



GO FOURTH! FRIDAY NEWSLETTER

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Dear Neighbor,

Thank you for taking the time to read our Fourth District newsletter. It is emailed every Friday afternoon and provides updates on past and future events throughout our council district. Please encourage your neighbors to sign up to receive our publication by contacting us at: district4@longbeach.gov.

- Councilman Daryl Supernaw



Hot Topics

Community Hospital Update

City Council's next study session on Community Hospital is scheduled to take place on May 15th. This will be the third study session since the closure announcement was made by MemorialCare on October 30th. We are anticipating a full report from City staff, John Keisler and Diana Tang, on potential hospital operators, our recently-hired architectural firm and State legislation.



For ongoing updates on Community Hospital, please check the City's [website](#).

JetBlue Public Hearing Scheduled

The JetBlue public hearing to consider the carrier's appeal of noise violation fines, originally scheduled for March 13th, will be coming to City Council next Tuesday, May 8th. This item, which is separate from the review of the Noise Ordinance fine structure, is specifically an appeal to City Council related to the Airport Director's decision to uphold fines applied to JetBlue for late night curfew violations. The 134-page supporting documentation is at this [link](#).



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Congratulations to CD4 Resident Misty May-Treanor

BREAKING NEWS: In an announcement this morning, three-time beach volleyball gold medalist Misty May-Treanor was tabbed to co-chair the President's Council on Sports, Fitness and Nutrition along with New England Patriots coach Bill Belichick, former New York Yankees' closer Mariano Rivera and former NFL running back Herschel Walker. The council, founded in 1956, encourages Americans to live a healthy lifestyle that balances physical activity and good nutrition. Congratulations Misty, and Go Fourth!



Past Events

Cambodian Genocide Remembrance Day

Last Thursday night, April 26th, I attended the 4th annual Cambodian Genocide Remembrance Day Ceremony at La Lune Restaurant. Each year, this event brings the Cambodian Community together to share examples of the human spirit of resiliency. Thanks to the event sponsors and all the attendees.



Music group, "Dengue Fever" vocalist,
Chhom Nimol



Wilson High School and CSULB
instructor, Darith Ung

California Dental Association Cares Clinic

Last Friday, at the invitation of local dentist, Dr. Gary Glasband, I toured the CDA Cares event at the Anaheim Convention Center. Each CDA Cares clinic provides dental services at no charge to an average of 1,950 individuals in just two days. They rely on hundreds of volunteers to make it happen. General dentists, oral surgeons, hygienists, assistants, lab techs, physicians, nurses and pharmacists share their clinical skills. Community volunteers register patients and volunteers, help set up, enter treatment data, escort patients, interpret and more. I toured the event to learn how we might bring a CDA Cares clinic to Long Beach in the very near future. You can read the Anaheim press release at this [link](#).





Dr. Gary Glasband, DDS with Councilman Supernaw

Another Successful WESCA Clean Up

Last Saturday, the West East Side Community Association held another successful monthly clean up. Thanks to Casey Carver for organizing the event and to all the volunteers. This month, the clean up will be held a week early, on Saturday, May 19th, due to the Memorial Day weekend. We also hope to include a shred event on May 19th, and we'll confirm the time in next week's newsletter.



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Newcomb 3rd Graders Visit City Hall

Tuesday morning, Ms. Di Fiore's 3rd grade class from Newcomb K-8 Academy visited City Hall. They stopped by our CD4 office for a photo and may have set a record for number of visitors in our office at one time. In addition to teaching, Monica Di Fiore serves as our CD4 representative on the Pedestrian Safety Advisory Committee.



Report Released on Aging in Long Beach

On Tuesday, the City released a 56-page report on services for residents older than 50. The report was part an "Aging Reimagined 2.0" seminar focused on creating better coordination and communication among city, academic, nonprofit and private organizations to improve senior care. The Health Department also announced its new office on aging, called the Long Beach Healthy Aging Center, that will oversee the different programs to help seniors. You can read the report at this [link](#).



