



**December 3, 2021**

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Thank you for taking the time to read our weekly newsletter. Every Friday afternoon at 1:30 pm, we distribute this publication to provide updates on past and future events throughout our council district. Please encourage your neighbors to sign up for the Go Fourth! Friday newsletter by filling out the form at this [link](#).

- Councilman Daryl Supernaw



## COVID-19 Updates

### Digital COVID-19 Vaccine Record from CDPH

Everyone who is vaccinated in California can request a COVID-19 Vaccination Record. As more industries and organizations start to require proof of vaccination, the City encourages the community to utilize the various services available at no cost to maintain vaccination records. You can access the California Department of Public Health (CDPH) COVID-19 Digital Vaccination Record portal at this [link](#), or you can call 833.422.4255 to get your digital vaccination record.



**COVID-19 Updates and Information available at this [link](#)**

## Past and Ongoing Events

### Nature Center Family Night Walks

**Thru Dec. 16th | Thursdays, 6 - 8 pm | 7550 E. Spring St.**

Family Night Walks will take place from 6 to 8 pm every Thursday

through December 16th. Attendees are asked to arrive 15 minutes prior to start time for check in, and the entry gates close at 6:05 pm. Participation in Family Night Walks is \$5 per person or free for children ages 2 and younger. Registration is required at [www.lbparks.org](http://www.lbparks.org). In-person registration is available from 8:30 am to 4 pm, Tuesdays through Sundays at El Dorado Nature Center. For more information about the Family Night Walks, call [562.570.1745](tel:562.570.1745).



## 2021-2022 Edison Scholars Program

Thru December 13th | [Apply Online](#)

Become an Edison Scholar. Edison International is awarding \$40,000 college scholarships to 30 high school seniors to help them follow their dreams in science, technology, engineering or math (STEM) and empower them to change the world.

Guidelines at: [EDISONSCOLARS.COM](http://EDISONSCOLARS.COM) - Eligibility requirements:

- Must be a high school senior and show financial need
- Have a minimum 3.0 GPA
- Live in Southern California Edison's service area
- Plan to attend a four-year college or university and pursue studies in STEM

APPLY NOW THRU DEC. 13, 2021



## Redistricting Changes Take Effect December 18th

The newly drawn council districts will go into effect two weeks from tomorrow on Saturday, 12/18. Our office will continue to handle all CD4 requests during the transition period. If you'd like to reach out to your new council district, please use the email addresses listed below. The changes to the 4th council district borders are substantial, and all neighborhoods leaving CD4 are south of PCH:

- Clark to Redondo will be in CD3 - [District3@longbeach.gov](mailto:District3@longbeach.gov)
- Redondo to Junipero will be in CD2 - [District2@longbeach.gov](mailto:District2@longbeach.gov)
- Junipero to Gardenia will be in CD6 - [District6@longbeach.gov](mailto:District6@longbeach.gov)

For CD3 and CD5 residents coming to the 4th, please contact us at - [District4@longbeach.gov](mailto:District4@longbeach.gov)  
If you're not sure if your council district is changing, check the zoomable map [here](#).



## LBPD Toy Patrol Donation Drive

Now thru December 13th | [Donate Online](#)

The Long Beach Police Department annual Toy Drive is underway. There are over 30 locations in and around the City of Long Beach where you can drop off any unwrapped toy. Council District 4 drop off locations include F&M Bank (Bellflower/23rd & Anaheim/Obispo), Starbucks (Atherton/Ximeno) and Los Altos YMCA. You can find a list of drop off locations citywide at this [link](#).



## LBFD Spark of Love Toy Drive

Now thru Dec. 24th

The Long Beach Fire Department holiday toy drive is underway. Please help LBFD spread some holiday cheer this year! Monetary and toy donations are being accepted now through December 24th. Unwrapped toy donations may be dropped off outside all LBFD fire stations. Please wear your mask when dropping off toys.



# Upcoming Events

## Holiday Open House at Rancho Los Alamitos

Fri - Sun | Dec. 3rd - 5th | 12:30 - 4:30 pm | Reservations [here](#)

In the early 1900s, the Bixby family hosted the ranch's community of workers, families, and friends for a big Christmas party. And now you're invited! Bring your family and friends for a festive afternoon at Rancho Los Alamitos. Tour the decorated Ranch House, get creative with crafts for kids, and enjoy music and light refreshments. The Holiday Open House at Rancho Los Alamitos is free. (Donations are welcome.) Reservations for timed-arrival are [required](#). Parking is free for RLA members, \$5.00 for others. For more information, please call (562) 431-3541 or email: [info@RanchoLosAlamitos.org](mailto:info@RanchoLosAlamitos.org)



## Aquarium Holidays Begin Tomorrow!

Dec. 4 - 23 | 10 am - 6 pm | 100 Aquarium Way

Holiday Treats for the Animals festival kicks off Aquarium Holidays, which runs December 4 through 23, featuring appearances by Santa Diver, special presentations of the animals receiving holiday treats and more. On weekends December 4 through 19, including Holiday Treats for the Animals festival, the Aquarium will have photo opportunities with Santa and Hanukkah storytelling. Also during Aquarium Holidays, the Aquarium will host a Kwanzaa celebration. Additional information is available [here](#).



