

# Security Pacific awarded university contract

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Reporter

The Board of Regents voted unanimously to award the contract for banking services to Security Pacific Bank of Nevada during their July 29 meeting. The decision came after months of debate.

Originally, the board had voted to disregard the bids of Security Pacific and First Interstate Bank of Nevada and start the bidding process over. This was

done in order to allow a bid by Valley Bank of Nevada, then the university's bank. Valley Bank had been disqualified from the bidding process when it failed to send a representative to a mandatory pre-proposal meeting.

The board then rescinded its earlier decision to begin the bidding process over. They voted, instead, to accept the original bids from Security Pacific, First Interstate, and Valley Bank.

Both the university financial staff and the three-member panel

of the regents' investment committee reviewed the three bids. Security Pacific's bid was recommended to the full board during the July 29 meeting. The board voted to award the contract to Security Pacific and cited reasons of increased interest, better services, and the bank's advanced technology.

The contract for custodial services by Security Pacific is expected to become effective in September.

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES

**AUGUST 18 ARBORETUM TOUR:** "Plant Tour for Children." Len Dorris & John Smith. 8-10 a.m. Meet at Barrick Museum of Natural History entrance. Free. 739-3392.

**BASKETBALL:** Silver Streaks vs. Illinois. 7:30 p.m. Thomas & Mack Center. \$10, \$8 & \$5. 739-3900.

**BODY BUILDING: 1990 I.F.B.B. Body Building Championships.** 9 a.m. & 7 p.m. Artemus Ham Concert Hall. Call for prices. 739-3801.

**AUGUST 21 PERFORMING ARTS CENTER:** The Chieftains. 8 p.m. Artemus Ham Concert Hall. Call for prices. 739-3801.

**AUGUST 22-23 FALL SEMESTER 1990:** Walk-through registration (see registration time charts in class schedule). Thomas & Mack Center.

**BASKETBALL:** Silver Streaks vs. Saskatchewan. 7:30 p.m. Thomas & Mack Center \$10, \$8, \$5. 739-3900/

**AUGUST 27 FALL SEMESTER 1990:** Instruction begins.

**CONTINUING EDUCATION:** Registration begins for fall classes.

**AUGUST 27-31 FALL SEMESTER 1990:** Late registration.

**DAILY: CAMPUS TOURS:** Guided tours of UNLV campus each weekday, 9 a.m. Reservations required. 739-3443.

**AUGUST 31- DEC. 1 EXHIBIT:** "Time and Rulers at Tikal: An Architectural Sculpture of the Mayha." Weekdays, 9 a.m.-4:45 p.m.; Sat., 10 a.m.-4:45 p.m. Barrick Museum of Natural History. Free. 739-3381.

# The police and the community together. . . a winning team!

Law enforcement officers from Southern Nevada as well as from all over the country will exchange an open dialogue with the general public during a week of special events to be conducted by the National Black Police Association beginning Monday, August 20, through Friday, August 24, 1990.

In an effort to enhance the relationship between the police and the community, the NBPA will be promoting a community outreach campaign, entitled, "Together . . . A Winning Team," while holding their 18th Annual Convention at the Alexis Park Resort. The campaign, supported and sponsored by area civic and business leaders will take place at a variety of locations within Las Vegas' inner city.

"The response from our elected leaders, law enforcement officials and civic leaders has been heartwarming," says Diana Aird, who is president of Aird & Associates and the public relations representative for the NBPA in spearheading the "To-

gether . . . A Winning Team" campaign. "I have received tremendous support from Sheriff John Moran and his staff at the Las Vegas Metropolitan Police Department. They have been doing a great deal to facilitate the success of the campaign," Aird said.

Also, we are beginning to receive very favorable responses and support from the general public on this. The support of the general public is vital in achieving the objective of the campaign theme which is the police and the public working together to make our community a safe and productive environment in which to live and raise our families."

Community residents are invited to participate actively in the week's events in support of the effort, of our community as well as of themselves and their families.

