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MOBILE EXHIBIT

'Represented at Last!' will trace the path of Long Beach's diverse politics and people

The Historical Society of Long Beach hopes to share stories of those who fought for change and representation.

Samantha Diaz Managing Editor

> ormer Councilmember James Wilson. Mayor Rex Richardson. Councilmember Suely Saro. Former Mayor Robert Garcia. What do these people have in common? They all made history in Long Beach politics, as the first Black councilmember, first Black mayor, first Cambodian councilmember and first openly gay mayor, respectively.

Beginning this Friday, these leaders, among many others over the past century, will be recognized for their place in the city's ever-changing political landscape.

The Historical Society of Long Beach (HSLB) is unveiling its newest mobile exhibit on Friday: a deep dive into Long Beach's political history through the lens of its Black, Latino, Indigenous and LGBTQ communities.

The traveling exhibit titled "Represented at Last! The Story of Long Beach's Transformation in Politics and People" combines photos, interviews, historical accounts and biographies.

The exhibit will be unveiled at HSLB's Bixby Knolls museum and travel to different parts of the city throughout the year, offering people a chance to learn about their local history. "Represented at Last!" will be made up of nine six-foot panels featuring local narratives, photos submitted from residents and over a year of research.

"I think that Long Beach is in a really interesting position right now," said Julie Bartolotto, executive director for the Historical Society of Long Beach. "I hope that it piques their interest in how this place came to be like it is now and it piques their interest in learning more in general about local history."

Bartolotto said she also hopes the exhibit will reach younger audiences and those living in areas of the city most overlooked such as North and West Long Beach, and various ethnic groups in the city. Many of the images used in their exhibits come from residents who have a rich history in Long Beach. So the more people that know about HSLB's archiving efforts, the better chance they have of creating a complete picture of the city.

Local leaders in the city who tore down barriers have given interviews as part of "Represented at Last!" to help piece together the city's history. These journeys gathered by a team of historians trace the political and economical growth of the often marginalized groups that make up much of Long Beach's population.

Residents will not only learn about the waves of people who migrated to Long Beach in the 20th century, such as the Cambodian, Black, Hispanic and LGBTQ communities, but the struggles they

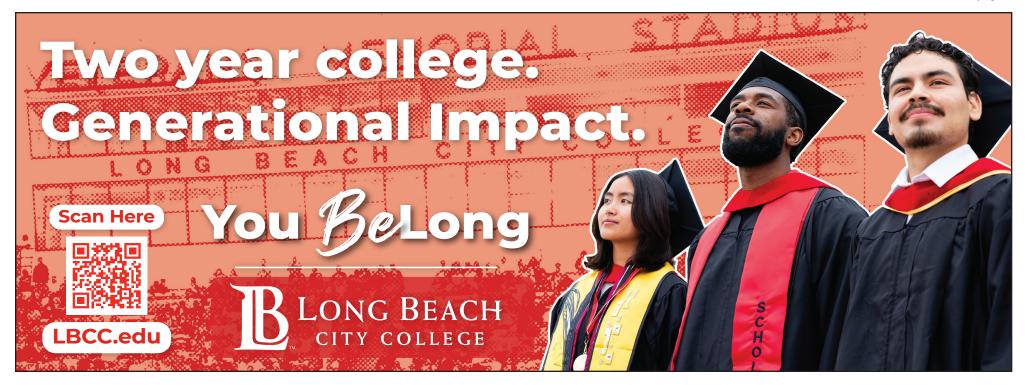


Families and residents spend a day on a Long Beach coast.



Long Beach City Council with first African American Councilmember, Jim Wilson, circa 1970.

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MISSING PERSON

Update: Missing Long Beach man found unharmed in Los Angeles



Davontay Clark was found at a medical facility in Los Angeles on Aug. 30 after being missing for over a week.

Kristen Farrah Naeem

Staff Writer

A local nonverbal autistic man was found unharmed after going missing for over a week. Twentynine-year-old Davontay Clark went missing from his home on Aug. 22, and was found at a medical facility in Los Angeles on Aug. 30. The Long Beach Police Department learned he was safe on Sept. 4.

Clark left home on foot, with no access to a car or cell phone, and does not have a tracking device. However, his family lives near a Metro train station, and Clark knows how to use trains and buses, according to LBPD.

He has made it to other cities

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when he went missing in the past as well, such as San Pedro and Torrance.

Since 2020, Clark has been reported missing seven times, according to reports by the Long Beach Police Department (LBPD). But it had never taken this long for police to confirm he was safe before. Out of the six previous times he's been reported missing, in five of those cases he was found either the same day he went missing, or the day after.

The one exception was in September 2021, when he was taken to a medical facility as a John Doe the same day he left his home, and it took the LBPD 11 days to learn his whereabouts.

Elopement, also known as wandering, is an urge some autistic individuals have which causes them to try to leave or escape safe places or people, often putting them in danger.

According to a 2017 report by the National Autism Association, 808 people with autism spectrum disorder were reported missing to police after eloping/wandering from 2011 to 2016, and in 139 of those cases the missing person died. The cause of death in most of these cases was drowning (71%), followed by being hit by a vehicle (18%) or train (4%).

A 2009 study of autistic adults living in an institution found that 34% "exhibited elopement behavior.'

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CRIMES REPORTED BY THE SIGNAL HILL POLICE

Wednesday, August 28

6:53 a.m., Auto burglary, 2600 block E. 20th St. 7:48 a.m., Battery, 1800 block St. Louis Ave. 4:20 p.m., Auto burglary, 2300 block Lewis Ave. 5:26 p.m., Injury traffic collision, E. Spring east of Walnut Ave. 9:25 p.m., Petty theft, 900 block E. 33rd St. (citation issued)

Thursday, August 29

10:18 a.m., Injury traffic collision, E. Hill St./Obispo Ave. 11:56 a.m., Auto burglary, 1300 block E. Spring St.

