



# 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 contacting us at: [district4@longbeach.gov](mailto:district4@longbeach.gov).

- Councilman Daryl Supernaw



## Past Events

### Fiscal Year 2020 Budget Passed

Tuesday night's city council meeting lasted past 12:00 am, but I'm happy to report we got a balanced budget passed. The biggest news for our district is that Engine 17 will be coming back next month! The restoration is for a period of two years, but as I was quoted in the Press Telegram on August 23rd, "my intention will be to never have it shut down again". Other public safety priorities included a temporary facility for Fire Station No. 9 and a pilot program for homeless outreach on the weekends. Thank you to the CD4 residents who provided input, and thanks to Mayor Garcia and my council colleagues for unanimously supporting the restoration of E17.



## New Recruit Fire Academy Started

August 26th - December 14th | 2249 Argonne Ave.

The Long Beach Fire Department Training Center has started a new 16-week Recruit Fire Academy. Training will be conducted daily from 6:30 am to 5:30 pm through December 14, 2019.

Beginning September 27th, live fire burns may take place on any given day. Stearns Park area neighbors have received the attached "Burn Notification" [flyer](#) with contact information for the LBFD Regional Training Center. Residents can also contact our council office with any questions.



## Diana Tang Named Mayor's Chief of Staff

Congratulations to Diana Tang on becoming the new Chief of Staff for Mayor Garcia. Diana currently serves as the Manager of Government Affairs and Communications in the City Manager's office. She has been a tremendous asset to our council office over the past year by doing much of the "heavy lifting" on Community Hospital. CD4 residents met her at our March 27th community meeting where she provided updates on the State regulatory processes involved with reopening the hospital. You can read the Grunion's coverage at this [link](#). Welcome to the 11th floor, Diana, and we know you'll do a great job!



## Public Safety Committee Meeting Last Wednesday

After meeting past midnight Tuesday night, we were back in the council chamber

Wednesday at 12:30 pm for a Public Safety Committee meeting. The committee is made up of three council members: Suzie Price serves as chair, I serve as vice-chair and Al Austin serves as a member. We review all issues related to public safety, and we forward our recommendations to the full city council for consideration. You can read the LBPost's coverage of the meeting at this [link](#).



## Upcoming Events

### First Friday Chocolate Glazed Doughnuts TODAY!

September 6th | 5:30 am - 10:00 pm | 4760 Los Coyotes Diag.

Friday's just got a lot more chocolatey! On the First Friday of every month, Krispy Kreme on Los Coyotes Diagonal will offer the wildly popular Chocolate Glazed Doughnuts. If you haven't had the chance to try one yet, it's Krispy Kreme's classic Original Glazed® Doughnut covered in rich chocolate glaze.



### Long Beach Organic Cooks Beans!

September 7th | 11 am | 3709 E. 10th Street

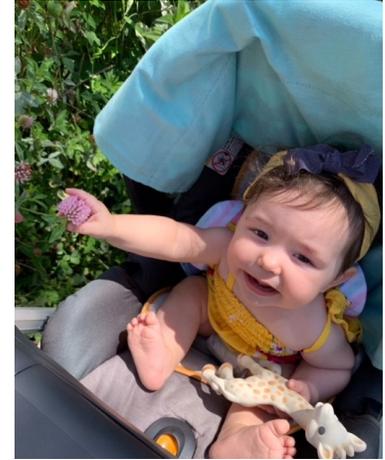
Long Beach Organic cooks beans! Green beans are abundant this time of year, and dried beans are a nutritious year-round staple. Chefs Joe and Amanda will demonstrate four delicious recipes in a casual outdoor setting. Participants will receive a taste of each dish, along with the printed recipes. Reservations requested at [reservations@longbeachorganic.org](mailto:reservations@longbeachorganic.org). Walk-ins are welcome if space is available.



## National Grandparents Day on Sunday

September 8th

This Sunday, September 8th, is National Grandparents Day. The holiday was established by a presidential proclamation in 1978 that designated the first Sunday after Labor Day as Grandparents Day. If you'd like to celebrate the holiday with a bouquet, the official flower of Grandparents Day is the forget-me-not. I was hoping my granddaughter, Kayla, would take me to the Belmont Shore Car Show for Grandparents Day, but she much prefers flowers over Fords.



