



Superior Court of California
County of Orange

Media Advisory

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Event: 300 eighth grade students from Orange County Schools will gather at the Old Courthouse along with local elected officials and members of the judiciary to celebrate Law Day by paying special tribute our system of liberty under law. The Law Day Program will have a lot of photo opportunities which include:

- A Flag Raising Ceremony (**promptly at 9:00 a.m.**) with music by the Marine Corps Band, a presentation of the colors by the Marine Corps and Sheriff's Department Color Guards, and a special choral performance by the O.C. High School for the Performing Arts
- O.C. Sheriff Department displays and demonstrations of a mounted patrol and K-9 unit, patrol vehicles and a hummvee.
- A tour of the Old Courthouse and photos of each class on the steps of the Old Courthouse
- A visit to the Central Justice Centers (**10:30a.m. to 12:00 p.m.**) where students will visit with judges, attorneys and courtroom staff to learn more about the justice system.

Date: **Thursday, May 1, 2003 at 9:00 a.m**

Location: **Old Orange County Courthouse - 211 W. Santa Ana Blvd.
Central Justice Center - 700 Civic Center Drive West
Santa Ana, CA**

Participants: Orange County Superior Court Judges & Justices of the Ca. Court of Appeal, Fourth Appellate District - Santa Ana
O.C. Board of Supervisors
Superintendent of the O.C. Department of Education

Participating Schools: Orange - Yorba Middle School
Irvine - Rancho San Joaquin
Whittier - Rancho Starbuck
Santa Ana - Community Day School, Lathrop Intermediate and Villa Fundamental