Friday, August 30

8:24 a.m., Grand theft – motor vehicle, 1500 block E. Spring St. 10:22 a.m., Identity theft, 2100 block Temple Ave. 3:25 p.m., Person with a gun, Walnut Ave./E. 20th St. 3:40 p.m., Injury traffic collision, E. 25th St./Orange Ave. 6:22 p.m., Petty theft, 900 block E. 33rd St.

Saturday, August 31

6:47 p.m., Petty theft, 900 block E. 33rd St. (citation issued)

Sunday, September 1

10:39 a.m., Robbery, 1600 block E. Willow St. (suspect arrested) 11:36 a.m., Intoxicated person, on drugs, 3000 block California Ave. 3:00 p.m., Injury traffic collision, E. 20th St./Ohio Ave.

Monday, September 2

9:08 a.m., Fire, Obispo Ave./Hathaway Ave. 12:13 p.m., Felony spousal abuse, E. 21st St./St. Louis Ave.

Tuesday, September 3

5:43 a.m., Grand theft – motor vehicle, 2200 block Walnut Ave. 8:09 a.m., Identity theft, 2300 block Lewis Ave. 11:03 p.m., Injury hit and run, 700 block E. Spring St.

LBPD reporting area Is too extensive to report here, but you can go to their website: longbeach.gov/police. Once there, click on Crime Info, then Crime Incident Mapping Application. Click on Launch Crime Incident Mapping Application and type in an address.

You can use filters to select dates and types of crime.

Westin Long Beach hotel workers unanimously approve new contract

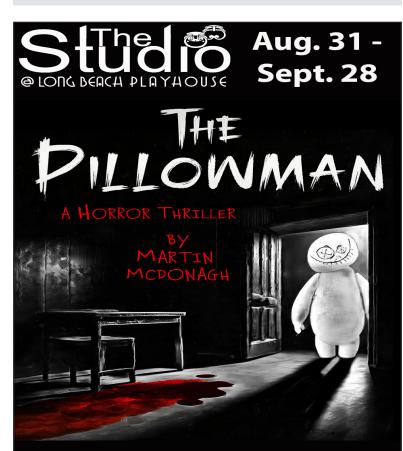
Workers at the hotel will see a 60% wage increase over the next four years with new contract ratified.

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pushing for new contracts with includes an immediate \$5 an hour higher wages and employee protec-

across the nation who have been Long Beach. The new agreement raise and another \$6.25 an hour over three and a half years. By the time this contract expires on Jan. 15, 2028, the workers will see wage increases of \$11.25 an hour.



This past Labor Day carried extra weight for the workers at the Westin Long Beach hotel, who unanimously ratified their new working contract on Aug. 30.



Screenshot Courtesy of Google Maps The exterior of the Westin Long Beach hotel in May 2022. Before ratifying their new contract, workers at the Westin Long Beach had been on strike since July 6.

Westin Long Beach room attendants, cooks, front desk employees and housekeepers had been striking in front of the hotel before and after work since July 6. They joined over 10,000 other hotel workers

tions for over a year.

Hotel workers at 73 hotels have now ratified new agreements, according to UNITE HERE Local 11, which represents more than 32,000 hospitality workers in Southern California and Arizona.

Long Beach hotel and tourism workers received a baseline wage increase to \$23 an hour when voters approved Measure RW in March. Since Westin workers are represented at a union, they have the right to advocate for more protections and higher wages.

"We are so excited. We fought so hard. We picketed and struck and organized actions to show we will not stop until we get what we deserve, and now we have won a life-changing agreement," said Juana Melara, housekeeper at Westin Long Beach, in a statement from the union. "There were lots of tears of joy at our ratification vote."

The contract was unanimously approved by the workers at Westin

In addition to the historic wage increase, Westin workers' contract includes:

· Guaranteed pre-pandemic staffing levels

• Mandatory daily room cleaning • One of the nation's highest pensions for service workers

•50 pages of improvements, including Juneteenth as a paid holiday

•Unprecedented rights for immigrants and workers impacted by the carceral system

"The hotel industry repeatedly underestimated the determination and tenacity of the workers. They tried to demoralize and divide us with firings, threats, and violence, but it has only made us stronger," said Kurt Petersen, co-president of UNITE HERE Local 11 in a public statement.

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AROUND TOWN A WEEKLY LIST OF THINGS TO DO **IN LONG BEACH AND SIGNAL HILL**

he September heat is coming in full force, but so are the local businesses and community orgs hosting fun events in Long Beach and Signal Hill.

Those willing to brave the heat will be rewarded with a barbeque party celebrating local business Battambong BBQ Friday evening, or with plenty of lobster dishes at Rainbow Lagoon Park all weekend. Early morning outdoor activities include a nature center cleanup Saturday morning, a meditation gathering Monday morning, or a sound bath in the park Tuesday.

Families can enjoy a coffee and story time gathering Saturday, a mid-autumn festival later that evening, an art workshop Sunday afternoon or a weekly crochet club Wednesday afternoon.

()6^{FRIDAY} BUSINESS ANNIVERSARY PARTY

4 p.m. to 9 p.m. Local business Battambong BBQ invites the public to celebrate its fourth anniversary at Ten Mile Brewing (1136 E Willow St.). There will be barbecue for sale, live country music, face painting, balloon art, giveaways, raffles and a photo booth. Free to attend, menu prices vary. Those who come dressed in cowboy hats and boots will get a 20% discount on combo plates.

LOBSTER FESTIVAL

4 p.m. to 10 p.m. During this three-day festival, various vendors will sell their lobster dishes at Rainbow Lagoon Park (400 E Shoreline Dr.). General admission tickets can be purchased for \$7 for Friday and \$14.68 for Saturday or Sunday. Attendees can also pre-order a steamed lobster for \$43.21 or a grilled lobster for \$46.73. Tickets can be purchased at westcoastlobsterfestival.com.

