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

COVID-19 Updates

Booster Clinics Expanded for December
Dec. 10 & 17 | 9 am - noon & 2 - 5 pm | 2525 Grand Ave.

With the success of the Friday booster clinics at Main Health in November, the Long Beach Health Department extended COVID-19 vaccine booster clinics to December. The clinics will take at Main Health, 2525 Grand Ave., to provide booster shots to those who are eligible. The drive-through clinics will take place from 9 am to noon and 2 to 5 pm today, Friday, Dec. 10 and next Friday, Dec. 17. LBCC/Vets Stadium will also be hosting booster clinics on Wednesdays from 2-6 pm. A complete listing of vaccine and booster clinics for December can be found at this link.

COVID-19 Updates and Information available at this link

Past and Ongoing Events

Our Final Ribbon Cutting in Zaferia
Last Saturday, we celebrated CD4’s last grand opening/ribbon cutting event in Zaferia, and it was very special. Three new businesses were welcomed to the area that will be redistricted into CD2 next week. Roland Sands Design and Sweatpants Media, headed by Andy Bell, have come together to create a new, joint headquarters. They purchased a multi-building property at 1365 Obispo Ave. and have completed a beautiful renovation and creative campus. Also joining them will be the graphics company, Spin Imaging headed by Erik Bond. For more information on the companies, check out Brandon Richardson’s article in the LBBJ at this link. Pictured below are (left to right) Andy Bell, Councilman Supernaw, Roland Sands, Erik Bond and Summer Sands Hoover.

Final Nature Center Family Night Walk
Dec. 16th | Thursday, 6 - 8 pm | 7550 E. Spring St.

The final Family Night Walk will take place from 6 to 8 pm on Thursday, December 16th. Attendees are asked to arrive 15 minutes prior to start time for check in, and the entry gates close at 6:05 pm. Participation in Family Night Walks is $5 per person or free for children ages 2 and younger. Registration is required at www.lbparks.org. In-person registration is available from 8:30 am to 4 pm, Tuesdays through Sundays at El Dorado Nature Center. For more information about the Family Night Walks, call 562.570.1745.

2021-2022 Edison Scholars Program
Thru December 13th | Apply Online

Become an Edison Scholar. Edison International is awarding $40,000 college scholarships to 30 high school seniors to help them follow their dreams in science, technology, engineering or math (STEM) and empower them to change the world.

Guidelines at: EDISONSCHOLARS.COM - Eligibility requirements:
• Must be a high school senior and show financial need
• Have a minimum 3.0 GPA
• Live in Southern California Edison’s service area
• Plan to attend a four-year college or university and pursue studies in STEM
APPLY NOW THRU DEC. 13, 2021

Redistricting Changes Take Effect December 18th
The newly drawn council districts will go into effect one week from tomorrow, Saturday, 12/18. Our office will continue to handle all CD4 requests during the transition period. If you’d like to reach out to your new council district, please use the email addresses listed below. The changes to the 4th council district borders are substantial, and all neighborhoods leaving CD4 are south of PCH:

- Clark to Redondo will be in CD3 - District3@longbeach.gov
- Redondo to Junipero will be in CD2 - District2@longbeach.gov
- Junipero to Gardenia will be in CD6 - District6@longbeach.gov

For CD3 and CD5 residents coming to the 4th, please contact us at - District4@longbeach.gov

If you’re not sure if your council district is changing, please check the zoomable map here.

**LBPD Toy Patrol Donation Drive**
**Now thru December 13th | Donate Online**

The Long Beach Police Department annual Toy Drive is underway. There are over 30 locations in and around the City of Long Beach where you can drop off any unwrapped toy. Council District 4 drop off locations include F&M Bank (Bellflower/23rd & Anaheim/Obispo), Starbucks (Atherton/Ximeno) and Los Altos YMCA. You can find a list of drop off locations citywide at this link.

**The Bamboo Club Annual Toy Drive**
**Now thru December 19th | 3522 E. Anaheim St.**

Gumby and Pokey want you to donate to The Bamboo Club’s annual toy drive. When you make a donation, you’ll be entered into a raffle to win a holiday basket of @bambooclub swag and merchandise + a $100 gift card. Bring your unwrapped gifts to @bambooclub, and all donations will be provided to the Friends of Long Beach Firefighters organization for their annual toy drive benefiting children in our own community. Raffle winner will be announced December 20th! Learn more at this link.

**LBFD Spark of Love Toy Drive**
**Now thru Dec. 24th**

The Long Beach Fire Department holiday toy drive is underway. Please help LBFD spread some holiday cheer this year! Monetary and toy donations are being accepted now through December 24th. Unwrapped toy donations may be dropped off outside all LBFD fire stations. Please wear your mask when dropping off toys.