For tickets, to lend a hand, or for further information, please contact Diana Aird at (702) 456-3838.

## News In Brief

### MATH AND SPELLING CAN PAY OFF

When Lawry Adams, 27, was stopped for a routine traffic check and could not produce his driver's license, he gave his brother's name and his brother's date of birth to the officer. However, since he could not spell the name or give the correct corresponding age to the date of birth, the officer became suspicious and this led to his arrest.

Thomas Lee Jones was arrested last September for robbing a restaurant with a note threatening "to shoot" employees if they didn't meet his demands. Police set up a roadblock asking people to spell "shoot" and soon apprehended Jones.

### WAR WITH COMMON COLD ENDS AFTER 44 YEARS

The Common Cold Research closed in late June, having conceded defeat.

Some 18,000 volunteers had offered their noses to be bombarded with viruses in the quest for a cure for the common cold.

The Center, located in Salisbury, England, cannot explain some of the discoveries made in its 44 year history.

Why, for example, did one-third of volunteers never show any signs of a cold while the others, exposed to the same virus, coughed, sneezed and felt miserable?

Administrator Arthur Amos said, "Going back in time, we used to think there was only one cold virus. Now we know there are nearly 200, so there is no chance of finding a vaccine. We've been trying to find a compound that acts on a family of viruses, but we've had no luck."

### VOLLEYBALL LEAGUES

Registration will be accepted through September 5 for the fall volleyball leagues at the City of Las Vegas Baker Park Community School, 1100 E. St. Louis Avenue. League play begins September 11 and plays through November 14 for both coed recreational and coed intermediate competition. The recreational league plays Tuesday evenings while intermediate play takes place Wednesdays. Both leagues begin at 6:30 p.m.

The leagues are designed for those 16 years old and over at a cost of \$120.00 per team. Leagues are limited to eight teams of ten players each. For more information please call 733-6599.

### UNLV TV PROGRAMMING SCHEDULE

#### MONDAY

August 20

Gavel to gavel coverage of the August 15 Las Vegas City Council meeting, morning session (Repeat broadcast) 5-7 p.m.

#### WEDNESDAY

August 22

Gavel to gavel coverage of the August 21 Clark County Commission meeting. UNLV Billboard, 7-11 p.m.

#### THURSDAY

August 23

UNLV Programming (to be determined) 7-8 p.m.

#### MONDAY

August 27

Gavel to gavel coverage of the August 21 Clark County Commission meeting (repeat broadcast). UNLV Billboard, 5-10 p.m.

### VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

The Las Vegas area broadcast of the MDA Jerry Lewis Labor Day Telethon to benefit the Muscular Dystrophy Association (MDA) needs volunteers, announced Dennis Conrad, chairperson of the Telethon in the Southern Nevada area. The 2 1/2 hour entertainment spectacular will be aired on KLAS TV Channel 8, starting at 6 p.m., on Sunday, September 2 through 4 p.m., Monday, September 3.

"Volunteers play a vital role in the Telethon's success," said Conrad. "Each year, they handle a variety of behind-the-scenes jobs, such as sorting pledge envelopes and preparing them for the mail. The fantastic people of Southern Nevada have always come through for us in the past, and I hope we can count on them again this year."

The 25th annual Telethon's format includes 45 minutes of national programming and 15 minutes of local programming during most Telethon hours.

Money raised through the Telethon helps fund the important work being done by MDA-sponsored researchers seeking treatments and cures for 40 neuromuscular diseases.

"The people of Southern Nevada can take great pride in their contribution to this major research undertaking," said Conrad. "MDA scientists are closer than ever to developing treatments and cures for a number of neuromuscular disorders. If increased public support of MDA can be achieved, this vital work will continue."

In the Las Vegas area, funds raised by KLAS TV's broadcast of the Telethon help make possible the MDA clinic at University Medical Center, MDA research projects, and MDA's summer camp.