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Status Update: Sheriffs' offices join upcoming jobs fair; Mario the butcher debuts in Newport Beach



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Who isn't these days, right?

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The event is free and open to "all job seekers from all levels of experience," the nonprofit says.

Some of the other organizations looking to add to their payrolls include Securitas, World Financial Group, Doodle Deliveries, Crystal Cove Care Center, Child Care Careers, Dignity Memorial, Abilities Unlimited and VNA Health Care.

To get involved as an employer or to register as a job seeker, go to churchjobfairs.org.

Address: 24231 El Toro Road

New meat man in town

Mario's Butcher Shop & Delicatessen has opened at Plaza Newport in Newport Beach.

The deli specializes in high-end cuts, wood-grilled and smoked meats and house-made charcuterie. In addition to meat, Mario Llamas, a chef by training, wood-grills and smokes meats in-house. The meat can be bought on its own or as a sandwich.

The market also sells seasonal sides, soups and salads, with everything made in-house.

Address: 1000 Bristol Street N in Newport Beach. Hours are 8 a.m. to 7 p.m. Monday through Friday, and 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday and Sunday. For more information and online ordering, go to mariosbutchershopdeli.com.

Alzheimer's Orange County has opened nominations for local caregivers, paid and unpaid, who show extraordinary compassion in caring for someone living with Alzheimer's disease or a related form of dementia. Anyone can nominate a caregiver through an online form at alzoc.org/vwluncheon. (AP file photo/Charles Dharapak)

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Nominees will be accepted through Sept. 20 for caregivers in the following categories:

Young adult caregiver; family caregiver; [rofessional caregiver/direct service; administrative professional; medical/clinical professional.

This year, the luncheon event will be held Friday, Nov. 19. at Dr. Jacqueline DuPont-Carlson's home.

\$1.8M for pandemic-relief programs

Orange County's Credit Union in Santa Ana has received \$1.8 million as part of the Rapid Response Program COVID-19 relief efforts.

Orange County's Credit Union has been providing information, products and services with the knowledge that many people in the community are struggling financially throughout the pandemic.

This CDFI Rapid Response Grant allows the Credit Union to continue to provide financial aid to Members, particularly those in underserved communities, who are working to get back on their feet after the pandemic's adverse economic effects.

Vice President Kamala Harris and Treasury Secretary Janet L. Yellen announced this relief at the White House in mid-June, with distribution of funds taking place throughout the summer.

BofA grants for OC nonprofits

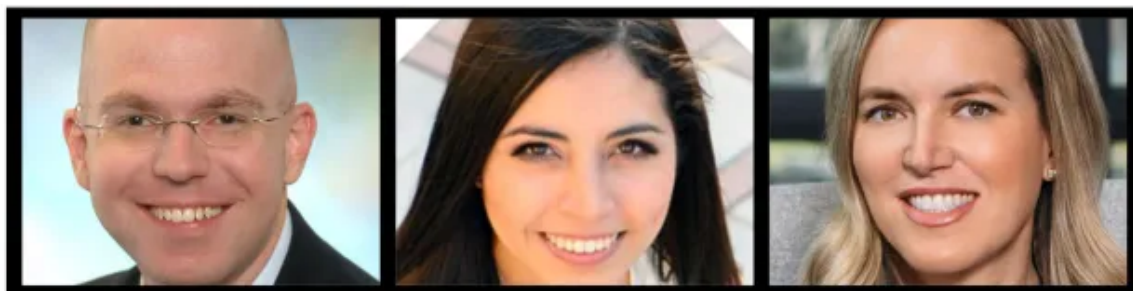
Bank of America has awarded \$5.68 million in grants to 185 nonprofits across Southern California, including 33 organizations in Orange County.

The nonprofits who received the grant money provide workforce development, job skills, pathways to employment, education and resources to rebuild careers that were impacted by the pandemic.

Other programs funded include hunger relief, healthcare and emergency shelter, resources also critical coming out of the pandemic.



Local recipients included Age Well Senior Services; Boys & Girls Clubs of Central Orange Coast; Cal State Fullerton Philanthropic Foundation; Camino Health Center; CHOC Foundation; CIELO (Community for Innovation Entrepreneurship Leadership and Opportunity); Community Action Partnership Orange County; Community Senior Services; The Chrysalis Center; Girls Incorporated of Orange County; Goodwill Industries of Orange County; Healthy Smiles for Kids of Orange County; High School Inc. Foundation; Hope Builders; Human Options; Families Forward; Friendship Shelter; J.F. Shea Therapeutic Riding; Kidworks Community Development Corporation; Latino Health Access; Mercy House Living Centers; OC Drive for Success; Orange County Asian and Pacific Islander Community Alliance Inc.; Orange County Rescue Mission; Orange County United Way; Project Hope Alliance; Shelter Providers of Orange County Inc. (HomeAid Orange County); South County Outreach; THINK Together; Tiger Woods Foundation; Veterans Legal Institute; Women Helping Women; The Wooden Floor for Youth Movement.



From left to right: Bill Oldham has been appointed to the board of directors for The Autism Community in Action. Daisy Esparza and Carrie Strom are the two newest members to the board of directors at the nonprofit Girls Inc. of Orange County.

On board

Bill Oldham has been appointed to the board of directors for The Autism Community in Action. He has 30 years of experience as an entrepreneur, investor and consultant supporting health, technology, financial and energy industries. He is the founding principal, chairman and president of Thought Leadership & Innovation Foundation.

Daisy Esparza and Carrie Strom are the two newest members to the board of directors at Girls Inc. of Orange County, a nonprofit that inspires girls to be smart, strong and bold. Esparza is the Risk and Financial Advisory manager at Deloitte & Touche LLP and joins the board as its first alumna. She was a Girls Inc. Eureka! Summer program participant, a high school College Bound graduate, and Girls Inc. scholarship recipient in high school and college. Strom is a senior vice president of AbbVie and president of Global Allergan Aesthetics. She also serves on the board for Octane, is a member of the Komen Leadership Council and is the executive chair of the PRIDE Employee Resource Group at AbbVie.

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