

Marina Reader

Long Beach Parks, Recreation and Marine

FROM THE MANAGER

By **Elvira Hallinan**
Manager of Marinas & Beaches

Summer is in full swing! I know I have said this before and I will say it again, it is great to see so many people enjoying our waterways. Long Beach is definitely on the map with so much to offer. Hopefully you were able to visit Rainbow Harbor to join in the festivities and watch as the boats headed to Point Fermin for the start of the 48th Transpac. Also, Sprint Nationals, a very high speed and exciting event, will be taking place in Marine Stadium on August 8 & 9. Our department offers something for everyone including the El Dorado Nature Center, The Historical Rancho's, Movies on the Beach, Concerts in the Park, and much more. Please visit our web site: www.lbparcs.org for more information.

As I mentioned in the June Marina Reader our previous Director, George Chapjian, has relocated to Santa Barbara County to take a new position as Director of the Community Services Department. City Manager Pat West has announced the appointment of Stephen Scott as Interim Director of Parks, Recreation and Marine (PRM), while the City undertakes a nationwide search for a new PRM Director.

According to City Manager Past West, "Stephen has proven himself as a leader with the skills and vision to do this job," he also said, "I am confident that the Department of Parks, Recreation and Marine will be in very capable hands and continue to provide excellent services throughout the community until a new Director is chosen."

Mr. Scott is currently the Business Operations Bureau Manager for PRM. He previously was the Customer Services Manager in the Department of Technology and Innovation; Assistant to the City Manager; and Administrative Analyst in the City's Budget Office.



Stephen Scott
Interim Director of Parks, Recreation and Marine

Alamitos Bay Rebuild Update: Docks 6, 7 and 9 have been assigned and 8 will be assigned soon. Dredging is continuing in Basins 2 and 3. Let me remind you, DO NOT make alterations when you move in. If there is something you need, contact the marina office, DO NOT make alterations yourself. In addition, we will be much more stringent with regards to adherence to our rules on the new docks, particularly as it related to storing items on the dock or in the water by your vessel.

Thank you.

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TIDE CHART

August 2015

Date	Low Tide				High Tide			
	AM	Ht.	PM	Ht.	AM	Ht.	PM	Ht.
1. Sa	4:44	-1.0	4:27	1.3	11:04	4.9	10:35	6.5
2. Su	5:23	-0.8	5:19	1.3	11:45	5.1	11:23	6.0
3. Mo	6:03	-0.4	6:17	1.3	--	--	12:28	5.2
4. Tu	6:46	0.2	7:24	1.4	12:16	5.3	1:17	5.3
5. W	7:32	0.8	8:46	1.4	1:17	4.6	2:11	5.3
6. Th	8:26	1.4	10:18	1.2	2:36	3.9	3:13	5.4
7. F	9:33	1.9	11:45	0.8	4:20	3.5	4:22	5.5
8. Sa	10:52	2.2	--	--	6:05	3.5	5:29	5.6
9. Su	12:53	0.3	12:05	2.3	7:21	3.7	6:28	5.8
10. Mo	1:45	-0.1	1:05	2.2	8:14	4.0	7:19	6.0
11. Tu	2:28	-0.4	2:35	1.9	9:28	4.4	8:41	6.1
12. W	3:05	-0.4	2:35	1.9	9:28	4.4	8:41	6.1
13. Th	3:37	-0.4	3:12	1.7	9:58	4.5	9:16	6.1
14. F	4:06	-0.2	3:46	1.6	10:25	4.6	9:49	5.9
15. Sa	4:32	-0.1	4:20	1.6	10:52	4.6	10:21	5.6
16. Su	4:59	0.2	4:55	1.6	11:18	4.7	10:53	5.3
17. Mo	5:25	0.5	5:32	1.7	11:45	4.7	11:27	4.9
18. Tu	5:50	0.9	6:14	1.8	--	--	12:15	4.7
19. W	6:16	1.3	7:05	1.9	12:04	4.4	12:47	4.6
20. Th	6:44	1.7	8:12	2.0	12:47	3.9	1:26	4.6
21. F	7:16	2.1	9:44	1.9	1:49	3.4	2:17	4.6
22. Sa	8:05	2.5	11:17	1.5	3:36	3.0	3:24	4.6
23. Su	9:33	2.8	--	--	5:49	3.1	4:38	4.8
24. Mo	12:21	1.0	11:09	2.7	6:59	3.4	5:42	5.2
25. Tu	1:08	0.5	12:17	2.5	7:39	3.7	6:36	5.7
26. W	1:47	0.0	1:11	2.1	8:11	4.1	7:24	6.1
27. Th	2:24	-0.4	1:58	1.7	8:43	4.5	8:10	6.4
28. F	3:00	-0.7	2:44	1.2	9:16	4.9	8:54	6.6
29. Sa	3:36	-0.7	3:30	0.8	9:50	5.3	9:40	6.6
30. Su	4:13	-0.6	4:18	0.6	10:27	5.6	10:26	6.3
31. Mo	4:51	-0.3	5:09	0.5	11:05	5.8	11:16	5.7

