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# What's Happening Los Angeles County PREBATION

# PROBATION DEPUTIES HOST STUDENTS ON TOUR OF LAX COURTHOUSE

The Los Angeles County Probation Department partnered with "Educating Young Minds" and the Los Angeles Superior Court to host twelve female students from University Pathways Medical Magnet Academy (UMED) on a tour of the Airport Courthouse. "Educating Young Minds" is a community-based educational and tutorial program that provides supportive services and scholarships for young students.



# BARRY J. NIDORF JUVENILE HALL HOSTS ANTI-RECIDIVISM COALITION



Recently, LA County Probation Department's SYTF program at Barry J. Nidorf Juvenile Hall hosted the Anti-Recidivism Coalition in their SYTF unit. Several formerly incarcerated individuals discussed their experiences with systems involvement, including probation, and their experiences now as members of various film industry unions. In addition, they shared stories of their work as Teamsters, Grips, Steadicam Operators, and Set Lighting Technicians on films such as "The Hangover," "The Goldbergs," "The Mandalorian," "Nope," FX Networks hit series, "Snowfall," and many more.

"The engagement was positive, and the young men in the unit were filled with a great deal of hope in their own potential to transcend their lifestyle that led to the mistakes they have made," shared DPO II Ventura.

Thank you, DPO II Ventura, Probation Director Smiley, Mr. Budnick of ARC, One Community, and all the speakers that shared their journeys.

# **JUVENILE HALLS BSCC UPDATE**

On June 9, 2022, the BSCC found Barry J. Nidorf Juvenile Hall suitable for housing and providing services to youth. The BSCC found Central Juvenile Hall (CJH) in compliance with two of three regulations reviewed. However, the BSCC identified one item of review at CJH out of compliance and found CJH unsuitable. Probation has been provided with 60 days to make corrections.

The BSCC will meet again in July to review CJH. Probation continues to work with our county, community, and oversight partners to ensure the BSCC standards are met and maintained.



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