



News Sheet "Update" Tuesday, October 13, 2026 ~ #61

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Dover Straits Restaurant

Edizon Dayao, Entertainer



Edizon Dayao is a full time entertainer in the Chicagoland area. He provides vocals accompanied by an orchestra, keyboard and saxophone. He performs contemporary music and will also take the audience on a stroll down memory lane with music from the 40s thru the 70s.

He's a full time entertainer in the Chicago, Wisconsin and Indiana areas, performing an average of 620 shows annually, primarily within the senior market and private function. Edizon's weekly appearances at various retirement and healthcare facilities have touched many lives, refreshed spirits and rekindled lost memories and brought joy to the hearts of so many. Edizon is trained from Yamaha School of Music.

2026-2027 LAKE COUNTY RETIRED TEACHERS ASSOCIATION

Nov. 10	Dave Wiegers ~ <i>Lincoln and Gettysburg</i>
Dec. 8	<i>Holiday Fun</i>
January 2027	No Meeting
Feb. 9	<i>Einstein's Gift: How Albert Einstein Saved My Family and Why History Matters</i> ~ Karen Glinert Carlson, Granddaughter of Holocaust Survivors
March 9	Hogan Irish Dancers
April 13	Kari Pohar ~ <i>History of Fairy Tales</i>
May 11	Bryant Taylor ~ <i>Social Security Fairness Act for TRS, Survival Social Security Benefits</i>
June 8	Roger Hampton ~ IRTA President
July	NO MEETING
August 9	TBA
Sept. 14	LCRTA 65th Anniversary Celebration
October 12	Ray The Sax Guy ~ Reservations Required
Nov. 9	<i>True Crimes of Lake County</i>
Dec. 14	<i>Holiday Fun</i>

Those Whom We Have Lost

A donation from LCRTA has been made in their memories to IRTA Foundation ~

Raymond Baxter

Patricia Bishop

Lois Bouton

Betty Carbol

Donald Dwyer

Mary Emerzian

Larry Evans

Ann Gershenow

Mary Kaiser

Roland Kehrberg

Katryn W. Smith

Jean Potter

Peter Roknich

Josephine Steinberg

June Taveirne

Sybil Vastrow

William Zeedyk



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LCRTA (Lake County Retired Teachers Association)

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Thank you,
Marti Swanson,
for your outstanding
IRTAPAC leadership!



Dan Didech, Karen Battaglia, Maria Peterson, Al Johnson, Nabeela Sved, Craig Wilcox

Thank you,
Angel Barry,
for your wonderful
photography and
wonderful **memories**
throughout the year!



Thank you, **LCRTA Exec Board**, for
another outstanding year!

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