IMPORTANT PHONE NUMBERS

Long Beach Police
Marine Patrol Emergency 911 or 9911 (Dock Phone)
Non Emergency (562) 435-6711
Shoreline Office (562) 570-4950
Alamitos Bay Office (562) 570-3215
Rainbow Harbor Office (562) 570-8636
Maintenance During working hours (562) 570-1582
 After office hours (562) 570-3101

Upcoming EVENTS

Long Beach Jazz Festival

August 7-9, 2015

For information:

www.longbeachfazzfestival.com

Long Beach Marina Boat Auction

August 8, 2015

For information: (562) 570-3215

Sprint National Boat Races

August 8-9, 2015

For Information: www.scscracing.com

Great Sand Sculpting Contest

August 15-16, 2015

Granada Beach, 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Long Beach Tri-athlon

August 16, 2015

For information: www.longbeachtriathlon.com

Long Beach Marathon

October 11, 2015

For information: www.runlongbeach.com



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Honey Pot Program

FREE MOBILE PUMPOUT SERVICE

The Bay Foundation Boater Education Program is proud to announce the annual return of the Honey Pot Day program for its seventh consecutive year. Honey Pot Day is offered from April 1 – August 31, 2015 in four Southern California harbors: Marina del Rey, King Harbor (Redondo Beach), Port of Los Angeles, and Port of Long Beach.

The program launched in 2009 as a means to reduce levels of bacteria in local harbors by offering boat owners a convenient option to properly dispose of sewage. One toilet flush of untreated sewage from a boat can cause the same environmental impacts as 10,000 flushes of a homeowner's toilet where the waste is processed by a municipal sewage treatment plant. (San Francisco Regional Water Quality Control Board, 2009)

Since its inception, over 800 boaters have been educated about the adverse effects of discharging sewage directly into waterways, and over 24,000 gallons of sewage, from across the four harbors, were properly disposed. Through the installation of pumpout facilities and educational programs, like this one, recreational boaters become better informed, understand the importance of proper waste disposal, and directly benefit water quality.

Based on a survey of 2014 participants, two most frequent comments were that the program is "very informative and much appreciated" and "all boat owners should do this".

The Honey Pot Day Program complements the Absorbent Pad Exchanges program, which has four new locations in Los Angeles and San Diego Counties (there are 15 total public locations now), and the statewide Dockwalker Program,

which trains volunteers to promote and educate boaters on environmentally-sound boating practices in California.

"I am very proud of our staff who have worked so diligently over the past years to develop this program into a regional approach to help keep our harbors and coastal waters clean," says The Bay Foundation Executive Director Tom Ford. "We all enjoy eating local seafood, and recreating in and around the water, so we thank the 800 boaters to-date who have used this program and have directly contributed to improving the water quality of our Bay and the region."



Honey Pot Day and the Dockwalker program are part of The Clean Vessel Education Program, which centers around four strategies: (1) developing pollution prevention services, (2) creating networking opportunities, (3) providing technical assistance, and (4) direct outreach. These programs bring to

local boating communities the tools and resources needed to improve water quality in their favorite boating playgrounds. The Honey Pot Day Program and Dockwalker Program are funded by California State Parks, Division of Boating and Waterways, and Clean Vessel Act Program. The new Absorbent Pad Exchanges are funded by a grant from CalRecycle.

To sign up for the program, boaters should visit <http://www.honeypotday.org/>. Here, they will take an online quiz, watch a video on how to operate a sewage pump out station, and read three brief publications by the California State Parks Division of Boating and Waterways.

