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Let's hope you are enjoying the early days of fall and this incredible Southern California weather.

Our September OTNA meeting is full to the brim with information you will surely want to hear about. The meeting is a two part one — *something we have not done before.*

Join your neighbors and friends on **Wednesday, September 21st, 2016**, upstairs in the **Bartlett Senior Center** located at 1318 Cravens Ave. - Old Torrance. See the enclosed flyer for details

6:00 PM - 7:00 PM - Tower Market

7:00 PM - 7:30 PM - Socializing & Torrance Bakery Cookies

7:30 PM - 9:00 PM - Torrance Refining Company

There is still time for you to make a reservation for the Torrance Area Chamber of Commerce **State of the City** to hear Mayor Pat Furey's annual address. This event is open to the public and will be held at the Doubletree on Thursday, September 29th. Registration is at 11:30 AM with the luncheon beginning at noon. Also, our very own **Kirk Rossberg** of the Torrance Bakery will receive the Chamber's Distinguished Citizen Award! *How great is that?!*

A big THANK YOU goes out to all of you who do little acts of kindness each day as you move about the neighborhood. These gestures, so rare these days, mean a lot to those who benefit from the generosity and good will that exists in our neighborhood.

Put on your walking shoes for the Torrance Historical Society's upcoming Walking Tour of Historic Old Torrance on Sunday, September 25th, beginning at 1:30 PM at the Museum (1345 Post Ave.). It's FREE!

You also won't want to miss the Torrance Historical Society's biennial **Original Fall Tour of Historic Homes** on Sat. & Sun., Oct. 8th & 9th. Tickets are just \$25 (tour begins at the Museum). Lemonade & Torrance Bakery cookies will be served from the historic 1925 Woman's Club with an added bonus of *Views of Torrance* by the Artists of Torrance Artist Guild and Destination: Art being on display.

The September OTNA meeting is sponsored by **Restoration Kitchen & Wine** a restaurant and wine bar located in Historic Old Torrance (formerly Just Luigi's). They offer a location where individuals can restore their body and soul with their unassuming, but varied, selection of familiar and eclectic dishes, as well as, their fine selection of wines and locally sourced micro-brews.

We invite you to **renew your OTNA dues now** — *only \$10 a year, per household*. By renewing NOW, your dues will be up-to-date through December 2017. Plus, at OTNA's Taste of Old Torrance (Nov. 16th), you will also receive free Opportunity Tickets for paying your dues a bit early.

For more info on upcoming events and what's going on in YOUR neighborhood, visit:
www.OldTorranceNeighbors.org.

Sincerely, **Janet Payne, OTNA President**