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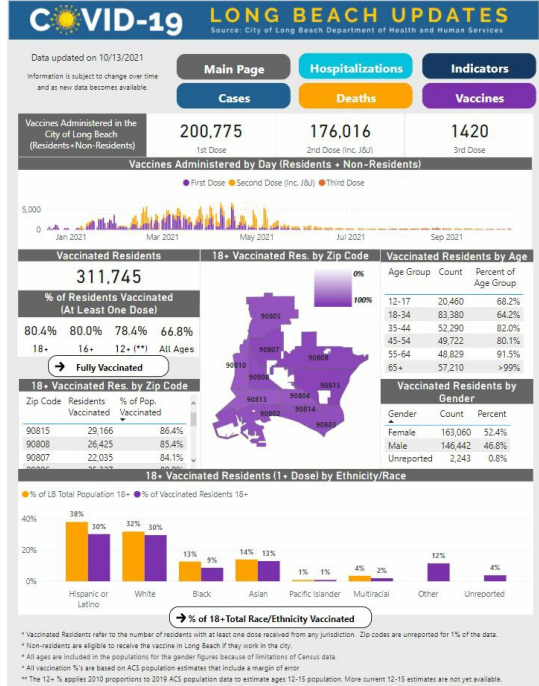
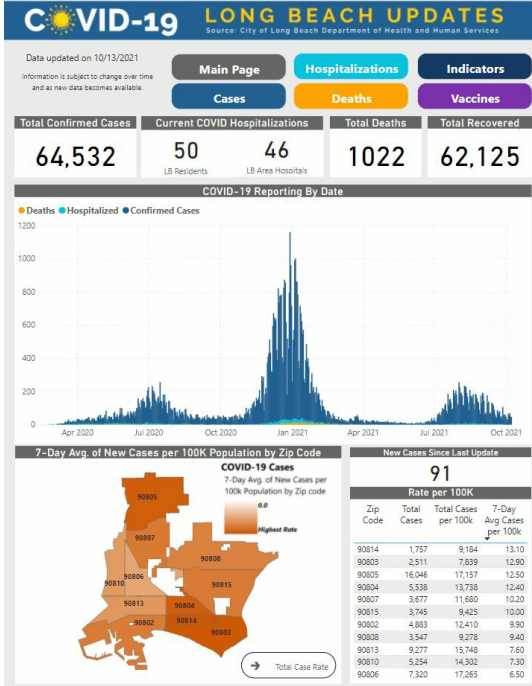
Thank you for taking the time to read our weekly newsletter. Every Friday afternoon at 1:30 pm, we distribute this publication to provide updates on past and future events throughout our council district. Please encourage your neighbors to sign up for the Go Fourth! Friday newsletter by contacting us at: district4@longbeach.gov.

- Councilman Daryl Supernaw



COVID-19 Updates

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More information available at this [link](#)

Digital COVID-19 Vaccine Record from CDPH

Everyone who is vaccinated in California can now 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 CA 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.



Past and Ongoing Events

Go LB App Updated for E-Scooter & Fireworks

The City's Go Long Beach mobile app is enhanced with two new types of reporting capabilities: sightings of illegal fireworks usage and electric scooter parking violations. For E-Scooter parking issues, the respective vendor will be notified to relocate the device to a proper location or the device could be impounded. The standard response time to address the violation is within two hours but may vary depending on conditions. For fireworks reports, the City Prosecutor staff will respond quickly to gather additional information to aid in their investigation. Information about the app can be found at this [link](#).



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 p.m. every Thursday from October 7 through December 16, except for Thanksgiving, November 25. Attendees are asked to arrive 15 minutes prior to start time for check in, and the gates close at 6:05 p.m. Participation in Family Night Walks is \$5 per person or free for children ages 2 and younger. Registration is required at www.lbparks.org. Register online or 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).



Upcoming Events

Halloween at Krispy Skreme

Now thru Oct. 31st | 6 am - 10 pm | 4760 E. Los Coyotes Diag.



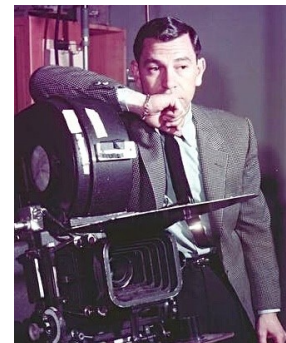
LIMITED EDITION! A dozen doughnut incantations for your spooky celebration! Pick up a Halloween Dozen today and enjoy a limited-edition Spellbook box containing 3 Bewitched Broomstick, 3 Abra Cat Dabra, 3 Enchanted Cauldron and 3 Spooky Sprinkle Doughnuts!



Filming in the Fourth

October 17th | 7 am - 12 pm | 1217 Newport Ave.

Stills will take place at 1217 Newport Ave., Belmont Motor Clinic. Stills will consist of interior shots with two (2) talent against scenery, one working on a car and while the other works on a motorcycle in shop. Production to remain completely on property. Production may NOT have camera, equipment, or persons in the street at anytime, NO EXCEPTIONS. Production MUST leave a 4-foot pedestrian access on sidewalks/walkways at all times.



Morning Bird Walks at the Nature Center

Sundays: 10/17, 11/21, 12/19 | 8 - 10 am | 7550 E. Spring St.

