



# RIVERSIDE COUNTY HISTORY SYMPOSIUM

Saturday  
March 4, 2023  
8:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.



American Legion  
Post 79  
2979 Dexter Drive  
Riverside

Featuring:

*Corona's Hidden Figure - Judge Mary Alice Sutter - Shaylene Cortez*

*The Beginnings of the Ortega Highway - Steve Lech*

*Nellie Coffman and her Beloved Desert Inn - Will Kleindienst*

*Riverside's Fairmount Park - Glenn Wenzel*

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\$35 per person registration includes:  
All 4 sessions, continental breakfast, and lunch.

**Registration and breakfast buffet begin at 8:00 a.m.**

**Sessions will begin promptly at 8:45 a.m.**

## *A Note About Symposium Operations and a Request for Sponsors/Donations*

The purpose of the Riverside County Heritage Association is to: 1) Conduct an annual Riverside County History Symposium, 2) Preserve and promote Riverside County History, and 3) Educate the general public about the history of the county. You can help us ensure the continuation of the Riverside County History Symposium - your tax-deductible support is key to our success! Would you or your organization consider being a sponsor of the Symposium, or making a donation in any amount to help us enhance this vital link to local history countywide? All sponsors and donors will be recognized during the symposium and on our website – [www.RiversideCountyHeritageAssociation.org](http://www.RiversideCountyHeritageAssociation.org).

We thank you in advance for your support! Your sponsorship/donation would be greatly appreciated.

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# 2023 Riverside County History Symposium Registration Form

**\*One registration form per person please!**

Make checks out to the Riverside County Heritage Association and mail registration and check to:

Riverside County Heritage Association, P. O. Box 21168, Riverside, CA 92516-1168

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Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone number \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Email address \_\_\_\_\_

Affiliation (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_

Check here for lunch choice:      Turkey Sandwich       Roast Beef Sandwich       Vegetarian

I will bring items for sale:     Yes       No

If selling items, under what name will the items be sold? (yours, a museum's, or other association's)

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### Payment Information

Sponsorship Levels:      Registration Fee - \$35/person:      \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Gold - \$500  
Silver - \$250  
Bronze - \$100

Your tax-deductible sponsorship/donation to the Riverside County Heritage Association to help keep the Riverside County History Symposium going for years to come:      \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Total:      \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**\*\*Please note - All registrations must be postmarked by February 20, 2023\*\***

# Directions to the American Legion Post 79

## 2979 Dexter Dr., Riverside

(See map below)

From the west-bound 60 Freeway in Riverside, take the exit for Market Street. Turn left onto Market Street, go under the freeway, and then take the first right into Fairmount Park. At the stop sign, turn right and go to the first stop sign. Turn right onto Dexter Drive and follow Dexter, veering left at the split. Continue on Dexter - the American Legion Hall will be approx. 500 feet on the right. Park in the parking lot.

From the east-bound 60 Freeway in Riverside, take the exit for Market Street. Turn right onto Market Street and then take the first right into Fairmount Park. At the stop sign, turn right and go to the first stop sign. Turn right onto Dexter Drive and follow Dexter, veering left at the split. Continue on Dexter - the American Legion Hall will be approx. 500 feet on the right. Park in the parking lot.

**Parking** - Parking is available in the parking lot.



# SALES TABLE

As usual, a staffed sales table will be available for people wishing to sell books or other items. If you wish to participate, please mark the box on the registration form, and indicate under what name you will be selling books (yours, your historical society, etc).

**ITEMS FOR SALE MUST BE SET UP NO LATER THAN 8:30 A.M.  
AND BE PICKED UP BETWEEN 2:00 AND 2:30 P.M.**

## NOTICE TO SELLERS

The Riverside County History Symposium welcomes sales of local history-related items such as books, postcards, ephemera, etc. A sales table will be located in a separate room and staffed by volunteers so that you may enjoy the symposium and not have to be at your sales table all the time. While there will be no charge for selling items,\* we do ask that all sellers abide by the following:

1. All sellers MUST have all items for sale at the sales tables NO LATER THAN 8:30 a.m.
2. All sellers MUST have some way of displaying prices on the table (Post-it Notes, table tents, etc.)
3. If two or more entities are selling the same book, priority will be given to the original author (if present) and the other entities will be asked to not sell the author's book.
4. NO SALES TAX will be calculated on the day of the symposium. If you must charge sales tax, please include it in the price the item is selling for that day.
5. All funds will be collected by the Riverside County Heritage Association on the day of the event. Disbursements will be tabulated and sent out during the week of March 5, 2023.
6. All sellers MUST present an inventory of all items for sale that clearly shows prices and quantities brought. This must be on a separate sheet of paper with the seller's name clearly printed at the top. Here is an example:

Steve Lech

Items for sale – April 6, 2013

*Along the Old Roads* - \$40 (2 copies)

*For Tourism and a Good Night's Sleep* - \$25 (10 copies)

*More Than a Place to Pitch a Tent* - \$20 (10 copies)

*Pioneers of Riverside County* - \$20 (10 copies)

\* Please Note – we will be accepting credit card payments via Square along with cash and checks for book purchases. Any purchases made with a credit card will incur a transaction fee that will be passed on to the seller.