SUMMER SABOR & SPIRITS SERIES

5:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. The Museum of Latin American Art (628 Alamitos Ave.) will be hosting a performance by the Afro-Latin band Quitapenas. There will also be a cash bar and food available for purchase. Tickets can be purchased on the museum's website for \$25.

()7SATURDAY

CAFECITO Y CUENTOS

10 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. Parents can enjoy a cup of coffee while their children listen to a story at Casita Bookstore (1440 E Fourth St.). Storytime will start at 11 a.m., but coffee will be served starting at 10 a.m. Free to attend.

NATURE CENTER CLEANUP 10 a.m. to noon. Volunteers are needed to help maintain the El Dorado Nature Center (7550 E. Spring St.) by clearing the streams and trails, pulling weeds or spreading mulch. Volunteers are asked to wear sturdy shoes and required to register ahead of time by calling

MINI MID-AUTUMN FESTIVAL

562-570-1745. Free.

Noon to 4 p.m. Bel Canto Books will be hosting this community event at Kubo LB (3976 Atlantic Ave.) featuring a storytime and signing with children's author Benson Shum, as well as vendors, activities and more. Admission is free, and a signed copy of Shum's book can be pre-ordered on Eventbrite for \$12.53.

O8^{SUNDAY}

MEN IN BRIEFS

11 a.m. The Long Beach Art Theater (2025 E Fourth St.) will be screening a series of eight short films about queer men as part of the annual Q Films Fest. Tickets can be purchased qfilmslongbeach. com for \$15.74.

CHILDREN'S WORKSHOP

1 p.m. to 3 p.m. Young children are invited to learn about zoetropes through a hands-on workshop at the Museum of Latin American Art (628 Alamitos Ave.). To register, visit the museum's website. Free.

LIVE THEATER

2 p.m. The International City Theatre (330 E Seaside Way) will be putting on its closing performance of "The Double V." Tickets can be purchased on the theater's website for \$52.

CHESS CLUB

4 p.m. Chess players of all levels are invited to play against each other at the shopping center 2nd & PCH (6400 Pacific Coast Highway). Players will meet by the fountain. Free.

O9^{MONDAY} LOW-COST

VACCINE CLINIC

10 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Long Beach Animal Care Services (7700 E Spring St.) and Community Animal Medicine Project will be providing vaccines and services to pets at discounted prices. Services include microchipping, tapeworm treatment, nail trimming, flea/tick



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People sit and relax in the new colorful pipe-like swings at the renovated Lincoln Park in Downtown Long Beach on Feb. 11, 2022. Residents can practice self-care at Lincoln Park this Monday from 11 a.m. to noon during Meditation Monday.

previous vaccine records. For more N Bellflower Blvd.). Free. information, call 562-570-7387. Prices will vary.

MEDITATION MONDAY

11 a.m. to noon. The public is invited to meditate together at Lincoln Park (101 Pacific St.). Free.

MOVIE SCREENING

5:05 p.m. The public is invited to a screening of the rated-R film "Touch" at the Long Beach Art Theatre (2025 E Fourth St.). The film follows the story of a man searching for his first love. Tickets can be purchased for \$13.50 on the theater's website.



SOUND BATH IN THE PARK

6:30 p.m. The public is invited to a sound bath of resonant music at Lincoln Park (101 Pacific Ave.). Free.

MAHJONG FOR BEGINNERS

1 p.m. to 3 p.m. Beginner level mahjong players are invited to play together at Dana Neighborhood Library (3680 Atlantic Ave.). Registration through the City's event calendar is required. Free.

WEDNESDAY

SENIOR BINGO

11 a.m. Seniors are invited to play bingo together at the Signal Hill Public Library (1800 E Hill St.). Coffee and light refreshments will be provided. Free.

WEEKLY CROCHET

United Methodist Church (3759 Orange Ave.) is hosting a three-day

8 a.m. to 6 p.m. Cal Heights

12THURSDAY

RUMMAGE SALE

NHPI HEALTH PRESENTATION

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4:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. The public is invited to a presentation on the data gathered through Native Hawaiian and Pacific Islander Community Health Needs Assessment at the Billie Jean King Main Library (200 W Broadway). Four artists will also present their artwork inspired by the NHPI community. Free.

COMMUNITY WORKSHOP FOR NEW SENIOR CENTER

6 p.m. The public is invited to the Long Beach Senior Center (1150 E Fourth St.) to learn about its upcoming relocation. Free.

AUTHOR/ARTIST TALK

7 p.m. Bel Canto Books (2106 E Fourth St.) will be hosting a discussion with French-Cambodian author Jean-Baptiste Phou about his new book "Coming Out of My Skin." Attendance is free, signed copies of the book can be preordered on Eventbrite for \$23.04.

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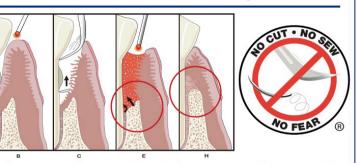
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faced to gain representation and equity. While Long Beach elected its first Black mayor Rex Richardson in 2022, it was roughly 50 years ago when it elected its first Black councilmember James (Jim) Wilson in 1970.

"It hasn't really been that long since basically we went from a City Council that was all white men, or almost all white men, to a very diverse City Council with a majority of women and our first Black mayor," Bartolotto said.



Courtesy of the Historical Society of Long Beach Selections from Long Beach: Citizens Take Action pamphlet by the League of Women Voters of Long Beach Area. Photo of westside residents holding meeting from I-P-T, 1981.