## Belmont Shore Car Show

September 8th | 9 am - 3 pm | 2nd Street

The 30th Annual Belmont Shore Car Show will take place on 2nd Street this Sunday from 9 am to 3 pm. This event stretches across 14 city blocks and will include over 500 classic cars on display. Taking place on the usually busy 2nd Street, attendees have the opportunity to intermix shopping and dining with viewing the gorgeous automobiles. You can expect to find some of the first automobiles ever made as well as classic roadsters, coupes, sedans, convertibles, muscle cars, sports cars, hot rods and low riders from the 1920's through the mid 1970's.



## Milana's Brooklyn Square Grand Opening

September 9th | 11:30 am | 2000 Ximeno Ave.

I'll have the honor of participating in a celebration on Monday with our giant "Go Fourth" scissors and red ribbon. Milana's official grand opening of their second store, Milana's Brooklyn Squares, will take place on September 9th with a ribbon cutting ceremony at 11:30 am, along with the unofficial second celebration of National Pizza Day. To celebrate their second store, Milana's Brooklyn Squares will be offering guest specials with 2 Squares for 2 Dollars with a 2 Square limit per person, for 2 hours, from 12-2 pm. Milana's Brooklyn Squares is open daily on Sunday-Thursday from 11 am to 9 pm, and Friday-Saturday from 11 am to 10 pm. To place an order, please call 562-498-1411



*Better to be a Square*

## Next on the Council Agenda

September 10th | 5 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 is a topic that appears on next Tuesday's agenda:



- The Council will discuss a recommendation to adopt resolution approving the Annual Report for October 1, 2019 to September 30, 2020, for the East Anaheim Street Parking and Business Improvement Area, declaring its intention to levy the annual business assessment, and setting the date of hearing for October 1, 2019.

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

## Caltrans District 7 Quarterly Meeting September 18th

On Wednesday, September 18th, our office will be attending the quarterly Caltrans meeting with council districts. We will be getting updates on local projects as well as reporting any issues related to Caltrans properties. Please let us know if you have any issues you'd like discussed with Caltrans. Residents can also report graffiti, weeds, broken fences and more directly [online](#).



## Free Shred Event

September 21st | 9 am - 11 am | 5000 E. Lew Davis St.

The City of Long Beach is hosting a FREE paper shredding event to help residents securely dispose of confidential documents on Saturday, September 21st at Vet's Memorial Stadium. Residents can dispose of up to 3 file boxes per car (dimensions 24" wide x 12" high). The mobile shredding truck will be onsite until it gets full. For more information visit [www.longbeach.gov/lbrecycles](http://www.longbeach.gov/lbrecycles) or call their hotline 562-570-2876.



SEPTEMBER 21, 2019  
9 AM TO 11 AM

**FREE PAPER  
SHREDDING  
EVENT**

VETS STADIUM PARKING LOT

## California Coastal Cleanup Day

Sept. 21st | 9:00 am - 12:00 pm | Six Long Beach locations

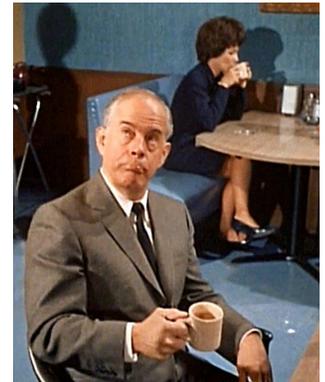
El Dorado Nature Center is partnering with the California Coastal Commission to coordinate six cleanup sites in Long Beach. Joining as site captains are the Aquarium of the Pacific, Seal Beach Yacht Club, Long Beach Marine Institute, Friends of Colorado Lagoon and Clean LB. All participants must sign a liability waiver form available at each site. You can download the waiver and get additional information at this [link](#). If you have questions, please call El Dorado Nature Center at: 562 570-1745.



## Coffee with a Cop

September 21st | 10 am - 12 pm | Starbucks - 7565 Carson

Join the LBPD at the next Coffee with a Cop on Saturday, September 21st at the Long Beach Towne Center Starbucks. The mission of Coffee with a Cop is to break down barriers between police officers and the citizens they serve by removing agendas and allowing opportunities to ask questions, voice concerns and get to the know officers in your neighborhood.