For more information, contact Victoria Gambale at: vgamvgamvbale@santamonicabay.org or (213) 620-2271

LONG BEACH MARINA PUMPOUT LOCATIONS

ALAMITOS BAY

205 E. Marina Drive
223 E. Marina Drive

FREE, OPEN 24 HOURS

DAVIES LAUNCH RAMP

6201 E. Second Street
Under Davies Bridge at
2nd St. & Marina Dr.

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SHORELINE MARINA

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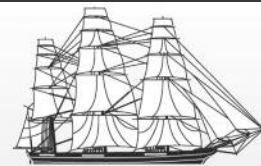
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Summer Events **IN FULL SWING**



Summer is in full swing and the City of Long Beach is the place to be. The variety of activities offered during the summer will hopefully entice you to spend some time outdoors while enjoying our next to perfect California weather. Depending on your interest, you can pack a lunch and head down to Marine Stadium to watch the Dragon Boat Races or perhaps you are into speed and would prefer the action packed Circle Boat

Races. A family fun activity may include a movie on the beach or building a sand sculpture. Please visit www.lbparks.org, a searchable web site that lists hundreds of movies, concerts, museum and historic site programs, recreation swimming sessions, El Dorado Regional Park and El Dorado Nature Center activities, golf and tennis programs, recreation classes, and spontaneous fun activities like hiking, biking, dog park and skate parks locations. Take a stay-cation this summer and enjoy free, low cost and exciting events and programs taking place in Long Beach.



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MEDICAL **EMERGENCIES** *At Sea Seminar*

Long Beach Yacht Club
6201 E. Appian Way, Long Beach, CA 90803
August 29, 2015

9 a.m. - 2 p.m. (Check in 8 a.m. - 9 p.m.) RSVP by August 24th
Cost is \$45, prepaid by August 24th and \$50 at the door.
Please provide name, email address, address, phone number and club for confirmation.

Please mail check to:
SCYA 5855 E. Naples Plaza, Suite 211, Long Beach, CA 90803

Lunch will be included.

Guest Speakers:
Doctors Abshire, Randall and Stone, Coast Guard Auxiliary and Avalon Rafts

For additional information visit: www.service@scya.org or call 562-433-7426.

Sailing Skills and **SEAMANSHIP**

5375 E. 2nd Street (Corner of 2nd Street and Claremont)
August 14 - October 1, 2015 (Friday Evenings)

7:30 AM - 9:30 PM

Cost is \$45 for the textbook, class is free.

The eight-week course will cover sailboat types, how a boat sails, basic sailboat maneuvering, rigging and boat handling, safety equipment, trailering, safety equipment, aids to navigation, auxiliary engines, weather, and the boat's radio, among other things.

For information contact Robert Vatz at bobnflip@aol.com or call (562) 493-3479.

ALAMITOS BAY

Parking Program

Hopefully you have all received your letter explaining our new parking sticker program for Alamitos Bay. If not, please stop by the office to pick up your new pass(s). Be reminded, parking passes are only valid on passenger vehicles, NOT oversized vehicles.

Updating parking passes will help to regulate vehicles parked in the lots. The lots are for parking – not storage. Also, vehicles parked in any of the Alamitos Bay parking lots overnight MUST have a pass in order to avoid a citation. If you have guests down to your boat be sure to either give them one of your hanging passes or stop by the office and get a temporary pass.

When you come to the office to get your new parking pass(s) staff will be verifying your information to ensure everything is correct. I know we are always reminding boaters to please keep your information up to date but it seems as though 2 to 3 times a week we try to make contact with a boater and find the phone numbers on file are out of service.

This process may seem a bit tedious at first but believe me, each year it will be easier and easier and really, it will allow us to provide better customer service and cut time in an emergency situation.

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DOCK BOXES

Just a reminder, when you are done using the dock carts please return them to the gangway (inside the gates in shoreline and near the headwalk in Alamitos Bay). Unfortunately, when they are left out along the bike path and sidewalk some think they are available for the general public and tend to walk away.

Bike Theft PREVENTION

There has been an increase in bike thefts on the docks in the Shoreline Marina recently, possibly due to the summer months and increased traffic in the area. Please make sure you do not leave your bikes unattended in the marina. Do not store bikes on the docks and always lock them on your boats. Marine Patrol has asked that you record the make, model and serial number (usually found on the frame), and possibly take a photo of the bike with the serial number visible. This will aid in the identification and return of recovered bikes to their rightful owners.

Also, never let anyone onto the docks who you do not know or who does not have a fob, as this is how some people have been gaining entry lately. Please report any suspicious persons or activities to LBPD Dispatch at (562) 435-6711 or dial 911.

Alamitos Bay FUEL DOCK

The Alamitos Bay Fuel Dock is once again open for business. They are open daily from 8AM – 5PM.

If you want to give them a call the number is:
(562) 594-0888.