



California State Parks Youth Leadership Institute at Lake Perris State Recreation Area

2005 Symposium

“Connecting Californians to the Outdoors”

May 25-26, 2005
Los Angeles, California

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The California Roundtable on Recreation, Parks and
Tourism

The California Roundtable on Recreation, Parks and Tourism's 2005 Symposium

“Connecting Californians to the Outdoors”

This Symposium will examine the need to serve California's diverse and growing population by interesting people of all ages and backgrounds in the value of the outdoor experience. The event offers public, private and non-profit recreation professionals the opportunity to hear keynote speakers who have hands-on experience, learn about successful programs, and participate in solution-based workshops analyzing issues that effect today's outdoor recreation profession.

Registration Fees

\$125 includes all materials, presentations and solution-based workshops

How to Register

Mail the completed registration form and payment to:

California Roundtable Symposium
c/o Planning Division
1416 Ninth Street, Room 108
Sacramento, CA 95814

Payment MUST accompany registration forms. **Forms received without payment information will not be processed!** All checks must be in U.S. dollars and made payable to **California State Parks Foundation**. Please indicate the check number on the registration form.

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Cancellations must be in writing. No telephone cancellations will be accepted. Written cancellations must be received by **May 18, 2005**. All cancellations are subject to a \$50 cancellation fee. No refunds will be issued on requests postmarked after May 18, 2005. Mail cancellations to California Roundtable Symposium, c/o Planning Division, 1416 Ninth Street, Room 108, Sacramento, CA 95814; or fax to 916/653-4458.

Sponsor a Student

Consider sponsoring a student to attend the conference by paying their registration fee. All other costs, including travel and lodging, will be the responsibility of the student. If you are interested, please indicate how many students you would like to sponsor and include the appropriate payment with your form.

Travel and Hotel Information

Hotel:

Register as part of the California Roundtable on Recreation, Parks and Tourism Symposium **by May 11, 2005** to receive the discounted room rate of \$95, plus applicable room tax, for single or double occupancy

Hotel @ Macy's Plaza*
711 South Hope Street
Los Angeles, California
USA 90017

Tel 213/683-1234*
Fax 213/629-3230

* The host hotel is currently the Hyatt @ Macy's Plaza. The name will change to the Sheraton on May 21, 2005. Room registration will be through the Hyatt reservation system, and all reservations will be automatically transferred to the Sheraton on May 21, 2005.

Parking - The hotel is located in Macy's Plaza. Self parking can be entered through the Plaza parking garage on Hope, 8th, or Flower. Take the Macy's parking garage elevators to the Garden Level. Walk through the shopping plaza to the hotel lobby entrance.

From Los Angeles Int'l Airport:

Take Sepulveda Blvd. south to 105 Hwy East. Travel to 110 Freeway North. Exit on 6th St. Turn right on Hope St. The hotel is on corner of Hope and 7th St. Entrance is on right.



