



GO FOURTH! FRIDAY NEWSLETTER

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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



Past and Ongoing Events

Isabel Arvea, MPA Joins CD4 as Senior Advisor

Please join us in welcoming our new council office Senior Advisor, Isabel Arvea. Isabel is a Long Beach resident with a wealth of experience working and consulting for local government. She was the Chief of Staff to former Vice Mayor Dee Andrews, and served in the Long Beach Energy Resources, Economic Development and Parks, Recreation & Marine departments. She has worked as an Associate Consultant with former Long Beach City Manager Pat West's cities and development firm, Pat West LLC. Isabel holds a Master's Degree in Public Administration from California State University Dominguez Hills and is a proud Wilson High School alum. Welcome Isabel, it's great to have you aboard!



Vote By Mail Drop Boxes Through June 7th

The Office of the City Clerk has partnered with the Los Angeles Registrar-Recorder/County Clerk to bring the [Vote By Mail Drop-Off Program](#) to Long Beach. Vote by Mail ballots may be returned by mail (no postage required), in person at any Vote Center or at any

Vote by Mail drop box. Long Beach voters have 24-hour access to drop boxes at participating locations across LA County. There are 17 drop box locations throughout Long Beach, and Council District 4 locations include El Dorado Park and Stearns Park. Click [here](#) to find a drop box location in Long Beach.



Parks & Rec Summer Class Registration

Beginning Monday, May 2nd, you can register for summer classes and activities! Long Beach Parks, Recreation & Marine (PRM) will offer a variety of new and existing classes and camps. More than 700 activities in art, music, nature, fitness, special interest subjects, adult sports leagues and aquatics will begin in June and continue throughout the summer months. To browse summer classes in the latest issue of Recreation Connection, PRM's programs catalog, visit LBParks.org or at Long Beach Park community centers and Long Beach Public Library branches.

Summer 2022
Classes and activities
for all ages

LBPARKS.ORG

JUNE - AUGUST 2022
REGISTRATION BEGINS MAY 2



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Nature Kids Summer Camp Registration

Registration begins Tuesday, May 3rd at 8:00 am for the Nature Kids Summer Camp at El Dorado Nature Center. Children will experience nature through investigation, hands-on activities, games and crafts. The 2-hour sessions will take place in June, July and August 2022. Preschool sessions (3-5 years) run from 10am-12pm, and youth sessions (5-8 years) are held at the same time on alternate weeks. For more information, call (562) 570-1745 or visit www.lbparks.org




Upcoming Events

FREE Household Hazardous Waste Event

May 14th | 9 am - 2 pm | 2755 California Ave.

EDCO is hosting two events per month on 2nd and 4th Saturdays! Drop off all your Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) items and e-waste at the FREE drop-off event from 9 am to 2 pm tomorrow. More info: http://bit.ly/HHW_LB



HOW TO IDENTIFY HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE (HHW)

Check the item for these labels:

HAZARDOUS	EXPLOSIVE
DANGER	OXIDIZER
WARNING	IRRITANT
CORROSIVE	HARMFUL
FLAMMABLE	FATAL
EXPLOSIVE	POISON

Next HHW & e-waste
Collection Events:
May 14 | 9 am - 2 pm
2755 California Ave.

LBFD Training Center: Live Burn Schedule

May | Various Times | 2249 Argonne Ave

The Long Beach Fire Training Center will be conducting live fire trainings next week on these dates/times that are subject to change:

- Monday (5/16) 7:00am – 8:00am & 3:00pm – 5:00pm
- Tuesday (5/17) 2:00pm – 5:00pm
- Thursday (5/19) 12:00pm – 5:00pm
- Friday (5/20) 7:00am – 8:00am & 3:00pm – 5:00pm



- Saturday (5/21) 2022A Recruit Graduation 11:00am – 2:00pm

Live fire training is essential in the development of firefighters and teaches skills needed to perform lifesaving and property saving operations. Thank you for your continued support of the Long Beach Fire Department!

Nature Center Turtle Show

May 14th | 10 am - 2 pm | 7550 E. Spring St.

El Dorado Nature Center is hosting the Spring Turtle Show on May 14th between 10 am and 12 pm. Come visit with members of the California Turtle and Tortoise Club to learn about one of our favorite animals here at the Nature Center. The event is free and parking is \$8. For more information please call 562-570-1745.



Next on the City Council Agenda

May 17th | 5:00 pm | 411 W. Ocean Blvd.

