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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](#).

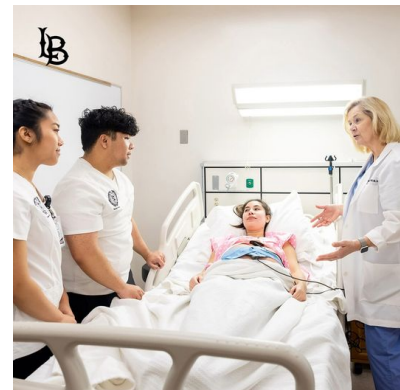
- Councilman Daryl Supernaw



## Past and Ongoing Events

### CSULB School of Nursing Ranked #1 in CA

RNCareers.org has recognized California State University Long Beach's School of Nursing as the top nursing program in California. Over 1,700 nursing schools were evaluated based on factors including program accreditation, tuition costs, and student satisfaction to determine rankings. The program's faculty and student excellence are what achieved this great recognition. Read more about the CSULB School of Nursing at this [link](#). Go Beach!



### Long Beach Key to the City Event

On Tuesday, Mayor Rex Richardson awarded Keys to the City to Samuel "Skip" and Beth Keesal, and Reverend Dr. Leon and Paula Wood (pictured L to R). Congratulations to the recipients

on this great recognition of their support of Long Beach communities. To learn more about our newest Key to the City holders, read the press release at this [link](#).



## National Night Out Registration Form Open

Register Your Event [here](#) by July 26th

National Night Out is returning this year on the evening of Tuesday, August 6th. The annual event is a community-building campaign that promotes police and community partnerships and neighborhood camaraderie to make our neighborhoods safer, more caring places to live. Neighborhoods host block parties, festivals, and various other community events featuring safety demonstrations, seminars, and more. Register your event before July 26th to secure a visit from one of our police officers! Registration is open at this [link](#).



## Sails and Tails Adoption Special

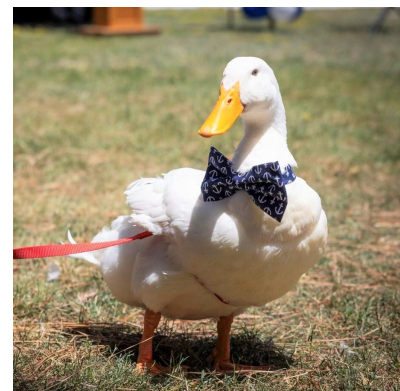
Now through July 28th | LBACS hours | 7700 E Spring St.

Long Beach Animal Care Services is hosting a Summer Sails & Tails Adoption event now through July 28th. Adopt a long stay (30+ days) dog for a reduced adoption fee of \$25, or adopt any two cats without incurring an adoption fee. LBACS is open Wednesday- Friday from 10am to 4:30pm and weekends from 10am to 3pm. Pictured is Maguire (A720471), and he is available for adoption!



## Duck Pond Volunteers/Docents Wanted

Council District 4 is forming a volunteer group to work on an ongoing basis to maintain the quality of the El Dorado Duck Pond. We need positive CD4 residents to engage in the tasks of pond area maintenance, ensuring visitors are respecting pond rules and providing education on not feeding wildlife. If you are interested in this much-needed opportunity, please email our office at [District4@longbeach.gov](mailto:District4@longbeach.gov) and provide your name, number and address. Also, our CD4 Ambassador, Luke Skyducker (photo attached), will be visiting children around District 4 to educate on why we do not feed bread to ducks. If you would like to book Luke for a free visit to your child's classroom, please email our office or call us at (562) 570-4444.



## Nature Center Art Gallery

Now through July 28 | Tues - Sun, 8:30 am - 4 pm | 7550 E Spring St.

The July Art Gallery at El Dorado Nature Center Museum is now on display for visitors. This month, the gallery is featuring

artist Katie Simpson. Her mixed media paintings will be on display during the Nature Center hours, Tuesday-Sunday, from 8:30 am to 4 pm. Parking fees apply. For questions or more information, please call (562) 570-1745.



## Upcoming Events

### Municipal Band Free Concert Tonight!

July 19th | 6:30 pm | El Dorado Park West - 2800 N Studebaker Rd.

Celebrate 115 years of the Long Beach Municipal Band Friday nights, 6:30 pm, at El Dorado Park. The theme for tonight, July 19th, is "Maestro - Music of Leonard Bernstein" featuring vocalist Meloney Collins. The upcoming theme for July 26th is "Constellation of Stars" featuring The Swing Kittens. The last Muni Band concert in CD4 will be held on August 2nd.



### Concert at the Japanese Garden Tonight

July 19 & 26th | 6 pm - 8 pm | Parking in CSULB Lot G4

Enjoy music in the Earl Burns Miller Japanese Garden! The Garden is at its most beautiful in the evenings, as the sun is setting. Chairs will be available or guests are encouraged to bring blankets to sit. Tickets are \$10 per person for the general public and \$5 per member. Tonight's event will feature Think of One Jazz. Next Friday, July 26th, the lineup will feature the Jazz Angels. For more information and to RSVP, visit this [link](#).



### Shibori Study at the Japanese Garden

July 20th | 10 am - 11 am | Parking in CSULB Lot G4

Join the Earl Burns Miller Japanese Garden tomorrow for a morning of learning. Experience the beautiful and intricate art form that is Japanese Tie Dye (shibori). In this class, you can dye and take home your own handkerchief! Tickets are \$20 per person for the general public and \$10 per member. Parking fee is \$12 for 90 minutes or \$15 for all-day. For more information and to RSVP, visit this [link](#).



### Sharks @ the Beach Open House Tomorrow

July 20th | 10 am - 3 pm | Free parking at 6300 E State University Dr.

