



CCSCA MEMBER OF THE YEAR

MARILYN HESS

The Culver City Senior Citizens Association Board of Directors is please to honor

Marilyn Hess

Member of the Year for 2011

CCSCA would like to recognize Marilyn for all she has contributed to the members at the Senior Center. To say she is energetic, enthusiastic and

always encouraging others to find opportunities to learn and enjoy themselves, is an understatement! Marilyn shares her love of music as a member of the RSVP Singing Group that entertains at local nursing homes, teaching beginning harmonica and playing her ukulele with the CC Strummers. She also helps organize some fun Jam Sessions to bring people together to play music and sing along. Marilyn started the Veterans Group here at the Senior Center, a labor of love to honor our veterans, and presides over their monthly meetings. Marilyn is also a fountain of knowledge about movies and presents a monthly movie program. She has been a member of the Hollywood & Vine Toastmasters for 16 years and has served as their area governor. Marilyn also served on the CCSCA Board of Directors for 2 years.

California has been home for Marilyn since 1963, having lived previously in Baltimore and Miami. Show business was her life as she and her 2 brothers performed as "The Three J's" in the Catskills and in Miami, and later spent a few years touring with Johnny Mathis as a member of the "Young Americans" singing group. She and husband Bob have been married for 46 years and are proud parents of two children and two adorable grandchildren.

In a recent Culver City News article written by Sandra Coopersmith, Marilyn was described as our own "Energizer Bunny" and those who know her agree with that wholeheartedly! She tirelessly encourages others to participate in fun and educational activities and has constant concern for the welfare of all our seniors. Her theme song? "*Enjoy yourself, it's later than you think....*" How perfect!

Congratulations to Marilyn, our CCSCA Member of the Year!

A MessageFROM THE CCSCA BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The Culver City Senior Citizens Association (CCSCA) is an independent association that works in cooperation with the activities and programs of the City of Culver City Parks, Recreation and Community Services Department. Its main objective is to support the City in improving the quality of life, and to sustain and maintain the health and sense of well-being among those citizens 50+ years of age. **Your assistance** is needed to help your Board meet this goal. You can become a member of a Board Committee and give vital input to the Board for decision making. CONSIDER:

- **MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE**
- **BY-LAWS/ELECTION COMMITTEE**
- **COMPUTER ROOM COMMITTEE**
- **PROGRAM OF WORK/ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE**
- **FITNESS/POOL COMMITTEE**
- **HOLIDAY CERTIFICATE PROGRAM**
- **FUNDRAISING COMMITTEE**
- **SENIOR OF THE MONTH COMMITTEE**

If you are interested in serving on any of these committees, write your name, phone number and the committee on which you wish to serve on a slip of paper and ask to put it in the Board mailbox. Your new 2012 CCSCA Board will appreciate your interest and desire to help in continuing the growth of our activities and programs and the enjoyment of **all** of our CCSCA members.

IN MEMORIAM

Anne Weiss

Helen Ketting-Olivier