Many changes in the city were slow moving and hard fought, Bartolotto said. Through research and interviews, the team learned about initiatives that required repeated advocacy and faced opposition from those already in power. For instance, when the City Council made it a requirement that councilmembers must live in the district they are hoping to represent, that change had to be defended many times over in the following years.

"We found that in so many cases," Bartolotto said. "It's important for people to know that change doesn't just happen, everybody works together and makes this change happen. There are many many attempts to make these changes, and even sometimes after those changes are enacted there are many challenges against them. We can see this happening at the local level, historically, and nationally as well."

While doing research for this exhibit, Bartolotto said she was struck by how much of Long Beach's history is overlooked. The exhibit also delves into North Long Beach, the Black leaders that came from that part of the city, and the investments that went into growing the area.

The HSLB has been gathering stories and conducting research for "Represented at Last!" for over a year in order to gather these untold stories. Led by historian Victoria Roa, a group of student researchers helped to piece together the complex history of Long Beach politics and demographics.

"I hope that some of the major takeaways that the public gets from this exhibition is the power of local organizing, the importance of lifting up others and representation in local politics," Roa said.

Interviews conducted over the past year will be posted on the HSLB's website sometime this month, Bartolotto said.

Local leaders who will be highlighted through interviews in the exhibit include:

•Dee Andrew — former 6th district councilmember

-Al Austin — 8th district councilmember

•Steve Neal — Harbor Commissioner and former councilmember •Rex Richardson — Mayor and

former councilmember

• Suely Saro – 6th district councilmember

 $\bullet {\rm Gerrie}$ Schipske — former 4th district councilmember

 $\bullet {\rm Roberto}$ Uranga — 7th district councilmember

•Tonia Reyes-Uranga — former 7th district councilmember

Themes presented in the exhibit include Alliances Between Organizations, Challenging the Law, Changing Population and Changing Electorate, and Common Organizations and Empowerment. Two of the panels will focus on a figure from local history with quotes and a short biography on the person.

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- Victoria Roa

View "Represented at Last!" at the following locations and dates:

Friday, Sept. 6 from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. — Historical Society of Long Beach at 4260 Atlantic Ave.

Sept. 9 from 3 p.m. to 5 p.m. – opening reception at the Civic Center at 411 W Ocean Blvd.

Sept. 10-16 from 7:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. – Civic Center lobby at 411 W Ocean Blvd.

"Represented at Last!" will be at the Historical Society of Long Beach headquarters in Bixby Knolls at 4260 Atlantic Ave. when it is not traveling. The museum is open on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m., on Thursdays from 1 p.m. to 7 p.m., and on Saturdays from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m.

More dates and locations will be announced in the near future.



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What did Long Beach's federal and state reps do in August?

Kristen Farrah Naeem

Staff Writer

This installment of the Signal Tribune's monthly series covers actions taken and statements made by Long Beach and Signal Hill's federal and state representatives throughout August.

Elected officials were involved in discussion and legislation surrounding public health, schools, cyberbullying and more. The purpose of this ongoing series is to help the public stay abreast of their elected officials and hold them accountable before and beyond election day.

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Robert Garcia



Richard H. Grant | Signal Tribune Congressman Robert Garcia talks to Long Beach residents during his first town hall meeting in Downtown Long Beach on Aug. 23, 2023.

STD Prevention: On Aug. 8, Garcia, 12th District Representative Barbara Lee and 16 other representatives sent a letter urging the U.S. Preventive Services Task Force to require insurance coverage for the preventative STD (sexually transmitted disease) medicine doxvcvcline postexposure prophylaxis (doxy PEP) at no cost to patients. Doxy PEP, when taken within three days of sex, significantly reduces the risk of syphilis, chlamydia, and gonorrhea. The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) recently recommended healthcare providers counsel high-risk patients on doxy PEP's benefits. The lawmakers' letter requests that the Task Force give doxy PEP an A rating, which would require insurance providers to cover the medication





U.S. Representative for California's 42nd Congressional District



under the Affordable Care Act.



An aerial view of the area of water that could potentially connect Marine Stadium with the Colorado Lagoon on May 25, 2022. Marine Stadium will be one of the several Long Beach venues hosting events for the 2028 Summer Olympics.

Olympics Funding: On Aug. 9, Garcia and 19 colleagues sent a letter to Speaker of the House Mike Johnson, Leader Hakeem Jeffries, and the Chair and Ranking Member of the House Appropriations Committee urging them to include \$200 million for the 2028 OlymLena Gonzalez California State Senator for the 33rd District



Richard H. Grant | Signal Tribune Workers move around an oil well at the top of Signal Hill inside of a neighborhood on May 2, 2023.

Air Quality Bill Moves Forward: On Aug. 8, Gonzalez's Senate Bill 674, The Refinery Pollution Reduction and Transparency Act, passed the state legislature. It's been sent to Governor Gavin Newsom for approval. The bill would set a statewide standard for monitoring air quality at oil refineries across the state in order to measure toxic pollutants and implement methods to protect nearby communities. The legislation would require refineries to notify the public, including through emails and texts. when toxic emissions exceed safe levels. The bill would also require refineries to provide accessible real-time data, submit to third-party audits and provide a root-cause analysis within 24 hours of any incident.



Mark Savage | Courtesy of LBUSD Students walk towards the front doors of Millikan High School on the first day of in-person classes on April 26, 2021.

Schools & Climate Change: On Aug. 27, Gonzalez's Senate Bill 1182, the Climate Resilient Schools Act, passed through the state legNanette Díaz Barragán U.S. Representative for California's 44th Congressional District



Courtesy of Nanette Barragán's website During the month of August, Senator Barragán introduced the Compassionate Care Act alongside Senator Richard Blumenthal. The bill aims to *improve end-of-life care.*

Advance Care Planning Act

Introduced: On Aug. 1, Barragán and fellow Senator Richard Blumenthal introduced the Compassionate Care Act, a bill aimed at improving end-of-life care, as well as planning for care in case of severe illness.

