

# UCI Center for Emeriti and Retirees

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## Upcoming Events/Opportunities

### Feb. 2016—Jun. 2016: SteppingUP College Awareness Program

Become a mentor for 5th graders in Oak View Community of Huntington Beach! Mentors serve as positive role models to help build awareness and enthusiasm about college, provide support and strengthen study skills. Session plans and materials provided. Volunteer an hour and a half (3 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.) every week between February and June of 2016. Please contact **Rita Anderson** (rita@occhc.org or 714-558-8161 ext. 18).

### March 2nd (Wed.): When Someone You Love Has Alzheimer's Disease—Newkirk Alumni Center—12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m.



When a loved one is diagnosed with Alzheimer's disease the impact on family and caregivers is enormous. This course will address some of the basic considerations involved in caring for and communicating with a loved one who has Alzheimer's disease to include basic facts of the disease and the unique challenges it brings to the family. **Limited Seating so RSVP is required to: [retirees@uci.edu](mailto:retirees@uci.edu) or 949-824-7769.**

### March 2nd (Wed.): Bommer Canyon Trail to the Coast—Irvine

This 6.1 mile hike follows Bommer Canyon Trail in the Irvine Open Space Preserve to Ridge Park and down Crystal Cove State Park trails to the Ranger Station on the coast. *If you do not have a State parking permit, meet at the Turtle Rock Community Park lot.* We need at least two cars with permits at the El Moro lot, **so please let us know if you have a permit when you RSVP.** Permit holders meet at 9:00 a.m. at the Ranger Station on El Moro Road and PCH to carpool to the trailhead at Turtle Rock Community Park. **RSVP to [retirees@uci.edu](mailto:retirees@uci.edu) or 949-824-7769.**



### Mar. 10th (Wed.): Easily Growing Great Tomatoes—University Club in Room C, located at 801 E. Peltason, Irvine, 92697 @ 11 a.m.

March is the best month to start tomatoes for a bountiful summer crop. Dave Freed, *the Tomato Guy*, provides all the information you need to grow tomatoes in a pot or in the ground. He covers the basics of soil, fertilizer, plants or seeds, mulch, sun, water and how to deal with pests. How successful is he? He has

harvested 50 pounds of tomatoes from a single plant. **RSVP to [retirees@uci.edu](mailto:retirees@uci.edu) or 949-824-7769.**

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### \*Lecture locations:

For Irvine campus lectures, we have two locations.

The **Newkirk Alumni Center** is at the corner of Mesa Rd. and University Ave., Irvine.

Park in Lot 14.

Map:

[http://retirees.uci.edu/  
contact-us/](http://retirees.uci.edu/contact-us/)

The University Club is at 801 E. Peltason, Irvine (turn at the stop sign at Los Trancos and proceed down the little hill turning left into the FREE parking lot.

Map:

<http://tinyurl.com/UCIclub>

## Bookstore Discount!

Your valid UCI Retiree/Emeritus ID Card entitles you to the same discounts that staff receive at the bookstore. Discounts vary depending upon the item(s) available. The store has a current “discounted items” sheet with specific information.

## Your UCI RA Dues Matter

The UCI Retirees Association dues renewal notice is on the way! With YOUR dues support, the UCI RA continues to advocate for continuing retiree health and welfare benefits, sponsor many of the events you see in the newsletters. Members receive free event parking, early-bird sign up and reduced fees.

Retiree AND Alum: What events do you prefer?

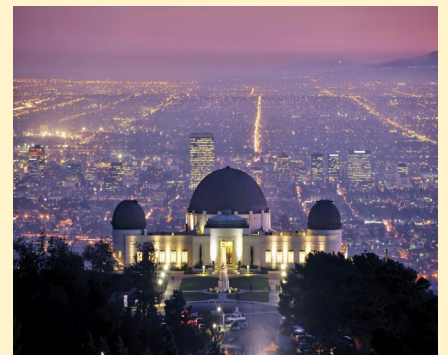
We are proud of your accomplishments and would like to know what activities YOU would like to see take place at UCI.

Please email your suggestions and information to: [retirees@uci.edu](mailto:retirees@uci.edu) (include maiden name if applicable). The information you provide will remain absolutely CONFIDENTIAL!

## Save These Dates

### **Apr. 5th (Tue.): Gazing at the Galaxy tour to California Science Center AND the Griffith Observatory**

Our comfortable tour bus will drive us to the California Science Center to see the new IMAX film, *Journey to Space 3D*, and get up close to the Space Shuttle *Endeavor* with a timed-entry ticket. After free time to browse permanent exhibits, lunch will be at CLIFTON'S Cafeteria – a recently renovated L.A. landmark dating back to 1935. Next we arrive at the famed *Griffith Observatory* in the Hollywood Hills with time to view exhibits or purchase tickets for an optional planetarium show. \$57 for UCI Retiree Association members; \$67 for non-members which INCLUDES all tips for the driver and professional tour guide. The registration form is on the CER website <http://retirees.uci.edu>. **Tour: 9 a.m. – 7 p.m. RSVP to [retirees@uci.edu](mailto:retirees@uci.edu) . Payment and registration due: March 22nd.**

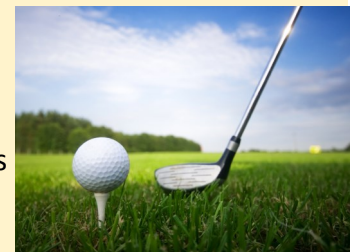


### **April 16th (Sat.): Celebrate UCI, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. in Aldrich Park at the UC Irvine campus with COMPLIMENTARY parking!**

If you have never been, you have NO idea what you have been missing! Celebrate UCI features an outdoor festival, Open House and Car Show. Wayzgoose, UCI's oldest tradition, is a student run festival in Aldrich Park filled with FOOD and games for all UCI and the community. There are academic program information and sessions, campus, housing and recreation facilities tours. CER will have a booth again this year. Come say hello and see what we have planned. Events are FREE and Parking is Complimentary!

### **Jun. 1st (Wed.): Annual Anne Paden Golf Tournament—Arroyo Trabuco Country Club, 10 a.m.**

Join us on June 1st for UCI Retiree Association's 8th Annual Golf Tournament named in honor of Anne Paden, who helped many of us successfully save for retirement! Come out and enjoy a beautiful course, prizes, food, and laughs. Players of **ALL levels are welcome**. More information on cost and registration can be found by clicking [here](#), or by visiting [retirees.uci.edu](http://retirees.uci.edu).



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