Happy Mother’s Day,

Words are never enough to describe my gratitude to my mother, nor my gratitude for the gift of being a mother. If you are one of the lucky ones, take a moment to thank your mom this month.

I'd like to thank everyone for their patience and understanding as we transitioned into the new system. While at times it was more than a little crazy at the offices, it was also nice to see all of you. We are working out challenges with the new software and are grateful for your support.

Please call your marina office with any questions or concerns. Above all do not worry about late fees for the next few months, we are aware of the fact that you need time to adjust the remit to address on your on-line banking, that Mariah at times is not cooperating, and that it takes time to set up your reoccurring credit card payments.

Happy Boating Everyone,
Elvira Hallinan
Manager, Marinas and Beaches

The Long Beach Marine Bureau will be holding an auction of impounded and abandoned vessels on Saturday, June 8th at the Alamitos Bay Marina Office, 205 N. Marina Drive, Long Beach, CA 90803. Inspection and registration begins at 8AM and the bidding begins at 9AM.

Don’t miss out on the auction excitement and wide selection of offerings at the Marine Bureau Boat Auction.

Full payment is due the day of the sale, no later than 11AM. There will be no refunds or adjustments. Payment may be made with cash or credit card. (Visa or Master card).

All items offered “As Is – Where Is.” All sales are final. There is no warranty either specific or implied as to the condition of the items offered for sale and we reserve the right to reject any offer or withdraw any item from the sale.

No vessels sold at the auction will be allowed in the City of Long Beach marinas for a period of six months.

For more information call Vilma Hernandez at (562) 570-3215 or e-mail vilma.hernandez@longbeach.gov.

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NYCLB Cruise and BBQ
Navy Yacht Club Long Beach pays tribute to women Veterans of the local VA.

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**Tide Chart**

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**Upcoming Events**

**Tour of Long Beach Bike Race**
Saturday, May 11
Traffic may be impacted
For info: touroflongbeach.com

**Mother’s Day**
Sunday, May 12

**Long Beach Pride Festival**
Saturday and Sunday, May 18 & 19
For info: longbeachpride.com

**Memorial Day**
Monday, May 27

**LBMOA Meeting**
Tuesday, June 4 at 5 PM
To reserve: (562) 270-1355

**Boat Auction**
Saturday, June 8 at 8 AM

**U.S. Sailing Center Yard Sale**
June 15, 6 AM-noon

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On March 23, twenty determined members of our Little Ships Fleet Yacht Club set out on foot and by dinghy to scoop up as much trash as possible from the Alamitos Bay Marina. Designated as “Clean the Bay Day” for our club members, it was supported by The City of Long Beach Marine Bureau and the California Coastal Commission who supplied gloves, bags and scoopers to assist in the efforts.

In 2½ hours our members collected 150 lbs of debris, comprised of plastic bags and bottles, toys, styrofoam and much more. It is not until you actually see the amount of trash that winds up in the water that you realize that we must be diligent in keeping our waters clean. We wish that every boater passing through our marina or any marina will have a trash scooper to pick up debris they see along the way. Odd items collected were a St. Patrick’s Day headband, a kids tennis shoe, an adult size Roller Blade and a Bird rental scooter which was reported to the marina office.

Little Ships Fleet Yacht Club members did not hesitate to jump in and get their hands dirty (even with gloves on). The enthusiasm of the club members was remarkable. We were excited to give back to our marina and contribute in a meaningful way to the environment. All of the members who took part in this important project expressed their desire to participate again next year.

Little Ships Fleet Yacht Club would like to thank the generous supporters around Alamitos Bay that made this event possible: Mrs. Cindy Ramirez, Co-Labs Creative Workspace, Malainey’s Grill, Whole Foods Market, Schooner or Later, West Marine, TowBoatUS Long Beach and Plastics Investment Group Inc.

Celebrating Inclusion Since 1984
Long Beach Pride Festival

The 35th Annual Lesbian & Gay Pride Celebration will be returning to Long Beach on May 18 & 19. The event hours are from 11AM to 10PM both days. The Marina Green, Rainbow Lagoon and Shoreline Drive will be used for vendor booths, entertainment, and great food. The parade will take place on Sunday beginning at 10:30AM. The parade travels on Ocean Boulevard from Lindero Avenue to Alamitos Avenue. If you would like additional festival information please call (562) 987-9191 or visit www.longbeachpride.com.

Driving Directions
Beginning at midnight Monday, May 13th, through 7PM Thursday, May 16th, Lindero Avenue will be available to access Gangways Q-GG ONLY. The access road will not be available to through traffic. If you need to access Gangways A to P you will need to enter the marina from Shoreline Village Drive.

Beginning 7PM Thursday, May 16th, Shoreline Drive will be closed at Lindero Avenue. The ONLY entrance to the Long Beach Shoreline Marina will be from Pine Avenue, eastbound Shoreline Drive to Shoreline Village Drive.

Unlike the Grand Prix, you do not drive across the sand during this event. All access into and out of the marina will be via Shoreline Village Drive.

