



January 12, 2012

Dear OTNA Member:

First off, Happy New Year! I hope your holidays were fun and relaxing, because there will be a lot to do in Torrance's Centennial year. Here's the latest information from the OTNA ...

Wednesday, January 18th, 2012, the Old Torrance Neighborhood Assoc. (OTNA), will host our first meeting of the year with two presentations from **7:30 PM - 9:00 PM** at the **Bartlett Senior Center**. Speakers from the City and a representative for the new development at the old Pacific Bell building will discuss:

- **The Del Amo Extension Project**
Craig Bilezerian, PE, Engineering Manager, for the City of Torrance's Public Works Dept., will provide an update on the progress of this project. A Question and Answer session will follow.
- **Pacific Telephone Building**
*Michael Steinbach, Special Project Administrator, for **Partner Engineering and Science, Inc.**, will highlight the building's "green" features (solar panels, photo harvesting solar control system, etc.) and will briefly discuss the company's mission statement and nationwide presence.*

At this meeting, we will also elect our 2012 slate of officers. If you would like to lend a hand, please contact Trish Stewart on our Nominating Committee: (310) 320-1241 or Trish_Stewart@sbcglobal.net

The OTNA will be sponsoring another **Neighborhood Clean-up Day** on **Saturday, January 21st**, from 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM. We will target Old Torrance (the downtown area) for clean-up. Water and a special treat will be provided. **Please RSVP to Charles Payne at (310) 328-7549.**

This month, the **OTNA sponsor** is **Frankie, Johnnie & Luigi's -- the soon-to-be-opened Pizzeria** located at 1437 Marcelina Avenue. The owner of this establishment, Gary Zimmerman, will look familiar to you, as he and his family are also the proud owners of the WWII Store and the Old Torrance Coffee & Tea -- all three are located in the heart of Old Torrance on Marcelina!

Finally, it's time to **renew your OTNA membership** for 2012 -- it's just \$10 for the whole year! The money we collect via annual dues, donations and sponsorships, is donated *right* back into our community (less operating expenses, of course). To renew, complete the attached form and pop a check in the mail today, or bring them both to the meeting!

Sincerely,

Todd Hays
OTNA President