Many Americans don't have a plan in case they contract a severe illness, and this legislation seeks to address that gap by providing resources to educate both patients and providers. The act focuses on using telehealth options to make it easier for people to plan their care in advance. It would also create a public awareness campaign, urging residents across the nation to make plans for themselves in case of severe illness, a practice known as "advance care planning."

"We must ensure that every patient's healthcare rights and wishes are respected by increased access to advance care planning (ACP)," said Barragán in a public statement. "Few patients discuss ACP with their providers, and marginalized communities, including individuals with low incomes and non-English speakers, are even less likely to have the conversation. I am proud to introduce the Compassionate Care Act with Senator Blumenthal, as it will create clear guidelines, increase physician education and public awareness, and enhance ACP access for all."

Lower Drug Prices: On Aug. 15, Barragán was present when President Joe Biden and Vice President Kamala Harris announced the first lower drug prices negotiated under Medicare through the Inflation Reduction Act, passed in 2022. This law allows Medicare to directly negotiate prescription drug prices with pharmaceutical companies, similar to practices by the Department of Veterans Affairs and other federal agencies. The new prices for the first 10 selected drugs will take effect in Medicare starting in 2026. These drugs include treatments for a variety of illnesses such as blood cancer, heart failure, blood clots and more.

Josh Lowenthal State Representative for California's 69th Assembly District



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An exterior view of the JP23 restaurant, bar and nightclub at 110 E Broadway in Long Beach on Aug. 24, 2022. A woman reported that she was drugged at the establishment and later raped. The City of Long Beach rescinded the establishment's business license.

Training on Drink Safety: Lowenthal's Assembly Bill 2402 was passed by the State Senate on Aug. 26. Now the State Assembly needs to approve the amendments the Senate made to the bill. This bill

would require Alcohol and Beverage Control to add information on how to prevent roofying to its trainings offered to restaurant, bar and nightclub staff.

Lids for Drink Safety: On Aug. 29, the State Assembly approved amendments made to Lowenthal's Assembly Bill 2375.

The bill would require bars and nightclubs to offer lids for customers' drinks upon request, and to post signs informing customers that lids are available, in an effort to prevent drink-spiking.

Cyberbullying Bill Passed: Lowenthal's Assembly Bill 2481, the Cyberbullying Protection Act, was passed by the State Assembly on Aug. 31. The bill will now be sent to the governor for a final decision.

If approved, AB 2481 would require social media platforms to clearly outline their cyberbullying reporting procedures in their terms of service.

They would also need to create a way for anyone, whether they have an account or not, to report cyberbullying or content that breaks the rules. This would include allowing people to upload screenshots as evidence.

Large social media platforms would further have to verify school principals and mental health professionals as "trusted reporters," who would be able to alert the platform when they find content that they deem to be harmful to minors. When one of these verified reporters flags content as harmful, it would trigger an expedited review of the content by a human employed by the social media platform. These platforms would then have to annually publish the number of reports they receive from these trusted reporters on a publicly accessible website.



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pics in this year's federal funding legislation. This funding would provide public transit buses to cities that will be hosting Olympic events such as Los Angeles and Long Beach. Previous host cities for the U.S. Olympics, such as Atlanta and Salt Lake City, received similar federal support in the past to expand transit capacity, according to the letter.

islature, and is awaiting approval from the governor.

The bill aims to protect California schools from climate change impacts while lowering their greenhouse gas emissions. The bill would require the California Energy Commission (CEC) to craft a comprehensive Master Plan that focuses on sustainability and resiliency in school infrastructures.

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The following person is doing business as: 1. SANCUS TAX 2. SANCUSTAX 3, SANCUS ACCOUNTING, 4. SANCUS TAX AND ACCOUNTING, 5. SANCUS TAX & ACCOUNTING, 6. Sancus Tax Resolution, 7. SANCUS TAX RELIEF, 8. NOBLE PA-CIFIC TAX GROUP, 4401 ATLANTIC AVE SUITE 200, LONG BEACH, CA. 90807. County: LOS ANGELES. Registrant: SANCUS TAS INC., 4401 ATLANTIC AVE SUITE 200, LONG BEACH, CA. 90807. State of Incorporation/Organization: CA. This business is conducted by: a Corporation. I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. Signed: DOUGLAS DICK, PRESIDENT. The registrant has not begun to use this fictitious business name. The registrant began using this fictitious business name in N/A. This statement was filed with the county clerk of Los Angeles County on 8/5/2024. NOTICE: This fictitious business name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the county clerk. A new fictitious business name statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see section 14411 et seq., Business and Professions Code). Pub. The Signal Tribune: August 16, 23, 30 & September 6,2024

TST7385 / 2024 162502 FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

The following person is doing business as: TESSA ANIMAL RESCUE, 3559 RUT-GERS AVE, LONG BEACH, CA. 90808. County: LOS ANGELES. Registrant: LOIS KAREN PAIRE, 3559 RUTGERS AVE, LONG BEACH, CA. 90808. State of Incorporation/Organization: N/A. This business is conducted by: an Individual. I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. Signed: LOIS KAREN PAIRE, OWNER. The registrant has begun to use this fictitious business name. The registrant began using this fictitious business name in 6/2019. This statement was filed with the county clerk of Los Angeles County on Aug 1, 2024. NOTICE: This fictitious business name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the county clerk. A new fictitious business name statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see section 14411 et seq., Business and Professions Code). Pub. The Signal Tribune: August 16, 23, 30 & September 6,2024

