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A Big Endeavour For CSLEA Members



Our CSLEA members who are museum security officers at the California Science Center had a once in a lifetime experience watching and guarding the space shuttle Endeavour as it literally, and very slowly, rolled in to Exposition Park, Sunday, October 14.

"Keeping watch over Endeavor is a charge, but we're trained for all scenarios," said CSLEA member and museum security officer Thomas Tolliver.

See the photos and read more: [Endeavor: The Countdown At The California Science Center](#) and [The Space Shuttle Endeavour Now Under The Watch Of Our Museum Security Officers](#)

"Giving up on this issue is not an option."



CSLEA and the Hospital Police Association of California (HPAC) are pursuing the effort to allow sworn peace officers at state hospitals to be armed.

"Giving up on this issue is not an option," said HPAC President Luis Jimenez.

Despite overwhelming support from the state Assembly & Senate, Governor Jerry Brown vetoed AB 2623 regarding the arming of peace officers at some state hospitals.

In his veto message, the Governor wrote, "I am sensitive to the unique challenges of providing security in our state's mental hospitals. This is a matter, however, best left to the discretion of the department director

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Proposition 32



"If you think a vibrant middle class, where lots of people get to participate and do well in this economy, is important to the United States of America, you ought to vote no."

- CSLEA Legislative Consultant Craig Brown

[CSLEA Video: Why](#)

who already has authority to arm its officers."

That said, CSLEA is pursuing a meeting with Department of State Hospitals Director Cliff Allenby.

For more information & the Governor's veto message: [Governor Vetoes Bill To Arm Peace Officers At State Hospitals](#)

The Need For Drug And Gang Agents



Have you seen what our Department of Justice (DOJ) and Alcoholic Beverage Control (ABC) Agents have accomplished in the war on drugs?

They have been making headlines with their impressive undercover work, drug busts and arrests.

They found and handcuffed a fugitive who had been on the run for 10 years. That's a job well done! They made two major drug busts in three days, seizing 48 pounds of meth. That's heroic! That's the work of our CSLEA members who are Department of Justice Special Agents and ABC Agents.

See their photos & stories: [Now Is Not The Time To Have Fewer Drug & Gang Agents](#) and [On The Move With California ABC Agents](#)

Our Criminalists Are Key In Murder Trial

It is the stuff crime t-v shows are made of and it is playing out in a Sacramento courtroom. A murder trial where it all comes down to DNA and the work of our California Statewide Law Enforcement Association (CSLEA) members who are criminalists with the state Department of Justice (DOJ).

"The suspect in this case was identified through a cold hit at California DOJ's DNA

**Craig Brown Says
No on 32**

Proposition 35
Vote YES on 35
Stop Human Trafficking In California
CALIFORNIANS AGAINST SEXUAL EXPLOITATION

CSLEA Supports Yes on 35 Stop Human Trafficking in California.

CSLEA President Alan Barcelona joined KlaasKids Foundation's Marc Klaas in this Yes on 35 Stop Human Trafficking event:

See the event: [Walk For Justice: Elk Grove](#)

Proposition 30



"Government's important to creating an environment where business can thrive, children can be educated, people can live in peace and harmony and it takes money to do that."

- CSLEA Legislative Consultant Craig Brown



of Justice (AC-DOJ).

databank 22 years after the crimes took place," said John Miller, senior criminalist and president of the Association of Criminalists for the California Department

Read more about this and the great work by criminalist Steven Myers: [Our DOJ Criminalists Key In Sacramento Murder Trial](#)

Are You Ready For The Great Shake Out?



Do you know where you'll find our CSLEA members who are emergency management experts at Cal-EMA on Thursday, October 18 at 10:18 a.m.? Under their desks! And for good reason. They're hosting a statewide disaster drill of sorts, The 2012 California Great Shake Out.

Last year, according to Cal-Ema, more than 12.5 million people registered in Shake Out drills worldwide.

"Our emergency management pro's take their jobs very seriously and they have to," said CSLEA President Alan Barcelona. "But they also put a whole lot of fun into teaching us all to be ready."

See the full story and Cal-EMA video links: [Are You Ready For The Great Shake Out](#)

Officer Pete Keeney, A Gold Medal Winner



Officer Pete Keeney has worked as a peace officer at the Porterville Developmental Center for nearly 12 years and per department policy he doesn't carry a gun, but Officer Keeney sure knows how to shoot one.

The sworn peace officer returned home from the United States Police & Fire Championships, this year, a gold and silver medal winner in target shooting competitions.

See more photos and read more: [CSLEA Spotlight: Officer Pete Keeney, A Gold Medal Winner](#)

[Craig Brown on Prop 30](#)

CSLEA FOUNDATION



The mission of the CSLEA Consumer Protection & Public Safety Foundation is to empower Californians with the knowledge they need to protect themselves against consumer fraud and public safety threats to their lives and families.

For more information: [CSLEA FOUNDATION](#)

CSLEA Political Consultant Peter Mitchell



What's not to like? Pete Mitchell is upfront, honest and a huge supporter of public safety professionals.

"You are fantastic men and women who serve the front line of public safety in this state. Nobody does it better," said Mitchell.

For a better understanding of what's on the November ballot, check out Pete's video message to CSLEA members: [It Still Exists: Non Partisan, Straight Talk On Politics With Consultant Peter Mitchell](#)

Busting Those Who Prey on Consumers



Complaints of fraud and identity theft are up but those who scam California consumers out of their hard earned money are no match for our CSLEA members who are investigators with the Department of Insurance, Department of Motor Vehicles and the Bureau of Automotive Repair.

If you missed them in the headlines, check out their work here: [Our California Dept. of Insurance Investigators at work](#) plus: [Scums Who Scam And Our CSLEA Members Who Bust Them](#)

Our investigators are true public safety professionals who deserve our thanks!

CSLEA Foundation Scholarship Awards



Congratulations to George Alexander Pina, Jr. and the nine other

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CSLEA.com

Have you checked out our website recently? We're making changes and updating content.

Want to know what your fellow CSLEA members are doing, on & off the job?

They're making headlines at CSLEA.com and you can, too.

Contact CSLEA Communications Director [Teri Cox](#)

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CSLEA Foundation Scholarship recipients! The CSLEA Consumer Protection & Public Safety Foundation awarded ten \$1,000 scholarships to our members' children, all made possible by generous, tax deductible donations to our non-profit foundation. For more information: [2012/2013 CSLEA Foundation Scholarship Awards](#)

CSLEA Foundation Golf Tournament



A big CSLEA thank you to all who organized, orchestrated, and participated in the CSLEA Foundation 2nd Annual Golf Tournament which is a major fundraiser for the foundation's scholarship program.

"What a great group of golfers, not to mention a group of caring people. Thank you to all who made it possible," said tournament director Tom Ineichen.

For photos & more information: [CSLEA Foundation 2nd Annual Golf Tournament](#)

CSLEA BBQ - Sacramento Style



California Statewide Law Enforcement Association Facebook Page

Don't forget to check out and "like" our facebook page!

Together, with your stories and your pictures, we're showing Californians what we do in the name of consumer protection and public safety!

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The fifth CSLEA Regional BBQ was enjoyed in Sacramento's William Land Park. We sugar-coated it for the kids! The pinata was a hit, so was the child who eventually cracked it wide open! Read more and see our photo gallery: [Sacramento BBQ](#)

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