-JUNE 30, 2011 is almost over. A minimum of 6 new members is required to qualify for the top recruiter award.

**\$\$ For the TOP Recruiter**

**\$ For the second Place Recruiter**

**\$ For the Third Place Recruiter**

Membership applications are available from any LCC Board member, Cal-lope or download from the Ca. IAWP Chapter web-site at:

[www.iawp.ca.org](http://www.iawp.ca.org)

**INTERNATIONAL VOTING RULES**

*VOTE FOR*

**RAY CABRERA FOR INTERNATIONAL VICE PRESIDENT**

Each IAWP member may cast one vote by paper ballot or by voting online.

The voting period is June 3, 2011 8am EST thru June 17, 2011 5pm EST.

All ballots cast by mail must be postmarked by June 17, 2011, including any ballots that are faxed or emailed.

To cast your vote online go to: [www.iawponline.org](http://www.iawponline.org)

Log into the "members only" portal and enter your:

Member Number (found on your membership card)

If you need your membership number contact [paiges@iawponline.org](mailto:paiges@iawponline.org)

Enter your password ( don't have a password click and follow the instructions.)

