

TELL US WHAT YOU WANT

Dear UC Davis Retiree/Emeriti:

With the new UC Davis Retiree Center now open, we are eager to get direct "customer" feedback on what you're hoping for in terms of activities, services and events. Please complete this form and return it to one of the volunteers collecting them at the exit doors. *Thanks for your input!*

1). Please circle which social event(s) you would enjoy the most:

- a). Steak Bake
- b). Fall Wine Festival
- c). Mothers' Day Brunch
- d). Goose Stew
- e). All of the above
- f). None of the above
- g). Other: _____

2). Please circle the types of outings you would prefer:

- a). art & culture
 - b). wine country
 - c). sporting events
 - d). All of the above
 - e). None of the above
 - f). Other: _____
- 3). Do you prefer that these outings be coordinated with other senior oriented groups OR solely by the UCD Retiree Center and affiliated associations?**

With other groups _____ Solely UCD Retiree Center _____

4). What sort of services would you like the Center to provide?

- a). free notary
- b). Information about retiree activities sponsored by other organizations.
- c). Information about assisted living
- d). Training in the use of computers (email)
- e) other _____

5) Do you have suggestions for speakers you would like to hear at the Retiree/Emeriti Luncheon Meetings or at the General Meetings.

6) What information would you like to see in your association's newsletters?

7) Have you checked out the UC Davis Retiree Center web site?

Yes

No

8) Are you interested in serving as a volunteer at the Retiree Center?

Name _____

9). Other suggestions? _____

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Attached please find the results of our "Tell Us What You Want" questionnaire, given out at Monday's General Meeting. We had approximately 120 attendees; 65 people returned their questionnaire and 13 of those offered to volunteer.

The attachment has the exact details for each category. However, to summarize here:

- 1). "Fall Wine Festival" was the most popular event
- 2). "Art & Culture" was the most popular category for outings, with specific suggestions such as:
Giants baseball games, Dixon Downs, train tours on campus/new facilities, Skunk Train, Reno, Tahoe
- 3). More people preferred our outings to be coordinated solely for UCD Retirees/Emeriti than to share with other retiree groups
- 4). "Travel" was the most popular topic for lectures/discussions, with Arts/Culture & Healthy Aging both following close behind in 2nd place. Additional ideas include: gardening, agriculture, textiles/fashion, Voter's Initiatives/Propositions, medical & vet med breakthroughs
- 5). All 4 service categories were fairly equal in popularity
- 6). Suggestions for lectures include: nutrition, med school experts' advice on aging, astronomy, environmental issues, art & music, an update from each Dean on current research in their department
- 7). Newsletter suggestions include: highlights of members & their activities/travels, more news on campus research & programs, In Memorium list, Faculty honors/awards, list of new members, fewer lists of sporting events
- 8). "Anything else you'd like to tell us?" includes: "What to do when a retiree/emeriti spouse dies" article on the web site, discounts for Mondavi, UCD Theatre/Dance, ARC, & produce a Centennial DVD to sell as a fundraiser for the associations

More food for thought!

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5). What sort of services would you like the Center to provide:

- a). Free notary - 26
- b). Information about retirement activities from other organizations - 24
- c). Information about Assisted Living & other care options - 28
- d). Computer training (e-mail, Internet access, etc.) - 28
- e). Other: _____

6). Let us know your recommendations for lecturers at our International House luncheons:

7). What type of information would you like to see in your Association's newsletter?

8). Have you checked out our new Retiree Center web site?
If yes, let us know what you think:

9). We need volunteers! Please write down your name & contact information if you are interested in volunteering for the UCD Retiree Center:

Name: _____

Contact Information: _____

10). Anything else you'd like to tell us?