



## President's Corner . . . JJ Sells

**Fellow Boosters** - what a difference a month makes! It's hard to believe how much has changed in the standings and the play, even with 4/5ths of the starting staff on the DL, along with one of the top shortstops in baseball. This team has managed to pick up 8 games in the standings. As bad as they played in the first part of the year, this team has surely turned it around in the months of May & June. As I write this article, we find ourselves just 2 games back in 2nd place, with hopefully most of the starting staff coming back by the All-Star break.

Speaking of the All-Star break, let's hope Matt Kemp continues his outstanding play and represents us in Washington, D.C. Well, I hope you all check your schedules and come out to support this team as they continue their march to what we all hope is another October run! Until then, I hope to see you all at the ballpark!

## Ticket Talk . . . Mae Rosenkranz

I don't really have anything to report about our Mini Plan tickets. I do want to repeat something about our Season Ticket seats, **but first this**. Are any of you guys ever going to buy tickets from the special ticket request list you clearly said you wanted me to pursue this season? Don't you

want to see me smile big time, as well as to make the Dodgers look more favorably toward our club come the playoffs? Okay, 'nuff 'bout that.

**Seriously though**, please do take a look at the remaining games while there is still time to order tickets! The games are 7/31 vs. Brewers & Alex Wood BH (\$46); 8/14 vs. Giants & Rich Hill BH (\$46); 8/22 vs. Cardinals & Chase Utley BH (\$46); 8/30 vs. D'backs & Sand Globe (\$40); 9/18 vs. Rockies & Matt Kemp BH (\$46) and 9/23 vs. Padres & Fan Appreciation Day (\$40). Remember to add \$4 to each ticket ordered for any non-members. I must have your order and payment no later than 3 weeks prior to game date but sooner than that is always better.

I want to give a shout-out to **Pat Gonzalez** and say THANK-YOU for stepping up to the plate and buying enough tickets to the 7/14 Angel game to enable the club to reach our required minimum to place an order. Now, back to our Season Ticket seats for a moment. Don't forget to check our TeamUp calendar for available games you might like to attend. (TeamUp link at the bottom of the website) Remember the price is right for these season tickets at just \$26 and \$20 for WC. Contact JJ Sells to

place your order at 000.000.0000 or 000000000@00000.com and be sure you send your check to me. Keep watching out for our club Email Blasts for special announcements. Over and out from Mae, your friendly ticket lady! *[Ed. Note – be sure to check out the “Day-of-Game Ticket Special” article for a new policy regarding our Season Ticket seats!]*



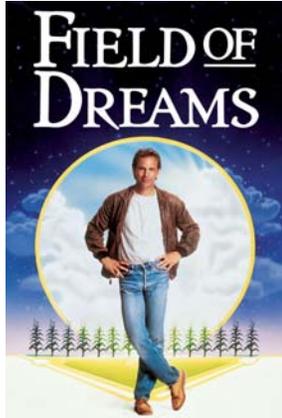
### 2018 Meeting Dates

Monday, January 8th  
Monday, February 12th  
Monday, March 5th  
Monday, April 9th  
Monday, May 14th  
Monday, June 11th  
Monday, July 9th  
Monday, August 13th  
Monday, September 10th  
Monday, November 5th  
Christmas Brunch, TBA

## Membership Notes . . . Danee Gallegos & Brenda Marsh

**What a fun season** it has been so far for our Boys in Blue. With the All-Star break and the trade deadline quickly approaching, I am sure we will have more months of excitement ahead of us. Thank you to all who continue to support club throughout the season. As of the June meeting, we have a total of 164 active members. Thank you also for continuing to encourage friends, family and other Dodger lovers at the stadium to join our L.A. Dodgers Booster Club.

Remember to recruit 10 new members this year, so you will receive a **free membership for the upcoming season**. You can sign up and join online (or still renew your membership) at [dodgersboosterclub.com](http://dodgersboosterclub.com) or by visiting the Membership table at our monthly meetings.



