



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

Court Restriping Completed at Whaley Park

The Department of Parks, Recreation and Marine announced that the restriping of the volleyball and pickleball courts at Whaley Park is now complete! The courts are freshly marked and ready for play. Thank you for your patience during the upgrades.



Watersafe Swim School Ribbon Cutting

M-F: 8-8; Sat: 8-4; Sun: 8-2 | 2220 Clark Ave. - Suite 104

Yesterday, I had the pleasure of attending the Ribbon Cutting for the Watersafe Swim School. We are happy to welcome this new business to Council District 4. Watersafe Swim School has a solid reputation in the surrounding communities for providing the highest quality lessons available. Their teachers are

carefully chosen and extensively trained and certified through the nationally recognized Smart Fish Academy. Learn more at this [link](#).



Celebrate Bike Month with T2 Triathlon

M, Th, F: 11-6; Sat: 10-4; Sun: 10-2 | 6400 E Stearns St.

Celebrate Bike Month by visiting one of Long Beach's coolest new spots for all things triathlon and cycling! T2 Triathlon & Cycling was founded in 2023 by local triathlete and bike whisperer Bryan Mewes (pictured with his wife, Nicole, in attached photo). T2 is located next to Simone's Donuts at 6400 E Stearns Street. Whether you're just curious about the sport or have been racing for years, T2 has something for everyone.

Check out their website at t2triathlon.com or follow on Instagram at [@t2triathlon](https://www.instagram.com/t2triathlon)



Ongoing LACSD Sewer Rehabilitation Project

The Los Angeles County Sanitation Districts announced their project near Studebaker Road and Stearns Street, as well as near Palo Verde Avenue north of Stearns Street will now be completed by May 9th. The project is working to rehabilitate 2,593 feet of a 24-inch diameter sewer pipe. Read the notice at this [link](#). For additional information, please contact the Districts' Resident Engineer, Cecilia Dominguez, at (562) 332-0267 or ceciliadominguez@lacsdsd.org. If a problem develops after hours or for any odor concerns, please call the 24-hr line (562) 437-6520.



**LOS ANGELES COUNTY
SANITATION DISTRICTS**
Converting Waste Into Resources

Upcoming Events

1st Saturday Nature Center Cleanup

May 3rd | 10 am - 12 pm | 7550 E Spring St.

Join the 1st Saturday Stewards to help preserve the beauty of El Dorado Nature Center! Volunteer activities include cleaning the stream, pulling weeds, clearing the trails or spreading mulch. Wear sturdy shoes. Pre-register at (562) 570-1745. Rain cancels. Visit this [link](#) for more information.



Older Americans Month: Picnic at El Dorado

May 3rd | 10 am - 1:30 pm | Golden Grove - 7550 E Spring St.

To celebrate Older Americans Month, the Department of Parks, Recreation and Marine will be offering a variety of free activities for adults ages 50 and above. Join PRM staff tomorrow

Saturday, May 3rd for fun at Golden Grove in El Dorado Regional Park. There will be food, games, and entertainment. Lunch will be served at 12 noon, and is limited to 200 people. When entering the park please notify the booth you're attending the senior picnic for free parking. Please call (562) 570-1771 for more event details.



FREE Shred Event at CSULB

May 3rd | 9 am - 12 pm | CSULB Lot G9

Realtor Michele "K" Kreinheder is hosting a free shred event at CSULB Lot G9 tomorrow Saturday, May 3rd from 9 am to noon. Donations are accepted and will help raise funds for Soroptimist of Long Beach, an organization dedicated to aiding local women and girls. Plus, you get to clean out those old files and drop them off in a secure manner right here in CD4! Enter CSULB off Atherton & Merriam Way by the Pyramid to Lot G-9.



FREE Document Shredding
Free! 2 On-site Trucks!

Saturday, May 3 from 9 to noon
CSULB Pyramid Parking Lot G-9

No Limit • Staples & Clips ok

Donations go to Soroptimist International
for women and girls in Long Beach

Assistance League Car Show and Fair

May 3rd | 10 am - 4 pm | 6220 E Spring St.