Weekly Updates

Marine Corps F/A-18's at LGB This Weekend

Three F/A-18's will be visiting the Long Beach Airport this weekend. They will arrive this afternoon and depart Sunday. They plan to conduct several flights each day. These aircraft are not from VMFAT-101 (that were here last weekend); but rather, VMFA-323, another Miramar-based squadron. We will also have a single Marine Corps KC-130 over the weekend as well. These LGB operations are due to the runway closure at San Diego's Brown Field.



Recycle Your Bike at Whaley Park TOMORROW!



Recycle Your Bicycle Day

Saturday, May 5
9 a.m. - 12 p.m.

Donate your bicycles to any of the
5 locations around Long Beach.
Donated bikes will be refurbished
and donated or recycled.

Admiral Kidd Park

2125 Santa Fe Ave
Long Beach, CA 90810

Whaley Park

5620 E Atherton St
Long Beach, CA 90815

Bike Station

223 E First St
Long Beach, CA 90802

Houghton Park

6301 Myrtle Ave
Long Beach, CA 90805

El Dorado Park West

2800 N Studebaker Rd
Long Beach, CA 90815

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One Revolution at a Time™

Sunnyside Cemetary Clean Up TOMORROW!



More info available [here](#)

El Dorado Nature Center Turtle and Tortoise Show TOMORROW!

Turtle & Tortoise Show

Date: Saturday, May 5, 2018
Time: 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.
Location: El Dorado Nature Center
7550 E. Spring St.
Long Beach, CA 90815
Cost: No entrance fee
Parking: \$7 per car, cash only
Restrooms: Yes
Picnic Area outside of the Nature Center
Accessibility: Wheelchair accessible

Are you looking for a low cost, fun thing to do for all ages? Visit the beautiful El Dorado Nature Center, on Saturday, May 5, 2018. Enjoy seeing and learning about turtles and tortoises. A wide variety of live turtles and tortoises will be on display for you to see and interact with in a natural setting.

Map:

<https://www.google.com/maps/place/El+Dorado+Nature+Center/@33.8095646,-118.0891174,17z/data=!3m1!4b1!4m5!3m4!1s0x80dd2e0ee6ffdb51:0x65fca708215f04dc!8m2!3d33.8095646!4d-118.0869287>

Able ARTS Works Annual Gala TOMORROW!

Able ARTS Work is thrilled to announce its 6th Annual Artbeat for Humanity Gala, which will be held on Saturday, May 5th at the Hotel Maya in Long Beach. The event, dubbed Soy Fuerte! My Story is a multi-sensory celebration that encapsulates Able ARTS Work's commitment to inclusion, community support and orchestration. For more information or to purchase tickets please visit their [website](#).



On the Council Agenda - May 8th

The city council meeting is scheduled to begin at 5 p.m. in the council chambers on the ground floor of City Hall, located at 333 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 of the topics that will be discussed at Tuesday's city council meeting:



- Presentation for Digital Inclusion Week
- Recommendation to receive supporting documentation into the record, conclude the public hearing, and uphold the decision of the City Manager to deny the appeal of JetBlue Airways for an exemption for certain late night (curfew) violations at the Long Beach Airport during the second quarter of 2017, and adopt findings related thereto. (Citywide)
- Recommendation to adopt resolution to approve ten repaving/resurfacing projects proposed to receive Road Maintenance and Rehabilitation Account Act funding totaling approximately \$8,000,000 for Fiscal Year 2018-19: 15th Street between Lewis Avenue and Obispo Avenue; Anaheim Street between Pacific Avenue and Atlantic Avenue; Ocean Boulevard between Magnolia Avenue and Long Beach Boulevard; Studebaker Road between Almada Road and Atherton Street; Anaheim Street between Gardena Avenue and Ximeno Avenue; Studebaker Road between Wardlow Road and Walkerton Street; Anaheim Street between Alamitos Avenue and Gardena Avenue; Willow Street between Magnolia Avenue and Earl Avenue; Market Street between Orange Avenue and Cherry Avenue; and, Artesia Boulevard between Schilling Avenue and Paramount Boulevard.

