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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

Summer of 20 Free Concerts in CD4 Continues Tonight!

El Dorado Park | Nature Center | Rancho Los Alamitos | Whaley Park | Stearns Park

Council District 4 is hosting a total of twenty FREE concerts this summer. So far, we've had events at El Dorado Park, the Nature Center, Whaley Park and Rancho Los Alamitos. Concert number six in the CD4 Summer Series takes place tonight with a Municipal Band performance at El Dorado Park West. Hope to see you tonight. Please stop by and say hi at our booth. You can check out the list of District 4 summer events at this [link](#). Go Fourth!



Los Altos YMCA Group Swim Lessons

Starting July 3rd | Mon-Thur & Sat | 1720 N Bellflower Blvd.

Make a splash this summer with Group Swim Lessons at the Y. Whether your child is a beginner or looking to improve their swimming skills, instructors are ready to help. Registration is now open for July Group Swim Lessons! To book a free level placement test to identify your child's swim lesson level, call (562) 596-3394 or

email Annie Sumioka at annie.sumioka@lbymca.org or register and learn more at this [link](#).



ALLB's Operation School Bell in CD4

6/1 - 8/31 | M-Th 8:30am - 5 pm; Fri 8:30 am - 3 pm | 6220 E. Spring St.

Assistance League of Long Beach is collecting new school supplies for children attending LBUSD and they need your support! Help ALLB ensure that Operation School Bell will have the supplies needed to serve thousands of children returning to school this fall. Donations may be dropped off at 6220 E Spring St. during office hours or you may make a monetary donation at this [link](#). Questions can be directed to Christina Mansour at OSB@ALLB.org or Wendy Parden at wendyparden@ALLB.org or you may call the Assistance League of Long Beach office at (562) 627-5650.



El Dorado Stormwater Capture Project Meeting

Wednesday evening, the Department of Public Works hosted a virtual meeting on the El Dorado Regional Stormwater Capture Project. This project will help protect our local waterways by reducing pollutants that enter our rivers and beaches. Construction on this project is expected to begin in 2025 near the Long Beach Water Reclamation Plant along Willow Street. You can watch a recording of the meeting at this [link](#). For additional information, please email stormwater@longbeach.gov.



Upcoming Events

Long Beach Municipal Band is Back Tonight!

June 27th- August 4th | 6:30 pm | Various locations

The Long Beach Municipal Band is celebrating their 114th season this year with free outdoor summer concerts in Long Beach parks, through August 4th, with a different theme every week. All concerts begin at 6:30 p.m. and are FREE. View the full schedule at this [link](#). Here is a list of concerts in CD4:

- Whaley Park North on Tuesday, July 11
- El Dorado Park West on Fridays, June 30; July 7, 14, 21, 28; August 4



LGBTQ+ Ally Presentation at UUC Tonight

June 30th | 7 - 9 pm | 5450 E Atherton St.

Join the Unitarian Universalist Church LGBTQ+ Caucus and Adult Faith Development for the "How to Be An Ally" to LGBTQ+

Workshop. Bill Sive will be the special guest who will provide a presentation. Light snacks and beverages will be provided. For more information, please visit this [link](#).



Unitarian Universalist Church of Long Beach
LGBTQ+ Caucus and Adult Faith Development

LB Refuse Rate Increases Begin July 1st

Customers can expect a refuse service bill rate increase beginning tomorrow, July 1st. The \$3.90 per month increase will be added to the average single-family home's bill. There will be a second increase in October, for an additional \$4.34 per month. For detailed information on the rationale for the rate increase, please read the 19-page city council presentation at this [link](#). For questions, please call 562-570-2850 or email Sara Zambrano at sara.zambrano@longbeach.gov.



Residential Cart Rates:

Solid Waste	Current Rates	Rates as of JULY 1, 2023	Rates as of OCT. 1, 2023
64 gallon carts	29.06	32.36	36.03
100 gallon carts	34.42	38.32	42.66



Fourth of July Safety Tips

The City of Long Beach is encouraging residents and visitors to celebrate safely this Fourth of July weekend to ensure everyone has an enjoyable and safe holiday. All personal fireworks are prohibited within Long Beach city limits and residents can expect ongoing citywide enforcement of the City's fireworks ordinance. For more safety tips, visit this [link](#).



Independence Day Closures

City Hall offices and public services will be closed on Tuesday, July 4th, including commercial services typically available in the City Hall lobby. There will be no scheduled street sweeping or enforcement of street sweeping violations on Tues., July 4th. Street sweeping will resume its regular schedule on Wed. July 5th. Trash and Recycling will be collected as scheduled on Tuesday, July 4th. For a full list of holiday closures, visit this [link](#).



Movie in the Park: Lightyear at El Dorado West

July 5th | Movie begins at dusk | 2800 N Studebaker Rd.

Parks, Recreation and Marine is hosting a FREE movie night at El Dorado Park West On Wednesday, July 5th. Families can bring a picnic style dinner and free popcorn will be provided. Attendees are encouraged to bring lawn chairs or blankets. The movie will begin at dusk. For more information, please call (562) 570-3226.



Zen Yoga Classes at the EMB Japanese Garden

July 5th | 12 pm - 1 pm | Free parking in CSULB lot G4

The Earl Burns Miller Japanese Garden will be hosting noon and evening Zen Yoga classes in the Garden. Classes take place at 12 pm or 5 pm on Wednesdays and 12 pm on Fridays. This class is open to all levels and beginners are welcome. Special \$10 pricing for EBMJG members. Register for classes at this [link](#). Garden gates and check-in for this program close 10 min after the class begins.



The Go Fourth! Harbor Tour is FULL!

July 6th | 5:30 pm - 7:30 pm

Thank you to everyone who has expressed interest in attending the Go Fourth! Harbor Tour event on July 6th. The response was amazing, and we reached capacity within hours of posting the invitation last Friday. Our RSVP list and waitlist are now full, and those who signed up have already been sent an email confirmation. Please let us know if you cannot attend so we can include more people from the waiting list.



FREE Youth Tennis Play Day at El Dorado Park

July 8th | 12 - 3 pm | 2800 N Studebaker Rd.

Back again by popular demand! Bridge the Gap Tennis is hosting another Free Tennis Play Day at El Dorado Park on Monday, July 8th. The event is sponsored by Councilman Supernaw, Wilson Tennis, SC Tennis Academy and Bridge the Gap Tennis Mgmt. It will feature free tennis play, music, fun, and free food! All ages and levels are welcome! Reserve a spot at this [link](#) and for more information, please email rc@sctennisacademy.com.



Long Beach 2nd Annual Summer Pet Fair

July 8th & 9th | 10 am - 4 pm | 386 E Shoreline Dr.

Long Beach Animal Care Services, The Little Lion Foundation, and Cat Cove Rescue are hosting the 2nd Annual Long Beach Summer Pet Adoption and Craft Fair on Saturday, July 8, and Sunday, July 9, from 10 am - 4 pm at Marina Green Park. Attendees can look forward to pet adoptions, raffles, and a variety of vendors and booths. Visit this [link](#) for more information.



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