**Upcoming Events**

**Towne Center Tree Lighting Tonight!**
**December 10th | 7 pm - 9 pm | 7501 E. Carson St.**

The Long Beach Towne Center invites the community to a Christmas tree lighting and extravaganza featuring a dramatic laser light show with falling snow, a musical performance by the Jazz Angels and a selfie-worthy meet-and-greet with Santa, Mrs. Claus, Frosty, festive stilt walkers and a life-size holiday Teddy Bear. The fun begins at 7:15 pm, and the light show and snowfall repeats at 8 pm. The event is FREE and open to the public taking place outdoors in the Edwards Long Beach Stadium Courtyard. Guests are asked to observe all state/local COVID healthcare regulations.
FREE Household Hazardous Waste Event  
December 11th | 9 am - 2 pm | 2755 California Ave.


Filming in the Fourth  
December 12th | 7 am - 7 pm | 1217 Newport Ave.

Filming will take place at 1217 Newport Ave., Belmont Motor Clinic. Filming will consist of interior dialog with talent in the garage using Verizon products. Production may not have camera, equipment or persons in the street at anytime. Production must leave a 4-foot pedestrian access on sidewalks/walkways at all times. Base camp and crew parking at 3454 E. Anaheim St. will be closed off to the public.

Coronado Avenue Holiday Market  
December 12th | 11am - 4 pm | Coronado & Anaheim

Join the Coronado Avenue businesses for a block wide holiday market on Sunday, December 12th. Enjoy local artisans, food, live music, and activities for the whole family. More information is available at this [link](http://bit.ly/HHW_LB).

Nature Center Blood Drive  
December 13th | 10 am - 4 pm | 7550 E. Spring St.

Give the gift of life! A Red Cross Blood Drive will take place at the El Dorado Nature Center Museum on Monday, December 13th from 10 am to 4 pm. Free cookies and hot cocoa will be provided on the porch after you donate. Make an appointment by signing up at [www.RedCrossBlood.org](http://www.RedCrossBlood.org) and use the sponsor code: “ElDoradoLB” or call 1-800-733-2767.

Los Altos Library Gift Wrap Workshop  
December 14th | 5:30 pm | 5614 Britton Drive

Take your wrapping skills to a whole new level with this FREE gift wrapping workshop at the Los Altos Library. Registration is required for the event that takes place on Tuesday, December 14th at 5:30 pm. Registration is required. Participants can visit the Los Altos Library or call 562-597-1045 to register. Please bring no more that two small gifts to wrap.

Presentation on CPCC Recommendations  
Dec. 14th | 6:00 - 7:30 pm | [Online](http://bit.ly/HHW_LB)

The City of Long Beach will host a virtual public presentation on the recommendations for changes to the Citizen Police Complaint commission (CPCC) on Tuesday, December 14th from 6-7:30 pm. Your input is needed, so please get Involved. The City's press release is available
Nature Center Winter Break Workshops
Dec. 20-24 & 27-31 | 10 am - 12 pm | Register Online

Registration is happening now for El Dorado Nature Center Winter Break Workshops online or in person at 7550 E. Spring Street. Week long camps for ages 5-8 years old are from 10 am - 12 pm. For more information, call (562) 570-1745.
December 20-24: Wild Journeys #51526
December 27-31: Superpower Senses #51730

Parks & Rec Winter Camps
Registrations begins Dec. 1 | 8 am in person | 10 am Online

LB Parks, Recreation and Marine (PRM) will offer programs to safely engage youth ages 5 to 12 during the upcoming LBUSD winter break. Winter Camps will take place at various LB parks weekdays from 9 am to 4 pm from Dec. 20th thru 30th (excluding Christmas Day). Campers will enjoy fun games such as capture the flag and kickball. Registration begins Wednesday, Dec. 1, at 8 am in person and 10 am online at LBParks.org. In person locations are listed in the press release. Camp registration fees are $30 per week, and financial assistance is available on a first-come, first-served basis. For more information, call 562.570.3150.

And Finally

'Tis the Season... The Ghost of Redistricting Past

At first glance, the map below looks to be the 2021 version of the redistricted 4th district. Most of our northern border runs along Spring Street which puts part of the Long Beach Airport in CD4. It also stretches to Wardlow Rd. which puts Rancho Estates and the Nature Center in CD4. The eastern border stretches as far south as 7th Street, and no part of the CD4 extends below PCH. However, the map below is forty five years old and shows the boundary of Council District 4 in 1976. While the 2021 changes to our district are monumental, we are actually traveling back to the future and reviving our bicentennial year.