This is just a small selection of the topics to be covered at next week's city council meeting. Public comment is also available. The entire agenda can be found [here](#). To see the schedule and agenda for all upcoming city meetings, click [here](#).

Storm Water Event - May 10th



Stormwater problems are experienced differently across the Los Angeles region, with low-income areas disproportionately impacted. Join us to share your input about how to ensure safe, clean water resources and:

- Capture more rainfall to store, clean, and re-use
- Protect public health
- Improve protection against extreme weather patterns while adding green space, shade, and natural areas to enjoy
- Protect our water resources — lakes, rivers, beaches, and the ocean — from contamination.

Thursday, May 10th

6:00 - 8:00 pm

**The Gathering Church Basement
905 Atlantic Ave. LB 90813**

**Free food, interpretation, and child watch will be provided.
RSVP to ariel@lbforward.org or 562-436-4800.**

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CLEAN
WATER
L.A.**

To learn more about the Safe, Clean Water Program and take a survey to share your priorities, visit SafeCleanWaterLA.org

And Finally

Pink Vans and Advertising Trailers

On a regular basis, we forward constituent complaints about the advertising trailers parked on CD4 corridors to the City Attorney. We used to do the same on the pink, bright green and red vans until they stopped parking on our streets. Turns out, the pink vans are now popping up in other cities, and KNBC covered the story Wednesday night. The problem is pervasive, but the City of Long Beach is continuing to issue citations, tow vehicles and send warning letters to the company owner.



Calendar of Upcoming Events

- 5/4 - **Los Altos Coloring Club**, 3:30 p.m., Los Altos Library, 5614 E Britton Dr.
- 5/5 - **Recycle Your Bicycle Day**, 9 a.m., Whaley Park, 5620 E Atherton St
- 5/5 - **Turtle and Tortoise Show**, 10 a.m., El Dorado Nature Center, 7550 Spring St.
- 5/5 - **Make and Take Craft**, 11 a.m., Los Altos Library, 5614 E Britton Dr.
- 5/11 - **Baby and Toddler Storytime**, 9:15 a.m., Los Altos Library, 5614 Britton Dr.
- 5/11 - **Inclusive Storytime**, 10:15 a.m., Los Altos Library, 5614 Britton Dr.
- 5/11 - **Toddler Storytime**, 10:30 a.m., Brewitt Library 4036 E Anaheim St.
- 5/11 - **Family Playtime**, 11 a.m., Brewitt Library 4036 E Anaheim St.
- 5/11 - **Los Altos Coloring Club**, 3:30 p.m., Los Altos Library, 5614 E Britton Dr.
- 5/12 - **BARK Dogs**, 1 p.m., Brewitt Library 4036 E Anaheim St.
- 5/18 - **Baby and Toddler Storytime**, 9:15 a.m., Los Altos Library, 5614 Britton Dr.
- 5/18 - **Inclusive Storytime**, 10:15 a.m., Los Altos Library, 5614 Britton Dr.
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- 5/19 - **BARK Dogs**, 11:30 a.m., Los Altos Library, 5614 E Britton Dr.
- 5/19 - **Family Fun Lab**, 1 p.m., Los Altos Library, 5614 E Britton Dr.
- 5/19 - **WESCA Clean Up**, 8 a.m., 14th St./Orizaba Ave.
- 5/22 - **Family Storytime w/Miss Carla**, 2:30 p.m., Los Altos Library, 5614 E Britton Dr.
- 5/22 - **Sherlock Holmes Day**, All Day, Los Altos Library, 5614 E Britton Dr.

5/25 - Baby and Toddler Storytime, 9:15 a.m., Los Altos Library, 5614 Britton Dr.
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