The CSULB Shark Lab is inviting the public to visit their open house, "Sharks @ the Beach," tomorrow, July 20th at the Hall of Science Building on the CSULB campus. Admission is free and families are encouraged to visit. Visitors can enjoy tours of the Shark and Marine Labs, shark Q&A presentations, shark tracking technology, museum collections, beach safety tips,



sharks and crafts, and more! Plus, meet Dr. Lowe and the Shark Lab team, and speak with scientists about their research. Parking is free while space lasts, and Savage Tacos food truck will be on campus for purchase! For more information and directions, visit this [link](#).

## Pet Supplies Plus Adoption Event Tomorrow

July 20th | 11 am - 2 pm | 2086 N Bellflower Blvd.

Visit the Long Beach Animal Care Services Adoption Waggin' tomorrow, July 20th from 11 am to 2 pm at the monthly Pet Supplies Plus adoption event. Don't miss out on finding your new best friend! Please call (562) 570-7387 for more info.



## Blood Drive at the Nature Center Museum

July 22nd | 10 am - 4 pm | 7550 E Spring St.

The El Dorado Nature Center is hosting a blood drive on Monday, July 22nd from 10 am to 4 pm. To make an appointment, please sign up online at [RedCrossBlood.org](http://RedCrossBlood.org) and enter sponsor code: EIDoradoLB or call 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767). Help save a life. Schedule your blood donation appointment today.



## Movies in the Park - Monster's Inc.

July 22 & 24 | 8 pm - 10 pm | El Dorado Park West & Whaley Park

This summer, Parks, Recreation & Marine is offering free movie showings at parks throughout the city. Movies begin promptly at dusk. The next movie screenings in CD4 will be on Monday, July 22nd at El Dorado Park West, and Wednesday, July 24th at Whaley Park. Bring your family and friends with lawn chairs and picnic-style dinners to enjoy a free Movie in the Park, "Monster's Inc." For more information, call (562) 570-1643.



## LBACS Low-Cost Vaccine Clinic

July 22 & 26th | 10 am - 3 pm | LBACS - 7700 E Spring St.

Long Beach Animal Care Services and Camp Clinics are hosting multiple low-cost vaccine clinics. Upcoming clinics in CD4 will take place from 10 am to 3 pm on Monday, July 22nd and Friday July 26th. Click [here](#) for future vaccine clinics at LBACS. No appointment is necessary, but only the first 60 pets will be accepted. For a vaccine price list and important tips to expedite your visit, please visit this [link](#).



## BARK @ El Dorado Library Next Tuesday

July 23rd | 4:30 pm - 5:30 pm | 2900 N Studebaker Rd.

Come practice reading with calming, friendly, and nonjudgmental dogs at the El Dorado Library! No registration required. This reading program is recommended for readers ages 5 and up. For more information, email [lbpl\\_reference@lbpl.org](mailto:lbpl_reference@lbpl.org) or call (562) 570- 3136.



## El Dorado & Los Altos Library Storytime

July 25th & July 26th | Various Times | El Do & Los Altos Libraries

El Dorado Library and Los Altos Library will each be hosting a storytime next week. Enjoy a story with engaging songs and rhymes with your baby!

- Babies and Crawlers @ Los Altos (under 1 yr) - July 25th, 11:30 am - 12:30 pm. For more information, call (562)-570-1045.
- Infant Storytime @ El Dorado (under 1 yr) - July 26th, 12-12:30 pm. Registration required, please call (562)-570-3136.



## El Dorado Nature Center Concerts

July 25th featuring Sligo Rags | 6:30 pm | 7550 E Spring St.

The El Dorado Nature Center outdoor concerts will open for picnicking at 6:30 pm with live music from 7 to 8 pm. Friends of El Dorado Nature Center members can enter early at 6 pm. Bring an eco-friendly dinner and low chairs. There is a \$5 donation per person that supports Friends of El Dorado Nature Center. For more information, please call (562) 570-1745. Other upcoming concerts: August 8th with JP McDermott and August 22nd with Steel Parade.



## FREE Food Distribution Event at Puvungna

July 27th | 4 - 7 pm | Adjacent to Lot G2 at CSULB

Friends of Puvungna invite community members to pick up free fresh food care baskets on Saturday, July 27th. Food will be distributed from 4 pm to 7 pm at the sacred site of Puvungna. Please bring coolers or bags to take home some fresh fruit and vegetables. Please email questions to [friendsofpuvungna@gmail.com](mailto:friendsofpuvungna@gmail.com) for more information. For future events at the sacred site of Puvungna, please click [here](#).



## LGB Historic Terminal Open House Event

July 27th | 10 am - 3 pm | LGB - 4100 Donald Douglas Dr.

Next week, Long Beach Airport (LGB) will celebrate the reopening of its Historic Terminal building, which has been closed for more than a year for extensive renovations. The \$17.8 million project, part of the \$125 million Phase II –

Terminal Area Improvements Program, includes a seismic retrofit and meticulous restoration of the building's classic 1941 design elements. LGB is hosting a public open house of the Streamline Moderne-style building from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, July 27th. Attendees will be among the first to see the Historic Terminal's return to its former glory while enjoying history tours, music, children's activities, giveaways and light refreshments. Three hours of free parking will be available in Parking Structure B. Read the full press release at this [link](#).



## And Finally...

### LGB aka Port of Spain Airport?

The Long Beach Airport shared a vintage photo of the terminal in their press release (see above) and it reminded us of an even older image. It's from the 1952 noir classic, "Affair in Trinidad", starring Rita Hayworth and Glenn Ford. The terminal has a supporting role but not as the Long Beach Airport. It's used as a stand-in for the Port of Spain Airport in Trinidad. All it took was a few palm trees to make the scene believable.





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