Media invited to attend "President's Work Bee"



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MEDIA ALERT: Media invited to attend "President's Work Bee"

WHAT: More than 100 years ago — a grand staircase swept from the train station up the hill to the original Loma Linda Sanitarium, founded in 1905, now known as Loma Linda University Health.

The staircase traveled between two stately rows of palm trees that still stand today on the north side of the hill, which is now home to Nichol Hall and Lindsay Hall.

Sunday, May 1, President Richard Hart, MD, DrPH, will lead volunteers from Loma Linda University Health in a half-day work bee to clear this area between the trees and search for remnants of these historical steps. The departments of landscaping and construction will be present providing necessary tools and gear.

"Join us as we link past and present by coming together to restore a historic area," says Hart.

WHEN and WHERE: Sunday, May 1. The day will begin at 7 a.m. in the hilltop gazebo above Lindsay Hall with a warm pancake breakfast provided by the student residence deans; address is 24951 North Circle Drive, Room 1610, Loma Linda, California 92350

MEDIA OPPORTUNITY: The Loma Linda University School of Medicine and the School of Public Health extend an invitation to members of the media to participate in this celebration of community achievement.

INFORMATION: We are asking media to R.S.V.P. to this event.

Please contact Susan Onuma, media relations specialist, sonuma@llu.edu or 909-651-5823 to reserve a spot.

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About Loma Linda University Health

Loma Linda University Health includes Loma Linda University's eight professional schools, Loma Linda University Medical Center's six hospitals and more than 900 faculty physicians located in the Inland Empire of Southern California. Established in 1905, Loma Linda University Health is a global leader in education, research and clinical care. It offers over 100 academic programs and provides quality health care to 40,000 inpatients and 1.5 million outpatients each year. A Seventh-day Adventist organization, Loma Linda University Health is a faith-based health system with a mission "to continue the teaching and healing ministry of Jesus Christ."