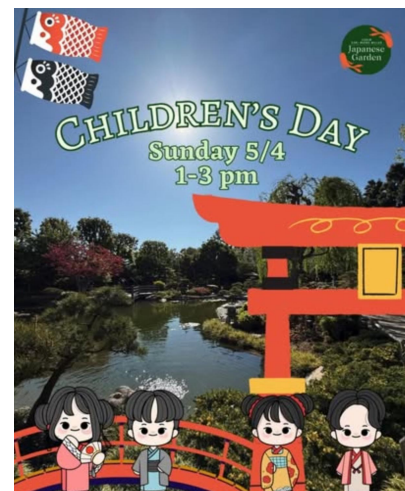
Join the Assistance League of Long Beach for their Car Show & Fair tomorrow Saturday, May 3rd from 10 am to 4 pm at 6220 E Spring St. The event will feature a collection of classic cars, food and entertainment. Admission is free, but food, games and raffle tickets will be available for purchase. Please visit this [link](#) for more event details.



Children's Day at the EBM Japanese Garden

May 4th | 1 - 3 pm | CSULB - Free parking in lot G4 only

The Earl Burns Miller Japanese Garden is hosting a Children's Day event on Sunday, May 4th. In Japan, Children's Day is a day set aside to respect children's personalities and celebrate their happiness! Reservations are required and available for purchase at this [link](#). Reservations are \$10 for community members and \$5 for members. Each registration is good for a group of up to 6 people. Parking is free in lot G4 only.



Lbfd Training Center: Live Burn Schedule

May 5, 6, 8 & 9 | 7 - 9 am | 2249 Argonne Ave.

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

- Monday (5/5) between 7:00 am – 9:00 am
- Tuesday (5/6) between 7:00 am – 9:00 am
- Thursday (5/8) between 7:00 am – 9:00 am
- Friday (5/9) between 7:00 am – 9:00 am

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



Filming in the Fourth

May 5th | 8 am - 10 pm | Browning High School - 2180 Obispo Ave.

Filming will take place on Monday, May 5th from 8 am to 10 pm at Browning High School. Production crew will remain on property; including base camp, parking crew & production trucks, and catering on school property.



PRM Summer Class Registration Opens Soon

May 5th | Register [Online](#) or In-Person at 2760 Studebaker Rd.

Registration for new and existing classes offered by the Department of Parks, Recreation and Marine (PRM) opens Monday, May 5th. PRM is offering over 700 activities throughout the city, ranging from art, music, nature and aquatics to all ages. Classes will be held from June through August. Register by visiting this [link](#) or call (562) 570-3111. You can also register in person at the Registration Services Office (2760 N Studebaker Rd.). Read the full press release [here](#).



Moana Movie Night @ El Dorado Library

May 5th | 5 - 6 :30 pm | 2900 N Studebaker Rd.

In celebration of Asian American and Pacific Islander Month, El Dorado Library will be hosting a Disney movie night featuring "Moana" (2016 film). This event is suitable for all ages. Please call (562) 570-3136 or visit this [link](#) for more information.



Next on the City Council Agenda

May 6th | 5:00 pm | 411 W Ocean Blvd.

The City Council meeting will start at 5:00 pm in the Civic Chambers on the ground floor of City Hall, located at 411 W.

Ocean Blvd. City council meetings are broadcast live online at: LBTV3.com and on Channel 3 for Charter cable subscribers and Channel 21 for FIOS subscribers. Comments can be submitted by email to: CityClerk@longbeach.gov. Items on Tuesday's meeting agenda include:



- **C-4:** Recommendation to increase appropriations in the General Fund Group in the City Manager Department by \$4,070, offset by the Fourth Council District One-time District Priority Funds, transferred from the Citywide Activities Department, to provide support for the following: \$500 to Long Beach Area Council in support of their Good Scout of the Year Event; \$400 to Long Beach Heritage Coalition in support of their 37th Annual Preservation Awards; \$2,500 to Rancho Los Alamitos Foundation in support of their annual Cottonwood Awards; \$170 to Altrusa International of Long Beach, Inc in support of their writing workshops; \$500 to LBC Hero Squad in support of their Sibling Day in Council District 4
- **C-14:** Recommendation to authorize City Manager, or designee, to execute a new License Agreement and all necessary documents, with Southern California Edison Company (SCE), for the City of Long Beach's continued use of SCE-owned property located to the east of the San Gabriel River, between East Spring and East Willow Streets (Assessor Parcel Number 7235-002-800), which comprises the westerly portion of the El Dorado Nature Center, for a term of five years from July 1, 2025, to June 30, 2030. (District 4)
- **R-27:** Recommendation to authorize City Manager, or designee, to execute an agreement, all necessary documents and any subsequent amendments, including to the award amount or terms, with the Los Angeles County Department of Mental Health, to accept and expend Mental Health Services Act (MHSA) grant funding in an amount not to exceed \$1,264,777, for Mental Health prevention, for the approximate period of April 1, 2025, through June 30, 2026

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

Lbfd Fire Ambassador Information Session

May 7th | 1 - 3 pm | 2990 Redondo Ave.