TST7393 Case No. 24LBCP00253 ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, GOVER-NOR GEORGE DEUKMEJIAN COURT-HOUSE, 275 MAGNOLIA AVE., LONG BEACH, CA. 90802 PETITION OF: Rene Chanquin for Change of Name. TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: 1. Petitioners: Rene Chanquin has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing his name as follows: Present Name: Rene Chanquin Proposed Name: Rene Reyes-Chanquin 2. THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter shall appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. NOTICE OF HEARING: Date: Sept. 26, 2024; Time: 8:30a.m., Dept. S26, Room: 5500. The address of the court is the same as above. A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once each week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county, THE SIGNAL TRIBUNE, 1860 Obispo Ave., Ste. F, Signal Hill, CA 90755. August 16, 23, 30 & September 6, 2024 ___// ss//____ Michael P. Vincencia, Judge of the Superior Court Dated: August 12,, 2024

name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the county clerk. A new fictitious business name statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see section 14411 et seq., Business and Professions Code). Pub. The Signal Tribune: August 16, 23, 30, & September 6, 2024

TST7396 / 2024 171766 FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

The following person is doing business as: SAY FRONT, 5318 E SECOND ST #1084, LONG BEACH, CA. 90803. County: LOS ANGELES. Registrant: CHRISTINE LE, 5318 E SECOND ST #1084, LONG BEACH, CA. 90803. State of Incorporation/Organization: N/A. This business is conducted by: an Individual. I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. Signed: CHRISTINE LE. OWNER. The registrant has begun to use this fictitious business name. The registrant began using this fictitious business name in 03/2024. This statement was filed with the county clerk of Los Angeles County on 8/14/2024. NOTICE: This fictitious business name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the county clerk. A new fictitious business name statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see section 14411 et seq., Business and Professions Code). Pub. The Signal Tribune: August 23, 30, & September 6, 13, 2024

TST7401 Case No. 24LBCP00258 ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, 275 MAG-NOLIA AVE., LONG BEACH, CA. 90802 PETITION OF: Kimberly Itzel Nava Lopez for Change of Name. TO ALL INTEREST-ED PERSONS: 1. Petitioners: Kimberly Itzel Nava Lopez has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing her name as follows:Present Name: Kimberly Itzel Nava Lopez Proposed Name: Kimberly Itzel Castaneda 2. THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter shall appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. NOTICE OF HEARING: Date: October 4, 2024; Time: 8:30a.m., Dept. S27, Room: 5400, The address of the court is the same as above. A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once each week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county, THE SIGNAL TRIBUNE, 1860 Obispo Ave., Ste. F, Signal Hill, CA 90755. August 23, 30 & September 6, 13, 2024 //ss// Mark C. Kim, Judge of the Superior Court Dated: August 16, 2024

TST7405 Case No. 24LBCP00259 ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES. GOVER-NOR GEORGE DEUKMEJIAN COURT-HOUSE, 275 MAGNOLIA AVE. LONG BEACH. CA. 90802 PETITION OF: Randy Roland Deshawn Colbert for Change of Name, TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: 1. Petitioners: Randy Roland Deshawn Colbert has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing his name as follows: Present Name: Randy Roland Deshawn Colbert Proposed Name: Jehovah God 2. THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter shall appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. NOTICE OF HEARING: Date: October 1, 2024; Time: 8:30a.m., Dept. S26, Room: 5500. The address of the court is the same as above. A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once each week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county, THE SIGNAL TRIBUNE, 1860 Obispo Ave., Ste. F, Signal Hill, CA 90755. August 23, 30 & September 6. 13. 2024 // ss// _ Michael P. Vicencia, Judge of the Superior Court Dated: August 16, 2024

les. 3. The Petition for Probate requests that Danielle Robinson be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent. 4. The Petition requests the decedent's will and codicils, if any, be admitted to probate. The will and any codicils are available for examination in the file kept by the court. 5. The Petition requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain and very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority. 6. A hearing on the petition will be held in this court as follows: a. September 24, 2024 @ 8:30 AM, Dept. 44 b. Stanley Mosk Courthouse, 111 North Hill St., Los Angeles, CA 90012. 7. If you object to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objection or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney. 8. If you are a creditor or contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court with the later of either (1) four months from the date of issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code. Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law. 9. You may examine the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code Section 1250. A request for Special Notice form is available from the Court clerk. BRUCE A. PENCE WADE LAW OF-FICES P.O. BOX 6570 LOS OSOS, CA. 93412 805-214-8292 Pub. Signal Tribune, 8/23, 30 & 9/6, 2024

TST7406 Case No. 24CHCP00311 ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, CHATS-WORTH COURTHOUSE, 9425 PENFIELD AVE., ROOM 1200, CHATSWORTH, CA. 91311 PETITION OF: Luciana Wyna Straughter for Change of Name. TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: 1. Petitioners: Luciana Wyna Straughter aka Jasmine Straughter has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing her name as follows: Present Name: Luciana Wyna Straughter aka Jasmine Straughter Proposed Name: Jasmine Luciana Wyna Straughter 2. THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter shall appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. NOTICE OF HEARING: Date: October 10, 2024; Time: 8:30a.m., Dept. F49, Room: The address of the court is the same as above. A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once each week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county, THE SIGNAL TRIBUNE, 1860 Obispo Ave., Ste. F, Signal Hill, CA 90755. August 23, 30 & September 6, 13, 2024 _ // ss//___ David B. Gelfound, Judge of the Superior Court Dated: August 8, 2024

under federal, state, or common law (see section 14411 et seq., Business and Professions Code). Pub. The Signal Tribune: August 23, 30 & September 6, 13, 2024