## Miracle on Anaheim St. at LB Playhouse Tomorrow

December 4th | 7:00 pm | 5021 E. Anaheim St.

This special one one-night event is back! Long Beach Playhouse and Held2gether, Improv for Life, are partnering for the 6th annual "Miracle on Anaheim Street", a holiday variety improv show to benefit WomenShelter of Long Beach (WSLB), a local nonprofit domestic violence agency. The performance will take place Saturday, December 4th at 7pm. Tickets are available at [www.lbplayhouse.org/](http://www.lbplayhouse.org/), or by calling 562-494-1014, option 1.

HELD2GETHER, IMPROV FOR LIFE PRESENTS  
**MIRACLE ON ANAHEIM STREET**  
A COMEDY VARIETY FUNDRAISER  
BENEFITTING  
WomenShelter  
of Long Beach  
SATURDAY, DECEMBER 4TH  
7PM  
Long Beach Playhouse  
5021 E. Anaheim St.,  
Long Beach, 90804  
Tickets  
**\$20**  
[www.lbplayhouse.org](http://www.lbplayhouse.org)  
562-494-1014

## Long Beach Community Band Christmas Concert

December 5th | 5 pm | Bethany Church, 2250 Clark Ave.

**CHRISTMAS  
CONCERT**  
DECEMBER 5 AT 5 PM

FEATURING  
THE LONG BEACH COMMUNITY BAND  
LED BY CONDUCTOR GREG FLORES

YOU'RE INVITED TO COME ENJOY SONGS OF THE SEASON  
AT BETHANY CHURCH IN LONG BEACH

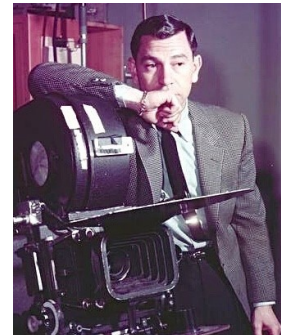
2250 CLARK AVE. LONG BEACH  
BETHANYLB.ORG | 562.597.2411

*Thank you to the sponsors of the Long Beach Community Band for helping make events like this possible.*

## Filming in the Fourth

**December 7th & 8th | 6am - 10:00 pm | 2280 Bellflower Blvd.**

Filming will take place at 2280 Bellflower Blvd., Panera Bread (CLOSED TO PUBLIC). Filming will consist of interior/exterior dialog with talent riding a scooter up to the building and entering the restaurant. Exterior establishing shots of the location. Production to have 10 static picture cars in the parking lot. Production to use atmospheric smoke under the supervision of the LBFD. Production will leave their trucks in the parking lot overnight. Production may not have camera, equipment or persons in the street at anytime. Production must leave a 4-foot pedestrian access on sidewalks/walkways at all times.



## Next on the City Council Agenda

**December 7th | 5:00 pm | 411 W. Ocean Blvd.**

The City Council meeting will start at 5:00 pm. The civic chambers will be open to the public, and the public can also use eComment to provide comments on agenda items. Comments can also be submitted by email to: [CityClerk@longbeach.gov](mailto:CityClerk@longbeach.gov). Below are items on Tuesday's agenda:



- Recommendation to direct City Manager to work with all appropriate departments to report back within 180 days on piloting an innovative citywide Clean Parks restroom facilities initiative to address resident concerns and improve the cleanliness, accessibility, and use standards of our public park restroom facilities.
- Recommendation to direct City Attorney to prepare a resolution to declare an Inclusive Language Policy for all future Long Beach Municipal Code ordinances presented to the City Council, as well as for future City Council Policies and ballot proposals for City Charter amendments; and Direct City Attorney to prepare an ordinance amending the

Long Beach Municipal Code to state that all gender references in the Code shall be considered neutral and inclusive in form and context. (Citywide)

- Recommendation to authorize City Manager, or designee, to execute an agreement, and all necessary documents including subsequent amendments, including amending the contract amount, with Los Angeles County, to receive and expend up to \$5,236,895 of Measure H funding, to implement Homeless Initiative strategies adopted by the County Board of Commissioners to combat homelessness in Los Angeles County, for the estimated period of November 1, 2021 through June 30, 2022, with the option to renew for four additional one-year periods, at the discretion of the City Manager. (Citywide)

The entire agenda can be found [here](#). To see the schedule and agenda for all upcoming city meetings, click [here](#).

