

UPDATE ON DIV. 78 2008 SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS

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the electronic newsletter of Div.78's Scholarship Committee

At the May luncheon, each recipient expressed appreciation for the scholarship funds to aid them in their academic pursuits.



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Scholarship Committee President,
and **SALLY SYREN,** Treasurer

When asked for an update, the following responses were received and printed in the most recent publication of **BEACON 4** (which can be viewed on the Div.78 Web page and may be received via email by sending your email address to the editor: lo.mccarthy@yahoo.com) :

From **MARISSA**: **I finished my Masters in Education in July after lots of hard work and writing. I was offered a long-term sub job at my last placement school, where I'll be for a few months this fall. I'm excited to teach on my own in 3rd grade! I'm planning a big trip to Asia this winter, where I hope to broaden my horizons and gain new experiences that I can incorporate into my teaching.**

From **ASHLEY**: **I have finished the summer session of the credential program. It was very intense but I learned more than I even thought I could and had so much fun! Classes just started for the fall semester and I am eager to student teach. I just found out I am placed at Bay View Terrace Elementary and have a fourth grade class. I can't wait!**

From **LAUREN**: **I am busy with the joys and busy-ness of teaching a new 4th grade class! I had such a wonderful summer...I traveled home to Boston, I read about a million books... but it is great to be back at work with the children. I have also started my last semester at USD. I am excited to be earning my Masters in Education in December! Also, this past summer I earned my Preliminary Administrative Credential.**

From **ANGELIA**: **I have just started the second semester of SDSU Special Education program after a long restful summer. I will also continue to work with the Project Achieve tutoring program. I still substitute teach about once or twice a week and I am hoping to get an intern position with a San Diego City School. I will keep in touch if my situation changes.**