TST7408 / 2024 153440 FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

The following person is doing business as: DAYS GONE BY. 4747 MATNEY AVENUE. LONG BEACH, CA. 90807, County: LOS ANGELES. Registrant: 1. RODNEY L. DENNIS, 2. DONNA LESLIE-DENNIS. 4747 MATNEY AVENUE. LONG BEACH. CA. 90807. State of Incorporation/Organization: N/A. This business is conducted by: a Married Couple. I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. Signed: RODNEY L. DENNIS. OWN-ER. The registrant has begun to use this fictitious business name. The registrant began using this fictitious business name in 05/2014. This statement was filed with the county clerk of Los Angeles County on 7/22/2024, NOTICE: This fictitious business name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the county clerk. A new fictitious business name statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see section 14411 et seq., Business and Professions Code). Pub. The Signal Tribune: August 23, 30 & September 6, 13, 2024

TST7416 / 2024 169649 FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

The following person is doing business as: PACIFIC FOOTWEAR TRADING COMPA-NY. 2250 OBISPO AVE #103. SIGNAL HILL, CA. 90755. County: LOS ANGE-Registrant: PRIVATE, INC, 2250 LES. OBISPO AVE #103, SIGNAL HILL, CA. 90755. State of Incorporation/Organization: CALIFORNIA. This business is conducted by: Corporation. I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. Signed: GUSTAVO NAVARRO. PRESIDENT. The registrant has begun to use this fictitious business name. The reqistrant began using this fictitious business

TST7400 Cargohouse Inc. Warehouse Lien Sale

Date: 09/09/2024 Time: 8AM~10AM Where: 2710 E. El Presidio St. Carson CA 90810 *Furniture, home decor & accessories *Condition: As Is (Sun/Rain damage). Pub. The Signal Tribune: Aug. 23, 30 & Sept. 6, 2024

> TST7417/Order No: 17894 Auto Lien Sale

On 09/19/2024 at 9223 S VERMONT AVE LOS ANGELES, CA a Lien Sale will be held on a 2024 HONDA VIN: 2HGFE2F21RH534845 STATE: CA LIC: 9KLW573 at 10 AM

Auto Lien Sale

Auto Lien Sale On 09/19/2024 at 3434 WEST 67TH STREET LOS ANGELES, CA a Lien Sale will be held on a 2017 MERCE held on a 2021 CHEVROLET VIN: 1G1FB1RX5M0105710 VIN: 4IGDA 5HB4HA 965866 STATE: CA LIC: 8KSX034 at 8AM TST7419/Order No: 18278 TST7427/Order No: 1164 Auto Lien Sale Auto Lien Sale On 09/19/2024 at 1865 E 65TH ST LOS ANGELES, CA a Lien Sale will be held on a 2024 NISSA VIN: 1N4BL4CV9RN318011 VIN: 5YJ3E1EA4PF624014 STATE: CA LIC: 9KGJ845 at 8 AM Long Beach Unified School District **TST7412** NOTICE INVITING BIDS BEB 06-2425 - HVAC Filters

name in 08/2024. This statement was filed with the county clerk of Los Angeles County on Aug 13, 2024. NOTICE: This fictitious business name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the county clerk. A new fictitious business name statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see section 14411 et seq., Business and Professions Code). Pub. The Signal Tribune: August 30, & September 6, 13, 20, 2024

> TST7420/Order No: 18308 Auto Lien Sale

On 09/19/2024 at 1865 E 65TH ST LOS ANGELES, CA a Lien Sale will be held on a 2017 MITSUBISHI VIN: JA4AD3A38HZ052254 STATE: CA LIC: 9JBZ577 at 8 AM

> TST7421/Order No: 18470 Auto Lien Sale

On 09/19/2024 at 1601 SOUTH ST LONG BEACH, CA a Lien Sale will be held on a 2011 CHEVROLET VIN: 3GCPCSE01BG381236 STATE: CA LIC: 91415Z1 at

> TST7422/Order No: 18478 Auto Lien Sale

On 09/19/2024 at 1865 E 65TH ST LOS ANGELES, CA a Lien Sale will be held on a 2019 DODGE VIN: 2C3CDXBG4KH696305 STATE: CA LIC: 9JIT659 at 8 AM

> TST7423/Order No: 18512 Auto Lien Sale

On 09/19/2024 at 1865 E 65TH ST LOS ANGELES, CA a Lien Sale will be held on a 2021 DODGE VIN: 2C3CDZFJ1MH603325 STATE: CA LIC: 9AFX277 at 8 AM

> TST7424/Order No: 18775 Auto Lien Sale

On 09/19/2024 at 6832 CRENSHAW BLVD LOS ANGELES, CA a Lien Sale will be held on a 2023 VOLK VIN: 1V2CMPE87PC017751 STATE: CA LIC: 9HOF450 at 8AM

> TST7425/Order No: 1148 Auto Lien Sale

On 09/20/2024 at 10632 SANTA FE SOUTH GATE, CA a Lien Sale will be held on a 2021 HONDA VIN: 19XFC2F84ME202802 STATE: CA LIC: 8XGM955 at 9AM

TST7418/Order No: 18264 TST7426/Order No: 1055

On 9/24/2024 at 4351 S BROADWAY LOS ANGELES, CA a Lien Sale will be STATE: CA LIC: MRKOOL3 at 9AM On 9/24/2024 at 652 E MANCHESTER AVE LOS ANGELES, CA a Lien Sale will be held on a 2023 TESLA STATE: CA LIC: 9IIT400 at 9AM

TST7394 / 2024 170285 FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

The following person is doing business as: PARADISE FRESH PRODUCE, 1306 LAWRENCE ST, FONTANA, CA. 90021. County: LOS ANGELES. Registrant: VIL-LELA LLC, 17079 LA TIERRA CIR, FON-TANA, CA. 92337. State of Incorporation/ Organization: CA. This business is conducted by: a Limited Liability Company. I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. Signed: HUAN E SALAS-VILLELA, PRESIDENT. The registrant has begun to use this fictitious business name. The registrant began using this fictitious business name in 07/2024. This statement was filed with the county clerk of Los Angeles County on Aug 13, 2024. NOTICE: This fictitious business

