

Shoot for the Stars

NEWSLETTER



FOUNDERS LUNCHEON 2026: CELEBRATING COMMUNITY, INCLUSION, & LEADERSHIP



2026 Founders Luncheon Committee.

On **June 3, 2026**, CAPC rounded up community leaders, partners, and supporters to **celebrate inclusion, community, and leaderships** at its annual **Founder's Luncheon**.

The **Founders Awards** are **presented** each year in honor of **Dan Hulbert** whose vision and leadership **helped establish CAPC**. Dan founded the organization in collaboration with the Whittier Union High School District and the Whittier Area Cooperative Special Education Program (WACSEP) with a shared belief that individuals with developmental disabilities deserve meaningful opportunities to live, learn, and participate fully in their communities.



2026 Founders Award recipient Jenny Gray pictured with family and friends at her table.



CAPC Consumer Jim, sharing with the crowd his experience with his long-time employer, La Posada.



From left to right: 2026 Founders Trailblazer Award Rochelle and Joann, pictured with CAPC Director Sheldon

Guests enjoyed an afternoon of connection, celebration, and mission-centered storytelling at CAPC's 2026 Founders Luncheon & Awards. With 115 attendees gathered in support of our mission, we recognized three outstanding community honorees for their impact and dedication, while also celebrating two CAPC individuals who shared their inspiring journeys toward greater independence.

The event also highlighted the power of community partnerships. Just days before the luncheon, CAPC teamed up with Quick Quack Car Wash in Whittier for a fundraiser that raised more than \$10,000 in support of our programs and services. Combined with the more than \$7,000 raised during the luncheon, our community helped generate over \$17,000 in just one week.

Thank you to everyone who joined us and continues to support CAPC.

Together, we are advancing inclusion, opportunity, and empowerment for people with developmental disabilities throughout our community.





CAPC OFFICES CLOSED FOR THE HOLIDAY



CAPC Offices will be closed Friday, July 3 in observance of 4th of July. Our offices will reopen on Monday, July 6, at 8 a.m.



The People's Pantry

Essential Care for Essential Needs

The People's Pantry is now available in CAPC's Resource Center!

The pantry offers confidential grocery assistance for individuals within the CAPC community who may need support between grocery trips.

NOW OPEN



Located at: CAPC's Whittier Office



Open during: regular business hours

Questions?

Call the front office at (562) 693-8826

In Partnership with:



CAPC BASEBALL NIGHT AT ANGELS STADIUM IS BACK!

Join us for a night of fun, community, and inclusion at Angel Stadium.



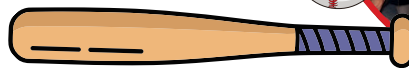
TUESDAY, JULY 21, 2026 GAME STARTS: 6:38 P.M.



(2) tickets per reservation



Reserve by July 17th



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USE THE QR CODE TO REGISTER

MAKING A DIFFERENCE: BRYAN'S VOLUNTEERISM



Pictured above is CAPC Consumer, Bryan

For many year, CAPC Consumer Bryan has dedicated his time to volunteering with Seniors Meal Service with Meals on Wheels Orange County. Currently, Bryan volunteers 5 times a week helping bus tables after lunch service, ensuring the dining area is clean and ready for the next day! Bryan enjoys volunteering because it gives him the opportunity to help others. When asked why he continues to volunteer, Bryan simply shared "It makes me feel good."

Bryan's commitment does not go unnoticed, a CAPC staff member shares "I've been working with Bryan at CAPC for 10 years

and he has been volunteering at the community center long before I started working with him. I am very proud of Bryan's work ethic. He looks forward to volunteering each day." Bryan's commitment to helping others continues to make a meaningful difference in his community.



Bryan is pictured at his volunteer job giving back to his community!



ADVOCACY DAY 2026 CAPC AT THE STATE CAPITOL



Pictured above is our CAPC CEO, Directors, Staff, and our individuals in the hallway of the state's capitol in Sacramento on May 19, 2026!

On **May 19th**, CAPC Individuals, family, staff, and our CEO completed a **one-day trip to Sacramento for DisCo At the Capitol** - an event held by The Arc, ARCA, Easterseals, and United Cerebral Palsy. This event emphasized **advocating** for an array of people with disabilities as they all got to **meet with their local legislators**. Meeting with their legislators, CAPC got to advocate for accessibility when it came to official documents, transportation, and medical care.



Championing disability rights, acceptance, and accessibility was at the center of our visit. Your support helped bring CAPC advocates to Sacramento for Advocacy Day on May 19. Thank you for helping empower voices within our community!

Pictured above is our individuals with Adan Cordea from Love on a Spectrum and actor Nik Novicki on May 19, 2026!

THANK YOU TO OUR ADVOCACY DAY SUPPORTERS

**Voice for
Change
Partner**

**Joann
Libolt**

**Community
Champion**

**Barrantes Family
Maria Morales
& Margarita
Padilla**

**Advocate
Circle**

**Harry Kim
Lopez Family**

**Empower
Sponsor**

**Preston Family
Paul Kim
Ditter Family**

**Advocacy
Allies**

**Mary Fitzpatrick
Terry Cleary
& Cate Marcotte**

INDIVIDUAL ADVISORY COMMITTEES NEXT MEETING: FRIDAY, JUNE 26



The **Individual Advisory Committee** brings together individuals who represent the voices of CAPC Consumers. Your voice helps shape services and decisions that impact the CAPC community. **Together, members will:**

- Meet every other month
- Share ideas & feedback
- Advocate for improvements across CAPC
- Help shape programs & services



**INTERESTED IN
GETTING MORE
INVOLVED WITH
CAPC?**

Scan the QR code to join the **Individual Advisory Committee** waitlist and learn about future opportunities to connect.





2026 CAPC EVENTS CALENDAR

Individual Advisory Committee -
June 26, 2026

CAPC Baseball Night -
Angels Game
July 21, 2026

CAPC Water Safety Day -
September 2, 2026

CAPC Fall Fundraiser -
October 2, 2026

Community Harvest Day -
November 20, 2026



**Paul K.
Victor S.
Javier Z.
Eduardo R.**

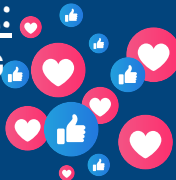
**Korey N.
Gabe L.
Janice F.
Theresa P.**

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ACCESSIBILITY TIPS OF THE MONTH

HEAT ADVISORY

Summer is here! And June is NOT an exception to the summer heat.

Remember to:

- Drink Water & Stay Hydrated
- Find Shade & Stay Cool
- Dress Lightly to Avoid Heat Stroke



DIGITAL ACCESSIBILITY

CAPC has two Mac monitors, paired with noise cancelling headphones, in the Resource Center. Need a place to practice typing or other digital skills? The Resource Room, paired with this technology, is here to help.

Stop by any time during CAPC's office business hours of 8 AM - 4:30 PM.

Scan the QR Code to receive access to the different digital skills that you can learn on a computer keyboard!



ICON DIRECTORY



Community
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Events



CAPC Highlight



Community
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