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News and Information from ACMS

Welcome

As General Manager of All City Management Services, Inc. (ACMS), I'm more than excited that you are reading the new and improved "CrossTalk." CrossTalk is our longstanding publication providing ACMS employees with news, information, announcements, promotions, employee recognition, prizes, and everything else ACMS. Crosstalk is all about You, yes YOU. If you have any group pictures of the guards in your area or know about someone special that works for us, please send pictures and comments, etc. to;crosstalk@thecrossingguardcompany.com. In this edition, don't overlook the special discount on Shoes for Crews we're offering to all employees and more importantly the \$2,050.00 cash giveaway drawing that you enter by reply.

After a 2-year COVID hiatus we have moved CrossTalk to a digital platform, so future CrossTalk editions will only be issued via email. So, look for the next CrossTalk edition in your inbox this June 2022.

California Covid Paid Sick Leave



As you may know, on February 9, 2022, Governor Newsom signed Senate Bill 114 which requires employers with 26 or more employees to provide Supplemental Paid Sick Leave for specific COVID-19 related reasons. The law is retroactive to **January 1, 2022**, and will remain in effect until September 30, 2022.

Due to the complexities of the leave, if you have any questions, please call the main office (800) 540–9290. If you need to request time off due to Covid issues, please contact the main office for assistance.

Click here to see Labor Commissioner's Notice



2020 Crossing Guards of the Year

Each year we select Outstanding Crossing Guards of the Year in programs around the nation. These Crossing Guards are selected based on their exceptional overall performance is an exceptional reward for exceptional people. They were chosen based on their exceptional overall performance and their embodiment of the core values of ACMS (Accountability, Caring, Moral Integrity & Safety). As a result of COVID, we did not acknowledge our 2020 class of Outstanding Crossing Guards of the Year. So, without further ado, may I thank each of the recipients and present to you the men and women selected as the Outstanding Crossing Guards of the Year for 2020:

Annie Brooks Dallas, TX Bertha Zuno San Bernardino, CA Betty Green Las Vegas, NV Beverly Nickels Los Angeles, CA Bo Huang San Leandro, CA Bonnie Blackstone Tustin, CA
Carolyn Eisenhauer Annville, PA Catherine Kidwell Walkersville, MD Charles Ryan Gardner, KS Cheryl Monahan Freeport, NY Craig Farley Sr Des Moines, IA David Coats Appleton, WI David Cook Grand Rapids, MI
Debra Rousey Normal, IL Donald Coleman Frederick, MD Elvia Zamot New Braunfels, TX Emerson Chambers York, PA Emily Morehouse Waukesha, WI

Emily Patterson Tustin, CA Erick Monroy Fullerton, CA Erin Watson Ventura, CA Gene Henry Sr Dallas, TX Hartuty Sakwan Mill Valley, CA Heli Lugo Hermosa Beach, CA lyman Khair Tracy, CA Jacob Holbrook Mamaroneck, NY Janet Tomlin Rancho Palos Verdes, CA Jerald Larkins Sun Prairie, WI Jimmie Taliaferro Grand Prairie, TX Joe Cabrera Santa Maria, CA John Summerlin Olathe, KS Jonathan LeMasters Cypress, CA Jose Aguilar Corpus Christi, TX Karen Bennett Riverside, CA Linda Blaess The Colony, TX Lois Pryor Las Vegas, NV Loreli Eggimann

Chino, CA

Lue Banks Carrollton, TX Lynn Foley Wayne, NJ Margaret Tellez Whittier, CA Maria Ibarra Los Angeles, CA Mario Bocanegra Los Angeles, CA Martha Prince Norco, CA Martha Rivas Claremont, CA Mary Wheeler Las Vegas, NV Michael Bissinger Elizabethtown, PA Michael Edmonson Roxie Haughton Las Vegas, NV Michael Hawley Danbury, CT Michael Kalkhoff Wauwatosa, WI Michael Tafoya La Puente, CA Michaelina Nguyen Santa Clara, CA Minnie Jones Mesquite, TX Mynestine Marks Las Vegas, NV Naga Phillips Lansing, MI Norma Acosta South Gate, CA Oliva Abarca

Riverside, CA

Patti Ditty Las Vegas, NV Penelope Cox Dallas, TX Phillip Young Tulare, CA Quentin Campbell Dallas, TX Raye Jefferson Las Vegas, NV Renee Alfafara Dana Point, CA Richard Garcia Bellflower, CA Richard Harvey Munster, IN Rickey Simpson Dallas, TX Las Vegas, NV Rozalind Price Dallas, TX Rudy Sanchez Whittier, CA Scott Davis Milwaukee, WI Stephen Janes La Mirada, CA Steven Scott Monrovia, CA Susan Bartsch Wauwatosa, WI Susan Steele Cary, NC Thomas Dimarino Henderson, NV Thomas Mariano

N Las Vegas, NV

Thomas Ward Appleton, WI Tracy Hootman Olathe, KS Travis Carpenter Santa Rosa, CA Ulysses Neal White Settlement, TX Vanessa Brown Los Angeles, CA Veronica Isais Fort Worth, TX William Mcclane Rochelle Park, NJ William Tingley Portage, MI



Shoes For Crews Promotion

This edition is focused on our partnership with Shoes for Crews (SFC) and the discounts and payment program available if you order this month. SFC produces an industry-leading shoe to help avoid slips and falls. Its unique, patented sole has become the industry leader for safe and effective footwear. Through our partnership, SFC offers us a \$10.00 discount on the retail price of the shoes. We will also contribute an additional \$10.00 discount and pay for your shipping cost. We have set up two different payment options: You can pay for your purchase with any Debit/Credit card or our Payroll Deduction Program (PDP). We allow you to split your payment into payroll deductions over (6) pay periods to pay for the shoes. To take advantage of this offer, click the link below and it will take you to our SFC website to order. This promotion is limited to (1) pair of shoes per employee.