It’s That Time of Year
LBMBOA General Meeting

It’s that time of the year again. Join us at the Long Beach Yacht Club and find out about current and future city plans involving our marinas.

We invite you to attend the Long Beach Marina Boat Owners Association General Membership Meeting at 5 p.m. on Tuesday, June 4th at the Long Beach Yacht Club, located at 6201 Appian Way, Long Beach. We will have outstanding speakers that you won’t want to miss, including the Marine Bureau, the Marina Police and more.

Advance reservations are required and space is limited to 100 people. Reservations may be made by emailing RSVP@lbmboa.org. Leave your name, telephone number, email address, and number of members and guests attending.

You can also reserve your spot by calling (562) 270-1355 and leaving a message. There is no cost to current members of the Long Beach Marina Boat Owners Association; non-members may join at the door by paying the $20 annual membership donation.

We hope to see you all there.

Tour of Long Beach Bike Race takes place on May 11. For traffic info visit: Touroflongbeach.com/rides-and-routes.

Shoreline Yacht Club
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• Wine Tasting
• Cinco de Mayo
• Mother’s Day Brunch
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• Taco Tuesday Racing Begins
• Sunday Fundays with Music
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Vessel Maintenance has been a hot topic and it is important that everyone understands the marina Rules and Regulations as they apply to Vessel Maintenance and service providers conducting business in the marina. The Marina Rules and Regulations state:

I. Vessel Maintenance:
Major repair or reconstruction work shall not be performed in or at any marina slip or in Alamitos Bay or other water areas within the limits of the City of Long Beach. Except for emergency repairs to keep a vessel afloat, no repair or other work on a vessel shall be performed before 8 a.m. nor after sunset. Permittees shall not place or permit others performing repairs or other work on a vessel to place tools or equipment in a manner so as to obstruct access to fingers or docks. Permittees may use portions of the docks or fingers for minor rigging and maintenance for short periods of time; provided, however, such space must be kept in a neat, clean, and orderly condition and a drop cloth and boat bath are used during maintenance periods. No material of any type resulting from maintenance work shall be allowed to become airborne, or enter the waters of the Long Beach marinas. (This includes but is not limited to sanding of paint and fiberglass and spray painting.) All vessel maintenance service providers conducting business activities in Long Beach marinas must first secure approval from the Marine Bureau as an authorized vendor, subject to all the expectations and requirements established by the Marine Bureau for such activities.

Service Providers/vendors must register at the Long Beach Shoreline Marina during normal business hours. This includes completing an application, providing a current City of Long Beach Business License and identifying all employees working for them. Additionally, all workers must have their Vendor ID Card visible at all times. If you observe vessel maintenance being conducted outside of permitted hours or by someone who does not have a current vendor permit, please call the Long Beach Police Department at (562) 435-6711 and report the activity.

Working together we will help keep our docks safe and clean.

Be safe on the water this Memorial Day

Don’t drink and boat

It is against the law to operate a boat with a blood alcohol concentration (BAC) of 0.08 percent or more.
Gilligan’s Island and Naples Island have something in common... ADVENTURE!

On March 23rd Navy Yacht Club Long Beach celebrated the Women Veterans of the VA Long Beach Healthcare System with our 2nd Annual “Duffy Cruise” and BBQ.

More than 24 women accepted our invitation to tour Naples Island canals, Alamitos Bay and the surrounding waterways for a 3.5 mile, 1½ hour tour. (OK, Gilligan’s tour was Three hours!) A NYCLB member created a detailed map of sights along the course and included a Trivia facts sheet which each First Mate shared while Duffy skippers manned the helm. Upon their return to shore, an additional 50 guests/volunteers were waiting to meet our honored guests.

“They will cherish these type of adventures and memories Forever” said Laurie Rudisill, RN, Manager of Women's Programs at VA Hospital Healthcare System Long Beach. Laurie was invaluable as our contact within the various Women's Clinics and Services, where the event flyer was distributed.

We provided our “Adventure Map” to Little Ship’s Fleet Yacht Club for their “CLEAN the BAY” event and they returned to the docks to join us for our BBQ and Meet n’ Greet with the Veteran women. It was a wonderful Partnering of our clubs! Thank you, Little Ship’s Fleet Yacht Club, for your support and enthusiasm.

On the long dock, we took a photo of each Duffy group just prior to departure. Four club members volunteered the use of their Duffys and hosted the group, along with their First Mate. Our (member) photographer went to CVS while the Duffy's were out and had individual prints made for each attendee as a special “Keepsake” gift from Navy YC.

There was an extraordinary moment during the event, (amongst the many) when our Vietnam Women Veterans, “The Lady Leathernecks,” joined together to lead us in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Navy Yacht Club Long Beach was honored and grateful to celebrate Women Veterans with our 2nd Annual Duffy Ride and BBQ! We extend an invitation to other clubs in Alamitos Bay to join us next year for a third opportunity to celebrate these amazing Women!

Robbi Nagashima
Submitted by Navy Yacht Club Long Beach