



Direct Action @ PZ | September 29th, 2023

Submit Actions for us to Boost: [Action Submissions](#)

Hi all! Sending wishes of health and safety to all as we continue to settle into the Fall semester. Please don't hesitate to reach out with any action/support you need that we might be able to help you get and submit actions to the link above.

Global

Morocco Earthquake: On September 8th Morocco experienced a powerful earthquake that killed and injured thousands of people in and around the mountain area near Ighil, close to the city of Marrakesh. The 6.8 magnitude earthquake destroyed roads and ravaged villages, causing many to lose their lives and homes. Our thoughts and prayers stay with the country of Morocco as they navigate this devastating disaster. If you are able to donate please see the link below.

- **CALL TO ACTION:**

<https://www.globalgiving.org/projects/morocco-earthquake-relief-fund/>

National Day For Truth and Reconciliation: September 30th is National Day For Truth and Reconciliation, a national day in Canada created to acknowledge and remember the indigenous children that were taken away from their family and community via the Residential "school" system. The day is used to raise awareness of the horrific practice, and highlight their experiences.

- **CALLS TO ACTION:**

https://www.irsss.ca/donate?utm_medium=email&utm_source=actionkit

- https://reconciliationcanada.ca/donate/?utm_medium=email&utm_source=actionkit

- https://indspire.ca/ways-to-give/donate/?utm_medium=email&utm_source=actionkit

Local

Save Olvera Street!: A Vital Part of LA History in Need

The oldest Mexican restaurant in LA, La Golondrina Cafe, and the street it resides on, Olvera Street, located in Downtown Los Angeles are currently in trouble! La Golondrina Cafe is in the midst of a lengthy legal battle with the city of Los Angeles, having been prevented from opening because of a plumbing issue that they say the city was supposed to repair. To this day the historic restaurant has remained closed, leaving Olvera Street and the many businesses in the area struggling. What was once a vibrant Mexican marketplace full of cafes, street vendors, and gift shops is now but a mere shell of its former self, slowly dying out by the loss of one of its central features.

To learn more about the important history of Olvera Street click here:

<https://www.olvera-street.com/history>

CALL TO ACTION:

If you would like to donate to the cause, here is a go fund me link to do so:

<https://www.gofundme.com/f/help-us-beat-the-city-of-los-angeles-and-open>

Community Mutual Aid

Health/Medical: Mutual Aid for 5C staff member-Elder Care Support! All money will be collected to go towards ongoing care and recovery. To donate or know more click the link below!

Spofund:

https://www.spofund.com/story/92395350-cd04-45c1-9b18-2d131adcd837?source=s&share_location=c&SFID=tjrd8sc

Home/Food/Employment: Mutual Aid for Pitzer Dining Hall Employee! A beloved long time employee at Pitzer is experiencing job, home, and food insecurities. Please join in helping out an important member of the Pitzer family through the venmo below!

Venmo: @arizpenayeli

Resources

Onomy: [Onomy](#) is a site that offers free content advising on financial decisions, job search, investing, navigating the workplace, even communication, post-grad transition, and how to find a therapist.

Beautiful Trouble: Beautiful trouble was born out of a desire to help grassroots organizations be effective and creative via the power of people power! If you are interested in knowing more, please view their history and mission [here](#).

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