## Movie Night At The July Meeting . . .

**April** had a yummy spaghetti dinner. **May** had a great Silent Auction. **June** had a fun night of Bingo. Soooo, in our continuing effort to offer different and fun things at our monthly meetings, our **July** meeting will also host our first-ever Movie Night! At the June meeting, the board presented a selection of possible films to screen to the members and the clear choice was FIELD OF DREAMS. Whether you've never seen it or this'll be the gazillionth time, bring your family and friends to watch this wonderfully heartwarming and inspirational film after the meeting ends.

No movie night is complete without beverages and candy and we're selling them both for just a buck apiece. Heh, what about the popcorn, you ask? **Well, we're throwing that in for free!** See ya at the meeting and then see ya at the movies!

## Day of Game Ticket Special . . .

For those few times when we have not sold all of our 6 regular and 2 HC season tickets for a particular game, we simply ate the cost. In light of that possibility, we have come up with a new Day-of-Game Ticket Special for our members only! We will sell any leftover tickets on the day of the game at whatever the going price is as listed on StubHub or SeatGeek for that game. While this requires a really quick turnaround from ordering to receiving your tickets, we think we have it covered.

You can check out whether any tickets are still available on our TeamUp calendar the night before a game. If there are, you can then contact JJ Sells to purchase them. The price charged will be the price as listed on those sites on the day of that game. Once sold, your tickets will then be emailed to you ASAP for the game later that night. Contact JJ Sells at 000.000.0000 to place an order or to answer any questions.

Go to [dodgersboosterclub.com/teamup](http://dodgersboosterclub.com/teamup) or click the TeamUp link at the bottom of any webpage to access the TeamUp Calendar online to search for available tickets, highlighted in yellow. For more flexibility, you can also download the TeamUp app on your smart phone. If you any problems with doing that, you can contact board member Brent Wood at 000.000.0000 for helpful assistance. Hope to see YOU at the ballpark!

## June Birthdays

6/02 - Priscilla Graves  
 6/02 - Cordelia Martinez  
 6/03 - Nicholas Quintana Jr.  
 6/05- Joe Martinez  
 6/07 - Allegra Paez  
 6/09 - Gary Droeger  
 6/14 - Marie O'Dwyer  
 6/14 - David Thacker  
 6/15 - Elizabeth Perez  
 6/16 - Armida Vasquez  
 6/17 - Eduardo Pinon  
 6/17 - Mary Anne Law  
 6/18 - Ralph Kaye  
 6/25 - Dylan Rodriguez  
 6/27 - Eric Fairman

## In Brief . . .

**Booster Club Awards Night** – The Dodgers have once again sent us the raw video footage of all the pregame activities on the field before the May 29th game. This raw footage is some 40 minutes long and is 865 MB in size.

The board has decided it will not be cost effective to have a couple shorter videos professionally produced of just our awards presentation First Pitch ceremony and Kids Take the Field. However, we are sympathetic to those members who may still want to view that footage. One possibility might be to burn this raw footage onto a DVD for a small fee to cover the costs involved. If you would like to have a copy, you can sign up to order and pay for one at the July meeting.

You can also contact John Eiden, 000.000.0000, after the July meeting, to order one.

## DBC Flickr Photo Page

**We are pleased to announce** the active use of our very own Flickr Photo Page. By the time you read this, our first step will have been to upload all the photos the Dodgers took of our Booster Club Night at Dodger Stadium last May. This includes shots of our awards presentation, First Pitch ceremony and Kids Take the Field. Feel free to download or forward any of these photos to your family and friends.

**How to access our Flickr Page?** Easy. Simply go to our website, [dodgersboosterclub.com](http://dodgersboosterclub.com), and click on the Flickr icon, top right, last one of our four social media links. (Or Click on the Photo Gallery Link)

Our second step in activating our Flickr account was to name longtime member **Sandy Zamora** as our club's photographer and to start taking snaps at all our club events. So everyone else can get in on the fun, we plan to announce shortly how your photos of club events can also be uploaded and shared with everyone on our Flickr page.