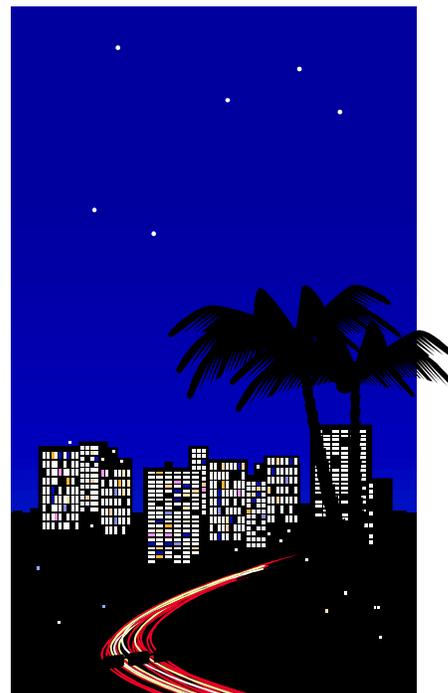
Reception

Symposium badges required to attend

Date: May 25, 2005

Place: Polaris Room, 26th floor of the hotel

Time: 6:00PM – 8:00PM, hors d'oeuvres & no-host beverages



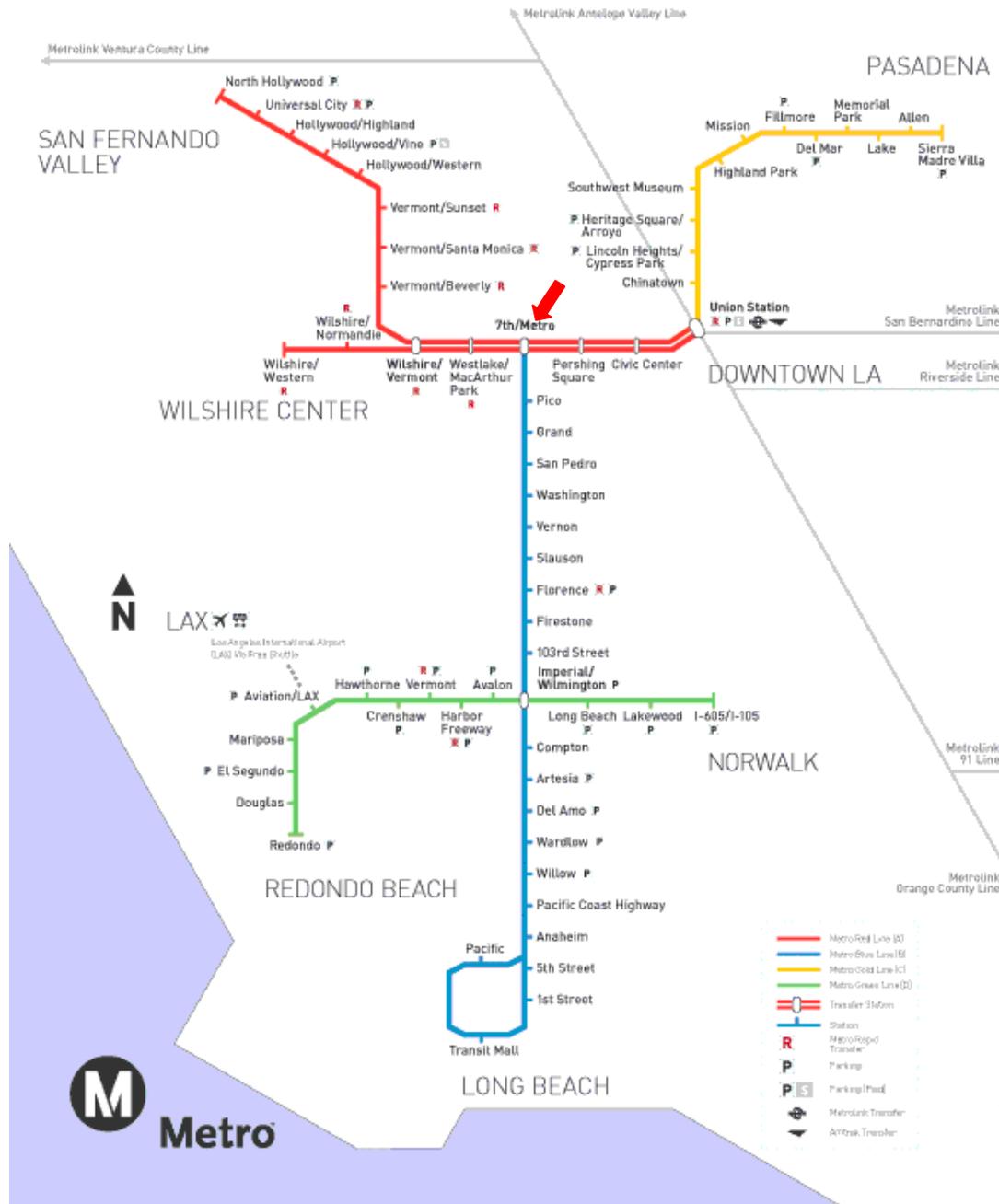
Local Transportation

Metro Rail's 7th Street Station stop is across the street from the host hotel.

Metro Rail System Map

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Preliminary Program

Wednesday, May 25	
1-2 PM General Session	Keynote: "Challenging Private, Non Profit, and Public Entities to Connect with the Changing Market" <i>America Bracho, Executive Director of Latino Health Access</i> <i>Derrick Crandall, Executive Director, American Recreation Coalition</i>
2 – 3 PM	Demographics to Watch – Trends that are transforming California Facilitator: <i>Dr. Emilyn Sheffield, CSU, Chico</i> <i>Dr. Deborah J. Chavez – Research Social Scientist, Pacific Southwest Research Station, US Forest Service</i>
3 - 3:15 PM	Energy Break
3:15 - 5:30 PM	Forum: "Connecting Communities to the Outdoors" Youth Leader Panel: Moderator: <i>Jim Oftedal, Central California Consortium</i> 3-4 youth speakers from the communities we serve Adult Community Leader Panel: Moderator: <i>Charles Taylor, National Park Service</i> <i>Mary Su, Park Commissioner, City of Walnut</i> <i>Robert Garcia, Executive Director, Center for Law in the Public Interest</i> <i>Charles Thomas, Outward Bound Adventures</i>
6:00 – 8:00 PM	Evening Reception

Thursday, May 26	
7 – 8 AM	Continental Breakfast
8 – 8:30 AM	Keynote "Infrastructure and Partnerships", <i>Sedrick Mitchell, Deputy Director for External Affairs, California State Parks</i>
8:30 – 10:30 AM	Panel "Successful Programs that Connect People to the Outdoors" Including lessons learned, making programs sustainable, and how these programs can be duplicated by other entities. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Threshold programs ▪ Youth based programs ▪ Active participants, passive appreciators and supporters
10:30 – 10:45 AM	Energy Break
10:45 – 11:45 AM	"Solution Workshops" - an open discussion about issues that concern today's outdoor recreation providers <i>Choose from these thought provoking topics:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Engaging youth population in outdoor recreation programs at parks ▪ Outreach and transportation links ▪ The familiarization (to current non-users) aspect of outdoor recreation ▪ Creating community based programs
11:45 AM -1:00 PM	Lunch
1 – 2 PM	Rotate to a different Solution Workshop (or continue with morning workshop)
2:15 - 2:30 PM	Energy Break
2:30 – 3:30 PM	General Session - Solution Workshop Reports by Facilitators
3:30PM	Final Speaker – wrapping it all up!
4:00PM	Adjourn

For information call 916/653-9901 or e-mail symposium@parks.ca.gov

Registration Form

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SECTION A – Personal Information

First Name:	M.I.:	Last Name:
Title:	Company/Agency:	
Address:	City/State/Zip:	
Daytime Phone:	Fax:	Email Address:
In Case of Emergency Contact:	Phone:	

SECTION B – Registration Fees (Includes all materials, presentations and solution-based workshops)

Individual	<input type="radio"/>	\$125.00	
Sponsor a student (Indicate number of students)	<input type="radio"/>	_____ x \$125.00	Total: \$_____

SECTION C – Payment Information

Payment information must be included to complete processing

Check # _____ (Checks made payable to **California State Parks Foundation**)

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