

Retired City Light Employees Association

RCLEA REPORT

RETIRED CITY LIGHT EMPLOYEES ASSOCIATION, INC.

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President's Perspective

Good Day Everyone!

Hope this newsletter finds everyone healthy and safe.



We had a fantastic picnic at Lincoln Park in August. (See the photos on our [website](#)). The fried chicken from a new vendor Sodo Chicken was amazing. A few of the attendees, myself included, liked it too much and ate a lot. Steve did his barbecue with the brats and hotdogs and they were also amazing. We had two different

salads, an oil and vinegar based pasta salad, and a potato salad. It was a really great to get together after almost two years of no in person events.

Our next major event is the Holiday Luncheon scheduled for December 7th at Duke's on Lake Union. We've canceled our holiday luncheon 2 years in a row, but with rising vaccination rates, I'm confident we can finally make it happen this year. Check our website for the menu, directions and sign-up form. (If we do have to cancel, we will send all members an email.)

For more information about events for City retirees, ARSCE puts out an [excellent newsletter](#) filled with news and stories about City of Seattle retirees.

We are looking for new board members for the coming year. We will have vacancies on the board as some of the board members are reaching the end of their term. We anticipate a more active 2022 and look forward to new ideas from new members for activities that will be of interest to our members.

Thank you for your continued support!

Tony Raimondi, RCLEA President

PS: We've heard a few complaints about not being able to get to our website...make sure you type in <https://rclea.net>. The "s" after "http" means it's a secure site. You should see a small lock icon before our address in the address bar.

New Retirees

Welcome to the good life!



Estudillo, Fernando G. 7/21/2021
Hartson, Steven W. 7/15/2021
Kylen, David S. 6/9/2021
Marion, Tom K. 7/7/2021
Wardle, James Arthur 7/10/2021

In Memoriam

Our condolences to the family and friends of:

Apellanes, Ritchie C. 7/23/2021
Cooper, Gerald Lee 8/9/2021
Hazen, Clyde A. 7/25/2021
Hickman, John R. 8/4/2020



Holiday Luncheon Scheduled for Dec. 7th (sign up by 11/30)

Our Holiday Luncheon will take place at Dukes Lake Union on Tuesday, December 7th. Gather and beverages at 11:30 am with lunch at noon.

Cost is \$35 if you sign up by

November 30th or \$40 after. Look for the menu and sign-up form on our [website](#) or by sending us an email.



NOTE: It is likely that Duke's will require all attendees be vaccinated so please bring proof of vaccination. For the latest COVID requirements, please see King County's [website](#).

Automatic Dues Sign-up Form



Save the hassle of sending in your annual \$6 RCLEA dues check every year. You can have it automatically deducted from your February check each year by filling out a simple **auto dues deduct form** on the website and mailing it in just once. We appreciate it!

Fellowship Around Town

For an exhaustive list of retirement news from all City of Seattle employees, the **Association of Retired Seattle City Employees (ARSCE)** publishes an excellent news letter that can be found at their [website](#).

North Line Crew & Friends Breakfast

First Thursdays, 8 am at Shay's Restaurant, 15744 Aurora Ave N. Call Bud Eickstadt at 206.362.8336 for more info.

South Line Crew & Friends Breakfast

First Tuesdays, 9 am at Denny's Restaurant, 14821 First Ave S. Call Jack Carlson at 206.790.5022 for more info.

Retired Range Service Employees Lunch

Second Wednesdays, 12 pm at the Blue Star Restaurant, 4512 Stone Way N.

Board Members & Financial Statement

A list of board members and our financial statement can be found on our [website](#).

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