## Booster Blog . . . Brent Wood

For many of us So. Cal. kids growing up in the 1960's, the Dodgers were the core of our sports world. We loved to watch Sandy Koufax pitch, Maury Wills steal bases and names such as Davis, Fairly and Roseboro play. But the one player we really loved was **Don Drysdale**.

There was something special about Drysdale, who would have been 82 on July 23. Was it because he was a So. Cal. kid, or appeared on many 1960's television shows? Or was it because he could flat out pitch? I suspect the latter. Drysdale won 209 games with the Dodgers and the Cy Young Award in 1962.

He could also hit, with 7 home runs in two different seasons. In fact, he was used as a pinch-hitter on several occasions. Drysdale also had quite a sense of humor. An example occurred in Game 1 of the 1965 World Series, which was on Yom Kippur, the holiest of days in the Judaism. Sandy Koufax being Jewish, would not pitch on that day, so Drysdale got the start. Drysdale lasted 2 and 2/3 innings, giving up 7 runs. When Walt Alston came to take him out, Drysdale said, "I bet you wish I was Jewish too!" Thanks Big D for the great memories which were part of what seems today to be an ever more idyllic youth.

### Your 2018 Booster Club Officers . . .

President – JJ Sells – 000.000.0000  
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 Secretary – John Eiden – 000.000.0000  
 Treasurer – Olivia Armenta – 000.000.0000  
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 Membership – Brenda Marsh – 000.000.0000  
 Board Member – Lidia Carillo – 000.000.0000  
 Board Member – Michelle Gorum – 000.000.0000  
 Board Member – Jeff Marsh – 000.000.0000  
 Board Member – Brent Wood – 000.000.0000

### Save This Date August 13th . . .

Mark your calendars NOW, and **be sure to come to our August 13th meeting!** We are having our annual Ice Cream Social before the meeting that night and you sure don't want to miss out on this one.

Our Ice Cream Socials are always a huge amount of fun and a very welcome relief from the dog days of August – hope to see you there!

### RC Quakes Game (Final Update) . . .

We're all set for a great time out in Rancho Cucamonga on Saturday, August 11th, 7:05 PM, to watch our baby Boys in Blue battle the Lancaster JetHawks, enjoy a postgame fireworks show and to then meet with some future major league Dodgers, as we will host a postgame meal for the players and coaches. All proceeds from our July meeting raffles will be dedicated to help cover the cost of the Waba Grill meals for the players.

We may also have a pregame picnic just outside the stadium at \$5 per person plus a side dish. We will decide whether to have this at the July meeting based on the number of those who sign up for it. So, if you are interested, please be sure to come to the July meeting. As a reminder, the tickets are \$12 and parking is \$5.

Whether you have already signed up for tickets or plan to do so at the July meeting, you will have to pay for them in full that night. Only those tickets paid in full that night will be ordered from the Quakes later that week. All unsold tickets originally set aside for our group will be immediately released for others to purchase.

To pick up your tickets – on the day of the game, you will go to the Will Call window at the box office. Give your name and be sure to state you are with the Dodgers Booster Club. You may have to show a photo ID to claim your tickets. The ticket gate opens at 6:05 PM, with parking opening at 5 PM. If you have any questions, feel free to contact John Eiden at 000.000.0000. See ya at the ballpark out in Rancho Cucamonga!

***DIRECTIONS:** LoanMart Field is located at 8408 Rochester Avenue in Rancho Cucamonga, conveniently located near the intersection of the 10 & 15 freeways, and is easily accessible from all major highways. From Los Angeles / Orange County and all points west – take the 10, 60 or 91 Freeway east to the 15 Freeway and go north. Exit at Foothill Blvd, turn left off the exit and after 1/4 mile, turn left onto Rochester Avenue. From San Bernardino / Riverside / Redlands and all points east and south, take the 10, 60 or 91 Freeway west to the 15 Freeway and go north. Exit at Foothill Blvd, turn left off the exit and after 1/4 mile, turn left onto Rochester Avenue. From the 210 Freeway, either east or west – exit at Milliken Avenue and head south. Turn left on Foothill Blvd and after 1/2 mile, turn right onto Rochester Avenue.*