The Long Beach Fire Department is hosting a Fire Ambassador Program recruitment event at 1 pm on Wednesday, May 7th at the Emergency Communications and Operations Center. Fire Ambassadors play a crucial role in our community by educating children and adults about fire safety. For more information, call (562) 570-2525 or email LBFireAmbassadors@longbeach.gov



Creative Workshops at Los Altos Library

May 7th, 14th, & 21st | 3:30 pm | 5614 E Britton Dr.

Join Los Altos librarians Wednesday afternoons for the "Creative Kids Scene" program. Participants will spend time creating crafts and paintings. The next program takes place on Wednesday, May 7th. Participants will be creating Pokémon Balls out of Perler Beads. This program is recommended for children ages 7 to 12. Call (562) 570-1045 for more info.

Creative Kids Scene

Wednesdays | 3:30pm

Explore our Wednesday Afternoon programs at Los Altos Library. Enjoy a delightful day creating crafts, producing art inspired by renowned artists, and relaxing with watercolors. These activities are recommended for children ages 7 to 12.



Craftin Kids | May 7
: Perler Beads Pokemon Balls



Artist of the Month | May 14
: Yayoi Kusama



Watercolor Works | May 21
: Pastels and watercolor

Los Altos Neighborhood Library
5614 E. Britton Dr.
(562) 570-1045
This information is available in an alternate format by request at (562) 570-1045.



Rancho Los Alamitos Cool Crafts Roundup

May 8th | 1:30 - 4 pm | 6400 E Bixby Hill Rd.

Families are invited to get creative at Rancho Los Alamitos! Drop in for a craft project and story time at the Cool Crafts Roundup. Crafts and stories are inspired by the environment around the Rancho and offer a multitude of perspectives to create a meaningful and hands-on experience. All ages are welcome while supplies last. Children must be accompanied by an adult. Admission is FREE. For additional information, please call (562) 431-3541 or visit this [link](#).



FREE Community Shred Event Next Week

May 10th | 8:30 am - 11:30 am | 6615 E Pacific Coast Hwy.

The Anderson Real Estate Group is hosting a free community shred event on Saturday, May 10th. Two containers (file boxes or equivalent) per person. Confidential documents will be securely shredded by a professional service.

CONFIDENTIAL
FREE SHRED EVENT

SATURDAY, MAY 10TH
8:30 AM - 11:30 AM
6615 E. PACIFIC COAST HWY
LONG BEACH, CA 90803

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FREE Tennis Play Day at El Dorado Park

May 10th | 12 - 2 pm | 2800 N Studebaker Rd.

Bridge the Gap Tennis is hosting another Free Tennis Play Day at the El Dorado Park tennis courts on Saturday, May 10th. Enjoy free tennis play, music, fun and free food! This month, all attendees are encouraged to dress up as their favorite book character to celebrate "Get Caught Reading" Month! All ages and levels are welcome! Reserve a spot at this [link](#).

FREE YOUTH TENNIS PLAY DAY
SATURDAY, MAY 10TH
12:00 PM - 2:00 PM

Rackets will be provided. Thank you to our Community Partner

JOIN US FOR A FUN-FILLED CELEBRATION OF NATIONAL TENNIS MONTH & GET CAUGHT READING MONTH!
 TENNIS FOR AGES 5-15 - ALL SKILL LEVELS WELCOME!
 DRESS UP AS YOUR FAVORITE BOOK CHARACTER - WIZARD, SUPERHERO, OR ANYTHING MAGICAL!
 ENJOY FREE TENNIS, TASTY FOOD, YUMMY TREATS, AND GOOD GIVEAWAYS!
 DON'T MISS OUT ON THE FUN - SEE YOU THERE!

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Register at: tinyurl.com/freetennislb

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El Dorado Tennis & Pickleball Center
2800 N Studebaker Rd
Long Beach, CA 90815

For more info email:
bridgethgapennis@gmail.com

Upcoming Water Well Work at Stearns Park

June 9th - Spring 2026 | M-F 7 am - 4:30 pm | 4520 E 23rd St.

