



California Association of Senior Service Centers 2010 Annual Conference: *"Senior Centers Meeting the Future"*

SPEAKER SCHEDULE

Sunday - October 17, 2010

- **Check-In and Welcome Reception.**

Monday - October 18, 2010

- **Kimberle Herring, Keynote Speaker, Education and Outreach, Monterey Regional Waste Management District (MRWMD).** As we meet the future, "going green" will continue to grow as an area of concern for us as individuals and as agency representatives. The mission of the MRWMD is to provide high quality, cost-efficient, integrated waste management services while preserving the environment and protecting public health through the reduction, reuse, recycling and safe disposal of wastestream. We open our first full conference day with —*Going Green in Your Life and Your Senior Center.*
- **Lauren Rolfe, California Senior Assemblymember, California Senior Legislature (CSL).** Each October, the CSL meets in Sacramento in the State Capitol to convene a model legislative session, voting to approve or disapprove legislative proposals and work with State lawmakers to author priority proposals. As the Assembly member representing PSA 28, Lauren Rolfe will provide a "behind the scenes" perspective on the work and mission of the CSL —*An Inside Look at the Senior Legislature.*

Monday - October 18, 2010, Continued

- **Annual Meeting** - All Conferees are Encouraged to Attend!
- **Monday Night Dinner is Included for our Off-Site Conferees** - Please let the Conference Chair Andrea Fuerst know by Monday at noon if you will be staying for the evening meal and need a dinner ticket.
- **Patrick Arbore, MA, EdD, Director and Co-founder of the Center for Elderly Suicide Prevention and Grief-Related Services and Director of Education and Professional Training at the Institute on Aging in San Francisco.** Dr. Patrick Arbore began his work in the fields of crisis intervention, bereavement and aging in 1975. Dr. Arbore was the 1998 recipient of the American Society on Aging's (ASA) Award for Outstanding Contributions in the field of aging. Patrick Arbore was also selected as the 2002 co-recipient of the Gloria A. Cavanaugh Award for Excellence in Training and Education in Aging by the ASA. — *Clutter Addition and An After Dinner "Fireside Chat" on the topic of "Effective Communication."*

Tuesday - October 19, 2010

- **Ana-Marie Jones, Executive Director, CARD - Collaborating Agencies Responding to Disasters, a nonprofit located in Alameda County.** Created by local community agencies after the 1989 Loma Prieta earthquake, CARD trains and support nonprofits and their special needs clients in disaster preparedness, response and recovering activities. Ana-Marie Jones is a passionate advocate for ending America's disaster victim cycle and building resilient communities, where even the most vulnerable members will survive, thrive and prosper in the face of disasters and emergencies. — *Taking Control: Disaster Preparedness.*
- **Laverne Baker-Leyva.** This dynamic speaker effectively illustrates unexamined perceptions and behaviors. This highly-interactive session addresses diversity issues of culture, income, religions, race and age. - *Embracing Diversity in Your Senior Center.*
- **Reception**



Wednesday – October 20, 2010

- **Episcopal Senior Communities.** For participants who are unable to attend a brick and mortar senior center – due to disability, illness or other access issue – creative solutions are needed for outreach and engagement. - *Senior Centers Without Walls PLUS Establishing a Produce Market in Your Senior Center*
- **Networking/Best Practices**
- **Conference Wrap-Up**

