Retiree Membership Growing

The AFT Staff Guild Retiree Chapter membership now numbers fifty-seven strong, with our ranks continuously increasing. The Retirees’ Annual membership drive is now in full swing. The first twenty-five members to join before December 2015 are eligible for the membership offer (Join and pay dues for 2015 and get 2016 free). As active members retire and join the chapter, we will continue to add them to our roster.

Our current Retiree Chapter Chair Anne Mayer is actively working to grow the retiree membership. Also, she is working with the Staff Guild planning the Annual Retiree Luncheon, which again will be held at LA Trade Tech College September 24th, prior to open enrollment.

The retiree chapter is also looking for volunteers to assist in production of the newsletter, luncheon planning, outreach and communication. We will send this newsletter to non-members and hope they will join our retiree chapter to stay informed.

Help Reduce Costs and Save Resources

You can help the Staff Guild reduce its carbon footprint and postage expenses by receiving email notification instead of printed copies. Additionally, delivery choices for communications preferences choices are changing. The delivery preference choice to receive both a printed copy and an email notification when the publications are on the website will no longer be available after December 31, 2015. Send your personal email address to amoore@aft1521.org. You will receive email notifications and newsletter updates. This choice saves both postage and paper and you get information in the fastest manner possible. We can’t do it without you!
California Alliance for Retired Americans:

Retired workers and senior groups united through activism and advocacy in an effort to provide a better and more secure future for older adults.

We need to protect and improve Medicare as the highly successful public program it has been for nearly 50 years—and extend its coverage to all.

- The elderly and disabled have been saved from financial ruin and provided access to care through Medicare.
- There have been attacks on Medicare that have weakened it—most of those problems have been caused by private health insurance interests.
- Along with improving and protecting Medicare, we need to expand it to cover everyone as the most cost-effective way to provide a single standard of high quality care for all without financial barriers.

Healthcare is a human right!

SAVE THE DATE

MEDICARE TURNS 50!

July 30, 2015
Rally & Celebration

4:00 pm-6:30 pm
(Tentative Time)

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