



**The WESTERNERS**  
**Los Angeles Corral Roundup**  
**Wednesday, March 12, 2025**  
**Almanson Court - 700 South Almanson St,**  
**Alhambra, CA 91801**  
**Social Hour at 5:00 PM, Dinner at 6:00 PM**



**Zamorano and the Beginnings of Printing in California**

From the introduction of printing during the Mexican period to the earliest books and newspapers, Mark Barbour will illuminate the colorful history of 19<sup>th</sup> century printing in California, with special emphasis on Southern California. His presentation will include original specimens and artifacts from the International Printing Museum and many images of early printing presses. Inky fingers may even result from the printing of a *Gold Fever* handbill encouraging argonauts to depart for the California Gold Fields.

*Mark Barbour* is the award-winning Executive Director and Founding Curator of the International Printing Museum in Carson, California. Since 1988 this has been one of the leading American institutions devoted to printing history and to educational outreach. Over 750,000 students have visited the museum or taken advantage of the programs offered by Mark and his staff, using the physical evidence of literacy in California as a pathway towards greater understanding and interest in American and World History, civics, intellectual development, news, reporting, art, and literature.

**Menu Choices** for 3/12/2025 are: Top Sirloin, or Chicken Dijonnaise, or Pasta with Garlic Cream Sauce. Please indicate your preference when you reserve your spot for the next Roundup.

Continuing with the splendid viticultural tradition introduced by our Deputy Sheriff Joe Cavallo, FREE WINE will again be offered to all attendees.

When you receive your order blank in the mail, please indicate your dinner choice and put your check for **\$45.00** made out to **Westerners, Los Angeles Corral**, and mail it to: **Michele Clark, 226 ½ Beacon Ave., South Pasadena, CA 91030-1702.**

Walk-in entrée choices will be limited to what is on hand. The “late price” is now \$50.00.

Or you can pay via **Paypal** via [www.lawesterners.org](http://www.lawesterners.org): go to the **Members Only Tab**, then click on **Roundup Store**. Your password is **oldjoe**. please contact Michele Clark (Email at [mclark216@earthlink.net](mailto:mclark216@earthlink.net)) or by telephone (626) 822-1522) and state this intention.

And. . . at the March 2025 Meeting we will re-introduce our proud old tradition of **Quiz Night!** Literary prizes will be awarded for correct answers to questions about Western American History and Geography!

### ***L.A. Corral Presentations for the Coming Year, 2025:***

**April 9 2025:** Mark Hall-Patton, *Beginnings of Museums in the West*  
**May 14 2025:** Sarah Keyes, *Overland Trail History*  
**June 2025:** Fandango! Location and Date TBA  
**July 9 2025:** Autry Fellow, TBA.  
**August 13 2025:** Carla Bollinger, *History of Chatsworth, California*  
**September 10 2025:** Laura Voisin George, *Robert Owens, L.A.'s Black Pioneer*  
**October 2025:** Rendezvous, Location and Date TBA  
**November 12 2025:** Brian Dervin Dillon, *Lost in the 'Sixties, Hippie San Francisco*  
**December 10 2025:** Abraham Hoffman, *Another Look at the Llano del Rio Colony*

**Car-Pooling, and Visitors:** Many of our older members no longer drive or find night-driving problematic. Please reach out to those nearby and offer them a ride to our monthly Round-Ups. . .and, don't hesitate to invite non-member friends to Round-Ups they might find interesting. . .first-time visitors qualify for a special, reduced rate for their sponsors.