Long Beach Utilities announced upcoming work at the two water wells located in Stearns Champions Park. Utilities work will include the equipment of two water wells including installing discharge pipe, performing well site improvements, repairing the community center parking lot, and landscaping. The schedule is subject to delay due to inclement weather or other complications. View the full notice at this [link](#). For questions, please contact Civil Engineer Nik Baykal at (562) 570-2347.



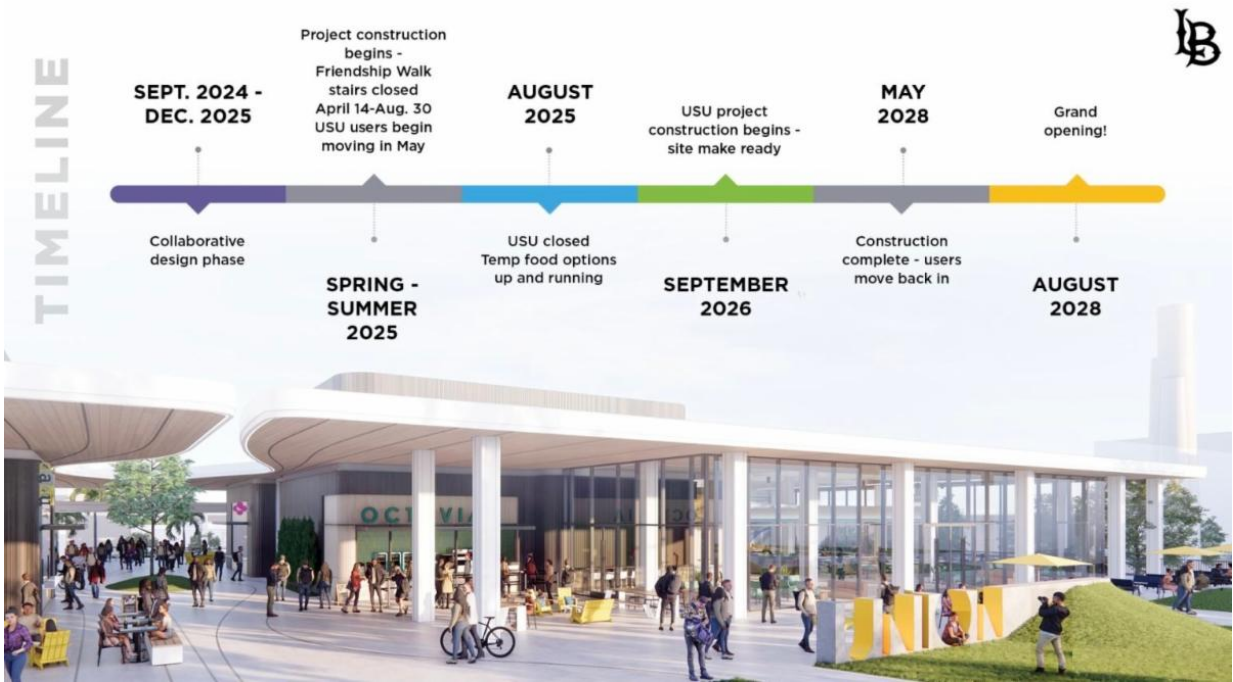
And Finally...

University Student Union Renovation

CSULB is about to embark on a huge construction project to renovate, expand and reinvent the University Student Union (USU) in the center of the campus. In fact, the work has already started with the closure of the Friendship Walk Stairs for ADA related upgrades. The USU will close beginning in August for the two-year duration of the project. With a price tag of \$315 million, it's the largest USU renovation and expansion ever undertaken by the California State University system. Funding will be provided by an assessment of student fees that was approved by a vote of the students. It's the same funding mechanism what was used 60 years ago to construct, maintain and operate the USU that opened in 1972.



While the original student fee referendum passed in 1965 with a 74% approval, the project was not without controversy. Surrounding neighborhoods weren't too thrilled about the loss the Anaheim Rd. (now Beach Drive) cut-through that connected Bellflower Blvd. to Palo Verde Ave. Imagine the change for Park Estates residents who had a very direct route for dropping their kids off at Hill Jr. High (now Sato Academy). The new detour took them north on Bellflower, east on Atherton and then south on Palo Verde to get to the same destination. As shown in the attached aerial photo outlined in red, a section of Anaheim Rd. was removed to accommodate the open space north of the new USU. However, neighbors soon got used to the extra mileage and realized that CSULB needed to eliminate the cross-campus traffic... especially with enrollment quadrupling over the next fifty years. More details on the upcoming project can be found [here](#).



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