The City Council meeting will start at 5 pm in the Bob Foster Civic Chambers on the ground floor of City Hall, located at 411 W. Ocean Blvd. City council meetings are broadcast live online and are also available on Channel 3 for Charter cable subscribers and Channel 21 for FIOS subscribers. Here are some topics that appear on next Tuesday's agenda:



- ORD25: Recommendation to declare ordinance amending the Long Beach Municipal Code by amending Sections 5.90.030 and 5.90.060, by adding Section 5.90.310; and, by amending and restating Chapter 5.92, all relating to the regulation of cannabis retail storefront (dispensary) business licenses and the Cannabis Social Equity Program, read and adopted as read. (Citywide)
- ORD26: Recommendation to declare ordinance approving approving Resolution No. WD-1441A, A Resolution of the City of Long Beach Board of Water Commissioners Establishing the Rates and Charges to be Charged For Water and Sewer Service and declaring the urgency thereof, and providing that this ordinance shall take effect at 12:01 a.m. on June 1, 2022, read and adopted as read. (Citywide)

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

Rancho Los Alamitos Cool Crafts Roundup

May 18th | 1:30 pm - 4:00 pm | 6400 E Bixby Hill Road

Families are invited to get creative at Rancho Los Alamitos! Drop-in for a craft project and story time connecting to water, nature, and sustainability. All ages are welcome while supplies last. Children must be accompanied by an adult. Reservations are encouraged.

Email info@rancholosalamitos.org or call [\(562\) 431-3541](tel:5624313541)

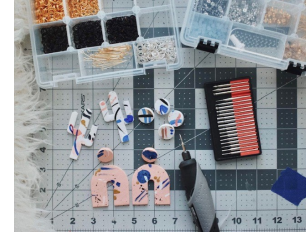


Los Altos Library Clay Jewelry Workshop

May 19th | 3:30 pm | 5614 E. Britton Dr.

Come out for a workshop on how to create your own clay jewelry. You'll design and make your own custom jewelry using clay, paint

and, of course, your imagination. The workshop takes place next Thursday afternoon, May 19th at 3:30 pm at the Los Altos Library.



Coffee with a Cop

May 20th | 10 am - 11 am | Starbucks| 6560 East Spring Street

The Long Beach Police Department East Division is partnering with Starbucks Coffee for a neighborhood Coffee with a Cop event. The mission of Coffee with a Cop is to break down the barriers between police officers and the community while creating a space for questions, community concerns and getting to know the officers servicing the area. For more information please contact LBPDEast@longbeach.gov or call 562-570-5808.



CSULB Art Museum Kickoff Party

May 20th | 5 pm - 9 pm | West end of Horn Center building

Enjoy FREE festivities inside the expansive new arts complex and experience activated spaces outdoors. Dance to live DJ sets, partake in friendly lawn games in the gardens and don't miss surprise entertainment features. Vibrant exhibitions by Linda Besemer, Anabel Juárez, Carolyn Campagna Kleefeld and Cal State Long Beach School of Art students must be seen to be believed! This event is free and open to the public, but attendees must register by May 19. Space is limited. For more information and to RSVP, please check [this](#) link.



Marine Bureau Boat Auction May 21st

May 21st | 8 am | 205 Marina Drive

Save the date for the Marine Bureau Boat Auction. This event will be held on Saturday, May 21st at 205 Marina Drive. The viewing begins at 8 am, and bidding starts at 9 am. Boat Auction rules and a list of items for auction are coming soon. For more information please call [562-570-3215](tel:562-570-3215). For future auction notification, sign up for [LinkLB](#).



El Dorado Frontier Special Event w/ Bob Gurr

May 21st | El Dorado Park | 7550 East Spring Street

El Dorado Frontier will be hosting Disney Legend Bob Gurr for a special meet and greet experience. Imagineer Bob Gurr designed most of the Disneyland attractions ride vehicles including Autopia, The Haunted Mansion, the Disneyland Monorail, the Submarine Voyage and the Matterhorn Bobsleds. Tickets are on sale for \$20 and include admission to the Frontier and unlimited train and carousel rides. For more information click [here](#).



El Dorado Nature Center Family Night Walks

June - September | 6 pm - 8 pm | 7550 East Spring Street



What do the animals do at night? Find out on a naturalist-led exploration of the darkened trails of the Nature Center. All walks are from 6 - 8 pm, and there are eight events scheduled from June 23rd to Sept. 29th. All ages. \$5 per person. Children under 2 are free. Pre-registration is required that you can do [here](#).

And Finally

Holiday Inn in 1969 at Willow St. and Highway 19

This vintage photo of the Holiday Inn Long Beach was taken in 1969 from the Lakewood Blvd. south offramp of the 405 Freeway. A more recent photo shows the addition to the original tower and lots of foliage surrounding the offramp. The tower building was completed 1968, and its architecture is much revered by the LA Conservancy: *"It looks like a much-enlarged air control tower, complete with a "control center" on the top floor ringed with large view windows... narrow vertical elements running upward to end in brackets supporting the slightly-projecting top floor. The emphasis is on verticality and circularity, and the designers of this building did not fail to dot any "i"s or cross any "t"s in making their case."*

Lakewood Blvd. lost its designation as CA Highway 19 many years ago, but there is still a remnant indicator located in Council District 4. Send us an email if you know the location, and we'll post the answer in next week's newsletter. Photo credit: CA Dept. of Highways via Freeways of Los Angeles





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