## Towne Center Tree Lighting

**December 10th | 7 pm - 9 pm | 7501 E. Carson St.**

The Long Beach Towne Center invites the community to a Christmas tree lighting and extravaganza featuring a dramatic laser light show with falling snow, a musical performance by the Jazz Angels and a selfie-worthy meet-and-greet with Santa, Mrs. Claus, Frosty, festive stilt walkers and a life-size holiday Teddy Bear. The fun begins at 7:15 pm, and the light show and snowfall repeats at 8 pm. The event is FREE and open to the public. It will take place outdoors in the Edwards Long Beach Stadium Courtyard. Guests are asked to observe all state and local COVID healthcare regulations.



## Coronado Avenue Holiday Market

**December 12th | 11am - 4 pm | Coronado & Anaheim**

Join the Coronado Avenue businesses for a block wide holiday market on Sunday, December 12th. Enjoy local artisans, food, live music, and activities for the whole family. More information is available at this [link](#).



## Nature Center Blood Drive

**December 13th | 10 am - 4 pm | 7550 E. Spring St.**

Give the gift of life! A Red Cross Blood Drive will take place at the El Dorado Nature Center Museum on Monday, December 13th from 10 am to 4 pm. Free cookies and hot cocoa will be provided on the porch after you donate. Make an appointment by signing up at [www.RedCrossBlood.org](http://www.RedCrossBlood.org) And use the sponsor code: "EIDoradoLB" or call 1-800-733-2767.



## Presentation on CPCC Recommendations

**Dec. 14th | 6:00 - 7:30 pm | [Online](#)**

LB The City of Long Beach will host a virtual public presentation on the recommendations for changes to the Citizen Police Complaint commission (CPCC) on Tuesday, December 14th from 6-7:30 pm. Your input is needed, so please get Involved.

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Complaint Commission

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## Nature Center Winter Break Workshops

Dec. 20-24 & 27-31 | 10 am - 12 pm | Register [Online](#)

Registration is happening now for El Dorado Nature Center Winter Break Workshops online or in person at 7550 E. Spring Street. Week long camps for ages 5-8 years old are from 10 am - 12 pm. For more information, call (562) 570-1745.

December 20-24: Wild Journeys #51526

December 27-31: Superpower Senses #51730



## Parks & Rec Winter Camps

Registrations begins Dec. 1 | 8 am in person | 10 am [Online](#)

LB Parks, Recreation and Marine (PRM) will offer programs to safely engage youth ages 5 to 12 during the upcoming LBUSD winter break. Winter Camps will take place at various LB parks weekdays from 9 am to 4 pm from Dec. 20th thru 30th (excluding Christmas Day). Campers will enjoy fun games such as capture the flag and kickball. Registration begins Wednesday, Dec. 1, at 8 am in person and 10 am online at [LBParks.org](#). In person locations are listed in the [press release](#). Camp registration fees are \$30 per week, and financial assistance is available on a first-come, first-served basis. For more information, call [562.570.3150](tel:562.570.3150).



## And Finally

### LBPD “Walking the Beat” Video

Last month, we featured a photo (top right) taken during LBPD’s walking tour of the CD4 neighborhood south of Rotary Park. I was invited to join that day to help promote positive relationships with residents and businesses by officers “walking the beat”. Pictured in the photo (left to right) are Officer Chris Vong, East Division Commander Michael Richens, Patrol Resource Officer Brendan Murphy, Chief Robert Luna and Commander Pat O’Dowd.



This week, LBPD posted a video that captures the special nature of the walking tour. Among those featured in the video are CD4 resident and business owner, Gary Ung, at his storefront. Chief Luna and I are shown speaking to the owner of Corky’s Market. East Division Community Liaison, Ana Maria Rios, is speaking Spanish to a resident, and Officer Chris Vong is shown speaking Khmer. Finally, Patrol Resource Officer, Brendan Murphy, is featured literally reaching out to a constituent.

Beginning December 18th, this neighborhood that encompasses LBPD's Beat 11 will become part of Council Districts 2 and 6. It has been a great honor for me to serve as the Council Representative for the past six and a half years.



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