Whether you're a new birder or just want to sharpen your skills, join

volunteers and staff for Sunday morning walks through El Dorado Nature Center. Pre-Registration is required at (562) 570-1745. The programs are Free, and parking is \$8.



Next on the City Council Agenda

October 19th | 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. Below are items on Tuesday's agenda:



- Presentation: Historical Society of Long Beach's 25th Annual Historical Cemetery Tour
- Recommendation to receive and file a Pedestrian Safety presentation from Department of Public Works, Long Beach Fire and Police Department; and Request City Attorney to prepare a resolution to recognize October as National Pedestrian Safety Month.

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

Redistricting Commission In-Person Meeting

October 20th | 6:00 pm | 411 W. Ocean Blvd or [online](#)

A Long Beach Independent Redistricting Commission meeting will take place on October 20th, 6:00 pm at City Hall Council Chambers. Members of the public will have the option to attend the meeting in person or virtually. You can find additional information and a link to the virtual meeting [here](#). Special note: City Council has no role in this process and cannot provide input. The City Attorney has indicated that Charter section 2506(c) specifically prohibits the Commission from considering the place of residence of any incumbent or political candidate in the creation of a map. Maps of the newly proposed council boundaries can be viewed at this [link](#).



Great ShakeOut Earthquake Drill

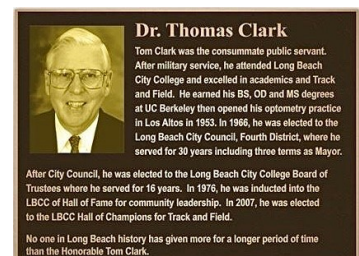
October 21st | 10:21 am | Register online

Long Beach's Department of Disaster Preparedness and Emergency Communications is encouraging all residents to take part in the annual [Great ShakeOut Earthquake Drill](#) happening at 10:21 am on Thursday, October 21st. The disaster drill is an opportunity for the public to prepare and practice what to do in the event of a major earthquake. To take part in the Great ShakeOut, joining millions of people worldwide at the designated time, Long Beach residents can [register](#) online and should practice the following steps to reduce their chance of injury in a real disaster.



Tom Clark Proposal to Parks & Rec Commission

We previously told you the Government, Personnel and Elections Oversight Committee unanimously approved a recommendation to rename the El Dorado Park West Senior Center the "Dr. Thomas Clark Community Center". The recommendation will now move to the Parks and Recreation Commission for additional discussion and then to the City Council for final approval. If you'd like to



submit a letter to the Parks & Recreation Commission supporting the proposal, please email it before next Thursday to: District4@longbeach.gov

Bicycle & Pedestrian Count

Oct. 21 & 23 | Various times & locations listed [here](#)

The City of Long Beach's 14th Annual Bike and Pedestrian Count, one of the longest-running bike counts in the country, will take place on Thursday, October 21st and Saturday, October 23rd. Please visit the SignUpGenius page for more information about count locations and to sign up to volunteer. Additional information is available at this [link](#).



Nature Center Halloween Storytelling Event

Oct. 23rd | 2 - 4 pm | 7550 E. Spring St.

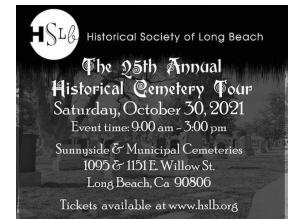
El Dorado Nature Center will host a Howl-O-Ween storytelling event with Delicious Shivers and Startled Gasps. Join the South Coast Storytellers Guild for spooky stories as the sun sets over the Nature Center on Saturday, October 23rd from 2-4 pm. The event is free, and parking is \$8. For more information, call (562) 570-1754



25th Annual Cemetery Tour

October 30th | 9 am - 2:40 pm | 1095 E. Willow St.

The Historical Society of Long Beach will be hosting the 25th Annual Historical Cemetery Tour on Saturday, October 30th at Sunnyside Cemetery. Graveside performances run continuously from 9 am with the last skits starting at approximately 2:40 pm. Actors bring local history to life as told by the colorful characters who lived it! Tickets are available [online](#)!



And Finally

The Long Beach Mad, Mad World of 1963

Last Monday, October 11th, LBFD responded to a 2nd alarm fire involving the old 2-story Victorian home at 928 Long Beach Blvd. The home was boarded up and vacant, but the fire investigator had one person in custody. The structure had previously caught fire back on March 20th, and that blaze also went to a 2nd alarm. The home was also boarded up and vacant at that time. If you never got to see the classic Victorian home before it was destroyed, it was featured in the 1963 film "It's a Mad, Mad, Mad, Mad World". It's in the background of the chase scene next to 940 Long Beach Blvd where the cab runs over the fire hydrant (photo below). It's amazing that the giant palm trees in the front yard survived both fires. We also included a link to a video of the chase scene.

So what's this got to do with the 4th council district? Besides that fact that we've had our share of encampment fires, there is a long-time CD4 resident featured in the chase sequence. LBPD Sergeant Gil Smith can be seen stopping traffic (he is not the obvious movie actor). We'll cover that story in a future newsletter.



Photo credit: LBFD October 11, 2021



Photo credit: LBFD March 20, 2021



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