

Friends of La Serna News

"Providing the Extras Our Students Deserve"



Events Calendar

GENERAL MEETINGS:

(Every 3rd Thursday of the Month)

- October 16th
- November 20th
- December 18th
- January 15th
- February 19th
- March 19th
- April 16th
- May 28th
- June 18th

ANNUAL EVENTS:

- 5K Run/Walk – Nov. 15th
- Casino Night – March 14th
- Sport Physicals – May 19th

Board of Directors

President: Nancy Lopez-Kazarian
Co-Vice President: Al Martinez
Co-Vice President: Gilbert Muro
Secretary: Frances Vilaubi
Treasurer: Damian Pacheco
Asst. Treasurer: Ammie McCaffer
Corresponding Secretary: Ana Bailleul
Asst. Corr. Secretary: Lori Bliss
Historian/Publicity: Sandy Sherman
Hospitality: I. Hassan
Membership: Debbie Pacheco

Administrative Representatives:

Ann Fitzgerald, Principal
Randy Castillo, Asst. Principal B&A

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A Message From The President

On behalf of the Friends of La Serna (FOLS), it is my pleasure to welcome you to a new school year. Friends is a booster club which raises money through five activities: 1) Annual membership fees; 2) Year-round "Friends" Rewards Program; 3) 5k/Run Walk; 4) Our Annual Spring fundraiser; and 5) the end-of-the-year Sports Physical Night. Last year alone, Friends of La Serna gave back over \$44,000 to La Serna High school!

These funds help support all campus-wide programs such as classroom and administrative equipment and supplies, educational video equipment, computer technology, academic academies, campus clubs and athletic equipment. I hope you'll join our membership and attend one of our many events.

JOIN US TOGETHER WE CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE

Who can Join? Parents, Family Members, Friends, Teachers, Admin. Staff, Neighbors.

Quick Facts:

- FOLS is open to all!
- Excellent Fundraising opportunity to all LS Clubs -\$20 of your \$25 membership fee is given back to a La Serna HS club/team **of your choice**.
- FOLS meets regularly -Teacher's Lounge, **3rd Thursday of each month**.

Everyone plays a role in enriching students' lives. **What's yours?** Education is the key to success and everyone plays a part. You have a range of options for getting involved, from becoming a member to volunteering your time and talent. You can support Friends of La Serna just by buying groceries! Or you might have some terrific graphic design talent that could help us better convey the value of our work and the importance of our fundraising activities.

Ways to get involved:

- Become a Member, Volunteer, Donate
- Join our Vons/Ralphs "Friends" Rewards Program (Flyer enclosed)
- Register for our 5k Run/Walk at www.Laserna5k.racewire.com

We hope to see you at one of our upcoming events, and thank you for supporting our students! Together we can make a difference!

Nancy Lopez-Kazarian
President, Friends of La Serna



ANNOUNCEMENTS: *Martin Plourde - 2013-2014 Scholarship Winners!*

Every year, two stellar students from La Serna High School are chosen to receive the Martin Plourde Scholarship. Students selected for this honor were Brittany Fields & Rachel Ann Schmidt Class of 2014. Congratulations and best of luck to them!

Congratulations to the Cauffman Family for winning a brand new iPad!
Thank you for participating in our 2013-2014 "Friends" Rewards Program!

Friends of La Serna

Parent Booster Club Membership Application



Mission Statement

The **Friends of La Serna**, chartered in 1975, is a non-profit (501 C3) organization, that is primarily comprised of parents (*Boosters*) along with the Principal, administrative staff, teachers and other community members who have an active interest in promoting student excellence through fund-raising activities for academic, co-curricular, and athletic programs at La Serna High School. The goal of our organization is to raise and distribute supplementary funds annually to enhance all campus-wide programs wherever needed. These include, but not limited to: textbooks, classroom and administrative equipment and supplies, educational video equipment, computer technology, academic academies, campus clubs and athletic equipment. Members can be parents, family members, friends, & neighbors!!

The Friends of La Serna Motto is: **“Providing the “Extras” Our Students Deserve**

___**YES!** I want to support the students of LSHS by becoming a member of the “Friends of La Serna”.

Membership fee of \$25.00 (Cash or check, payable to “Friends of La Serna, Inc.”)

Parent Name(s): _____

Student Name(s): _____ **Grad Year:** _____

_____ **Grad Year:** _____

_____ **Grad Year:** _____

Street: _____

City: _____ **State:** California **Zip:** _____

Email address: _____

(Please Print Clearly)

\$20 of your membership fees will be given directly to the La Serna High School group, team or LSHS organization **of your choice if desired**. \$5 of your membership will be given to the school to support curricular, co-curricular, and athletic programs on La Serna High School campus.

Please direct my donation to: _____

Completed membership applications can be given to the Principal’s Secretary or mailed to:
La Serna H.S. 15301 E. Youngwood Drive, Whittier 90605.

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Friends of La Serna” is a non-profit organization (501-C-3); Federal Tax ID #95-4291096.

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