## Open Studio PreTour

September 14th | 6 - 8 pm | 1222 E. Broadway

The official kickoff event for the Open Studio Tour, that our office is proud to help sponsor, will take place on September 14th. The 2019 Open Studio Tour includes four Long Beach hubs on four separate weekends. The first hub includes our own Zaferia Neighborhood and will take place on October 5th & 6th. For more information on the Open Studio Tour, please check their website at this [link](#).



## 2nd Annual Ranchos Walk

September 28th | 8 am - 2 pm | Rancho Los Alamitos

Join us for the 2nd Annual Ranchos Walk on September 28th! Take a walk through Long Beach history following a high ridge trail that links Rancho Los Alamitos and Rancho Los Cerritos, and celebrate at Rancho Los Cerritos for their 175th anniversary.



## Save the Date: Ready Long Beach 2019

September 28th | 10 am - 4 pm | Walter Pyramid Lawn



## And Finally

### The Termino Road Diet



Long Beach Community Hospital at 1720 Termino Ave. Circa 1924

Last week, I found the vintage Community Hospital photo above in the Long Beach Public Library digital archives. It appears to have been taken shortly after the hospital was built in 1924. The photo clearly shows that there is no semi-circle driveway in front of the building, so it must not have been part of the original design. It also shows cars parked diagonally on Termino in a similar fashion to the Ocean Blvd road diet design. It's a good thing they added the driveway. Otherwise, how would we have taken that iconic photo of the race car in front of the arches?



## Calendar of Upcoming Events

- 9/11 - **Tales & Trails - Go Batty for Bats**, 10am, El Dorado Nature Center
- 9/11 - **Homework Help**, 3 pm, Brewitt Library, 4036 E. Anaheim St.
- 9/12 - **Homework Help**, 3 pm, Brewitt Library, 4036 E. Anaheim St.
- 9/12 - **Coloring Club for Adults**, 3 pm, Los Altos Library, 5614 E. Britton Dr.
- 9/12 - **Hispanic Heritage Month**, 3 pm, Brewitt Library, 4036 E. Anaheim St.
- 9/13 - **Toddler Storytime**, 10 am, Los Altos Library, 5614 E. Britton Dr.
- 9/13 - **Toddler Storytime & Playtime**, 10:30 am, Brewitt Library, 4036 E. Anaheim St.
- 9/13 - **Pre-school Storytime**, 11 am, Los Altos Library, 5614 E. Britton Dr.
- 9/14 - **Drawing in Nature**, 10 am, El Dorado Nature Center
- 9/14 - **BARK Dogs**, 1 pm, Brewitt Library, 4036 E. Anaheim St.
- 9/14 - **Partners of Parks Fundraiser**, 5:30 pm, El Dorado Nature Center
- 9/15 - **Yoga**, 11 am, El Dorado Nature Center
- 9/17 - **Homework Help**, 1 pm, Brewitt Library, 4036 E. Anaheim St.
- 9/17 - **Writer's Workshop**, 4:30 pm, Los Altos Library, 5614 E. Britton Dr.
- 9/17 - **City Council Meeting**, 5 pm, City Hall, 411 W. Ocean Blvd.
- 9/18 - **Homework Help**, 3 pm, Brewitt Library, 4036 E. Anaheim St.
- 9/19 - **Homework Help**, 3 pm, Brewitt Library, 4036 E. Anaheim St.
- 9/19 - **Coloring Club for Adults**, 3 pm, Los Altos Library, 5614 E. Britton Dr.
- 9/19 - **Gardening Workshop: Fall Planting Basics**, 4:30 pm, Los Altos Library
- 9/19 - **Audubon Meeting**, 7 pm, El Dorado Nature Center
- 9/20 - **Toddler Storytime**, 10 am, Los Altos Library, 5614 E. Britton Dr.
- 9/20 - **Toddler Storytime & Playtime**, 10:30 am, Brewitt Library, 4036 E. Anaheim St.
- 9/20 - **Pre-school Storytime**, 11 am, Los Altos Library, 5614 E. Britton Dr.

9/21 - Brewitt Book Club, 10 am, Brewitt Library, 4036 E. Anaheim St.  
9/21 - Shakespeare Aloud, 1 pm, Los Altos Library, 5614 E. Britton Dr.

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