### LULACNEWS

**COUNCIL 10 MONTHLY NEWSLETTER - August 2014** 

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# The Next Membership Meeting is Sunday, 31 August at 2:00 PM

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**Scholarship Banquet:** We would like to congratulate the 2014 LULAC scholarship recipients on their recent scholarship awards that were presented to them at our annual scholarship banquet. This year's recipients were: Angela Olvera, Esmeralda Jinez, Aaron Comer, Jacqueline Rangel, Oliva Terronez, Virdiana Mendoza, Andrew Quested, Isabelle Kongkousonh, Wage Miller, Birdiana Hernandez, Nidia Villalpando, Alicia Freiburg, Brooke Morales, Ryan Osborn, Yariela Contreras, Joseph Pena, Lindsay Park, Marissa Terronez, Sydney Johnson, Jayde Lovejoy, and Justin Whitcomb. Greg Augilar was the key note speaker and provided the students with an inspirational speech. On behalf of the membership we would like to thank Matt Casillas chairman & the scholarship committee for their commitment and all their hard work this year.



**Congratulations 2014 LULAC Scholarship Recipients** 

**Scholarship Golf Outing**: This year's Adolf Lopez Memorial Golf Outing was a complete success. On behalf of the membership we would like Decker Truesdell, chairman & the golf committee for all their hard work. We have been fortunate to have strong chairmen leadership & committee support over the past 5 years starting with John Quijas, Tim Garcia & Decker Truesdell. We would also like to thank Jayne Lopez & the LULAC ladies for all their help and continued support over the years. The annual outing has turned out to be one of the major fundraising events for the scholarship program. All proceeds from this event will go toward the 2015 scholarship program.



**The LULAC Ladies** 



**Graduation Destination**: Continuing our partnership with the Davenport School District Tim Garcia took the initiative to have a LULAC booth at the recent event. The purpose was to learn more about the school and community resources for students and families who need support. Staff from Davenport Schools were available on site to discuss options available for students to finish their high school diploma The event was well attended and there was a lot of discussion on LULAC's education mission and programs. Thank you Tim Garcia & Toni Robertson for all your help and manning the LULAC booth during the event.

**LULAC Fiesta:** Council10 will hold its 55th annual Fiesta Saturday, 13 September 2014 from 4:00 – 11:00 pm at the LULAC Center from 4-11 pm. Entertainment will include Mariachi Campiranos, Ballet Folklorico & Los Mocambos. Admission is \$25.00 per person which includes dinner by El Mariachi Restaurant. For reservations please call Toni at (563) 349-8297 (see below).

Fiesta Queen Contestants: From left to right



#### LULAC 2014 Fiesta

Marissa Terronez, the daughter of Seferino and Regina Terronez. She is 18 years old and will be attending Northern Illinois University

Aaliyah Lopez, the daughter of Angela Lacy and Randy Lopez. She is 16 years old and attends Davenport Central as a junior.

Yari Contreras, the daughter of Tar and Erika Macias. She is 18 years old and will be attending Black Hawk College

Hannah Rios, the daughter of J.D and Amy Rios. She is 15 years old and is attending Davenport Central as a sophomore

**Caring Cities Campaign**: LULAC is one of the many nonprofit groups that Mayor Gluba has asked for support from. We have met on numerous occasions with the campaign changing focus over time from establishing a local processing center to housing 100 – 200 unaccompanied minors, opening up area homes as temporary shelters for the children, and providing legal services for these children. LULAC has stated that we are not resourced to provide immigration or refugee services. However we will support the initiative by our participation.

Nahant Marsh Education Center: LULAC Youth Council 600 visited Nahant Marsh Education Center late last month. The Nahant Marsh is a 265-acre preserve nestled in southwest Davenport. It is part of a 513-acre wetland complex that is bordered by the Mississippi River, Interstate 280, and Highway 22. In addition to the youth group members their younger siblings were also invited. Marsh staff provided the group with a tour of the marsh looking at the vegetation and wild life at the Marsh. Additional the group attended a presentation at the education center that included discussion on reptiles which the children enjoyed. After the visit the children had lunch there. We would like to thank Silvia Slykhuis, Ron Pate & Salvador (Chavo) Lopez for chaperoning the event.



**LULAC Youth Council 600** 

Julio D. Serrano: On behalf of the LULAC membership we would like to offer our sincere condolences to the Julio Serrano family on his recent passing. Julio D. Serrano, 83, a resident of Davenport, died peacefully Friday, Aug. 15, 2014, at his residence in Davenport. He was surrounded by his loving family at the time of his passing. Julio was a past member of LULAC and supporter since the inception of the Council. May he rest in peace.

#### **Upcoming events:**

- Barnum & Bailey Ringling Brothers Circus 30 Aug 1 Sep. SAVE \$3 per ticket! Use offer code: LULAC Good only for the Sunday, Aug. 31 performances at 1:00 p.m. and 5:00 p.m. limit eight (8) Reserved Seat Tickets. No double discounts. Other restrictions and exclusions may apply, excludes premium seats. http://www.ticketmaster.com/venueartist/49264/1788389?brand=ringlingbros&camefrom=cfc\_FELD\_LULAC
- LULAC Annual Fiesta: Saturday, 13 Sept from 4:00 11:00 pm at the LULAC Center (see below)
- East Moline Parade & Fiesta: Sunday 14 Sep at 1:00 pm, downtown East Moline with the Fiesta from 3:00 9:00 pm (see below).
- LULAC Trivia Night 27 Nov at the LULAC Center doors open at 5:00 games start at 6:30. Cash prizes for 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, & 3rd place. 50/50 raffle & silent auction. \$10.00 per person maximum 8 players per table. Mr. Trivia will be hosting the event. For more info call Tony at (563) 676-9354.





# MEXICO'S INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATION

SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 14, 2014 TRIUMPH Community Bank Parking Lot 15th Avenue Downtown East Moline, IL

Desfile/Parade: 1 pm Festival/Programa: 3 pm - 9 pm

Join us to celebrate Mexico's Independence with music & much more! Music by Reflejo 7 and DJ Nomada



A special thanks to sponsors for supporting our Hispanic heritage and culture. Para mas información / For more information: Abel Zertuche, (309) 737-5915 & Juanita Zertuche, (309) 373-0313



LEAGUE OF UNITED LATIN AMERICAN CITIZENS Devenport, IA

# Independence Day Fiesta

**Saturday, Sept. 13, 2014, 4-11 p.m. LULAC Center, 4224 Ricker Hill Rd., Davenport, Iowa** 

Mexican Dinner by El Mariachi Restaurant, (5-30 pm)

# **Entertainment:**

- Social Hour
- · MARIACHI CAMPIRANOS, Peoria, IL 43
- Ballet Folklorico
- Los Mocambos Band

– 4:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.-6:30 p.m.

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Reservations: Toni Robertson: (563) 349-8297 - Admission \$25