

### **Sheriff's Department Volunteer Training**

**On February 21, 2015, seven of the Avalon Sheriff's Department volunteers participated in a once-a-year conference and training at the STARS Center in Whittier. Included in the group were Cheryl Allison, Eric Cederwall, Glen Gustafson, Mary Johnson, Cyndee Mahan, Earl Roof and Janet Seebert. Also present at the event were LA County Supervisor Don Knabe and LA County Sheriff Jim McDonnell, both of whom made presentations. In total, there were almost 500 participants at the well-liked event. Several presentations of current problems and activities were made to the whole group, then several training classes were held in separate halls. Local volunteers report that it was a great activity, helping us to build a strong and reliable Sheriff's Department volunteer team.**

**If you are interested in becoming a Sheriff's Department volunteer, please contact Deputy Miguel Orellana at the Avalon Sheriff's Station.**