Payroll Deduction Program (PDP). We allow you to split your payment into payroll deductions over (6) pay periods to pay for the shoes.







ACMS Crossing Guards continue to show us what it means to live a life of service.



47 Years of Service in New Jersey

The Township of Teaneck, NJ, and the Teaneck Police Department would like to recognize, congratulate, and thank Mrs. Carol Birong for her dedicated service to the community. Carol recently completed her last shift as a School Crossing Guard, after an astounding 47 years of service! Best of luck and enjoy your retirement.

Spring Hill Guard's Are Shining Bright

Our Spring Hill, Kansas Crossing Guards were recognized by Bull Creek Distillery and Citizens for the Future of Spring Hill, Kansas. They thank them with gift cards and a free meal for their dedication to keeping their kids safe. ACMS guards are outside every day, making sure that their kids are getting to school safely. ACMS thanks Bull Creek Distillery and Citizens for the Future of Spring Hill for honoring our School Crossing Guards.

Wisconsin Guard's Received Appreciation Certificates by American Automobile Association



American Automobile Association (AAA) Waukesha showered our Waukesha, WI School Crossing Guards with Certificates of Appreciation and AAA gifts during Wisconsin's Guard Appreciation Week.

Citizens for the Future of Spring Hill Kansas Dwaine Hood · 13h · 🗔

Help us thank these amazing men and women who help keep our kiddos safe!

Bull Creek Distillery 13h · 🕙



We want to take a second to say thank you to all the Spring Hill Schools crossing guards who were out braving the elements this morning to make sure our kiddos got to school safe. To say thank you to these amazing men and women we would like to offer to buy them a meal.

If you are a crossing guard in USD230 or know one please reach out to us by message or tag them so we can get them a FREE meal!



Michigan Shines a light on a Special School Crossing Guard

Random Acts For Ryan in Grand Rapids, MI recognized Brenda Dobbs. We are very proud of how she chooses to serve the Grand Rapids community in such a positive way every day. The Random Acts For Ryan Team gave Brenda a gift basket for her dedication and service to pedestrian safety. ACMS is excited to see Brenda's work being recognized in her community. ACMS thanks Random Acts For Ryan for recognizing our School Crossing Guards.



Crossing Guard Appreciation Day Osceola County, FL

Osceola County recognized our ACMS School Crossing Guards with a special event called Osceola Heroes. Our guards received a beautiful breakfast and many gifts. Big Toho hosted the breakfast that uplifted and celebrated our Crossing Guards. The event was also put on by twenty-one other sponsors who honored and gifted our guards. During the event, Julius Martinez from the Osceola County school district read the Proclamation for Crossing Guard Appreciation Day given by Governor Ron DeSantis on February 7, 2021. ACMS is grateful to Osceola County and all the sponsors for recognizing our guards on this special day.











Meet ACMS New Office Staff WELCOME



Breonna Thomas Job Title: Payroll Assistant Department: Payroll



Josue Garcia Job Title: Payroll & Administrative Support Specialist Department: Payroll

Cherae Clark

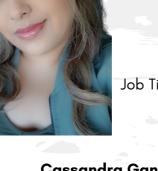
Job Title: Administrative Support Specialist Department: Admin



Yesenia Rodriguez Roman Job Title: Payroll Assistant Department: Payroll



Maira Jimenez Job Title: Accounting Representative Department: Accounting



Cassandra Gandara Job Title: Accounting Representative Department: Accounting





The Cash Giveaway

We are giving away \$2,050.00 Grab your pencils Ladies and Gentlemen, it's time to win some CASH!

To enter this giveaway, look at the pictures below, spot the 5 differences between the two pictures and reply to this email with the correct answers. The correct responses will be entered into the drawing.





The 1st Place Winner will receive a \$350.00 Gift Card
The 2nd Place Winner will receive a \$300.00 Gift Card
The 3rd Place Winner will receive a \$250.00 Gift Card
The 4thPlace Winner will receive a \$200.00 Gift Card
The 5th Place Winner will receive a \$150.00 Gift Card
*Eight 6th Place Winners will receive a \$100.00 Gift Card.**

Responses must be received by April 21st, 2022. The drawing will take place on April 22nd, 2022. We will email the winners by April 25th, 2022. The winners will be announced in our upcoming Crosstalk scheduled for June.

Prize Eligibility: All winners must be registered Crosstalk recipients and active employees of ACMS.







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