TST7399 Case No. 24STPB09300

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF: Deborah Carol Robinson 1. To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both of Deborah Carol Robinson 2. A Petition for Probate has been filed by Danielle Robinson in the Superior Court of California, County of Los Ange-

TST7407 / 2024 175751 FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

The following person is doing business as: SIERRA DAWN ENTERPRISES, 1941 DAWSON AVENUE, SIGNAL HILL, CA. 90755. County: LOS ANGELES. Registrant: LORI Y. WOODS, 1941 DDAWSON AVENUE, SIGNAL HILL, CA. 90755. State of Incorporation/Organization: N/A. This business is conducted by: Aan Individual. I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. Signed: LORI Y. WOODS, OWNER. The registrant has begun to use this fictitious business name. The registrant began using this fictitious business name in 08/2024. This statement was filed with the county clerk of Los Angeles County on 8/21/2024. NOTICE: This fictitious business name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the county clerk. A new fictitious business name statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name in violation of the rights of another

The Long Beach Unified School District is seeking bids from gualified vendors (Bidders), to provide HVAC Filters. The intent of this RFB is to select the most responsive and responsible Bidder and establish a one (1) year contract with an option to extend for up to two (2) additional one-year periods based on satisfactory service and performance. More information at: https://pbsystem.planetbids.com/portal/23758/portal-home. The deadline for submitting a bid is 9/25/2024 at 11:00 a.m.

PUBLIC SAFETY

Hours extended at cooling centers amid heat wave

Staff Report

Signal Tribune

As temperatures are expected to soar past 100 degrees this weekend, Long Beach has issued a heat alert and extended hours at its six cooling centers.

A heat alert is issued when the weather forecast exceeds 95 degrees for two consecutive days or an overnight high of 80 degrees for two consecutive nights. The Weather Channel has forecasted highs for Long Beach are 96 degrees on Thursday, 96 on Friday, and 98 on Saturday and Sunday.

Residents are strongly encouraged to take extra precautions to avoid heat exposure and heat-related illness and seek out air-conditioned spaces during peak heat hours.

Select community centers at parks and all Long Beach Public Library locations are available as des-

ignated cooling centers during their normal business hours. Residents are advised to contact community centers and library locations ahead of time to confirm they are open in the case of unexpected closures.



Several community centers' cooling centers will be open for extended hours, including the Long Beach Senior Center, to accommodate residents during the ongoing heat wave.

The following community centers' cooling centers will be open for extended hours from Thursday through Sunday:

Houghton Park (6301 Myrtle Ave.)

•Thursday, Sept. 5, through Friday, Sept. 6, from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. • Saturday, Sept. 7 through Sun-

day, Sept. 8, from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. El Dorado Park (2800 Studebaker Road)

•Thursday, Sept. 5, through Friday, Sept. 6, from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.

•Saturday, Sept. 7 through Sunday, Sept. 8, from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. Silverado Park (1545 W. 31st

St.) •Thursday, Sept. 5, through Fri-

day, Sept. From 6, 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. ·Saturday, Sept. 7 through Sun-

day, Sept. 8, from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. McBride Park - California Recreation Community Center (1550 Martin Luther King, Jr. Ave.) •Thursday, Sept. 5, through Fri-

day, Sept. 6, from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. • Saturday, Sept. 7 through Sun-

day, Sept. 8, from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. Long Beach Senior Center (1150 E. Fourth Street)

•Thursday, Sept. 5, through Friday, Sept. 6, from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

• Saturday, Sept. 7 through Sunday, Sept. 8, from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m.



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NEW BUSINESSES

Boxing studio, Spanish seafood restaurant and beauty brand among new 2nd & PCH tenants

Staff Report

Signal Tribune

Long Beach shopping center 2nd & PCH plans to welcome a quintet of new tenants before the year ends.

Fitness studio Rumble Boxing has already opened and Spanish restaurant Telefèric Barcelona will officially open next week at 2nd & PCH. Three additional stores will open within the next few months.

Rumble Boxing, owned by SoCal native Chris Suder, has opened on the ground level of 2nd & PCH. The fitness center offers boxing, HIIT (High Intensity Interval Training) and strength training classes, as well as free introductory sessions for prospective new members.

Telefèric Barcelona, which is set to host its grand opening on Sept. 13, can also be found on the ground level of 2nd & PCH. The eatery boasts a Catalan-inspired menu with tapas, sangrias, paellas and grilled octopus along with a coastal Mediterranean-inspired interior.

The following stores will also open at 2nd & PCH in 2024:



Rumble Boxing has recently opened its business at 2nd and PCH, one of five new establishments set to open this year at the shopping center.

TravisMathew - This Huntington Beach-based company specializes in active-wear golf clothing that blends athletic comfort with lifestyle aesthetics.

Bluemercury – This cosmetics company offers a wide-range of beauty products from skincare to fragrances, with a focus on self-care items and specialty beauty services.

SWTHZ - At SWTHZ (pronounced SweatHouz), the focus is fully on wellness with several ways to unwind: cold plunges, hydro-massages and redlight therapy.

College students can connect with urban planning pros through new paid internship

for up to 600 program hours.

"By empowering urban design and civic engagement students, we are nurturing the next generation of leaders and ensuring that the urban landscape reflects the diverse voices and visions of our community," said Mayor Rex Richardson in a public statement.

This program is open to students ages 18 to 30 who are currently in community college or a four-year university program majoring in urban planning, architecture or a similar study. Interns must have reliable transportation. Long Beach residents as well as students living in low-income and underserved communities will receive priority for the program.

Further eligibility details and participant requirements can be found on the Long Beach Urban Design and Civic Engagement Internship Program webpage. Applications can be completed online now through Sept. 19. Scan the QR Code below to view the appliation:



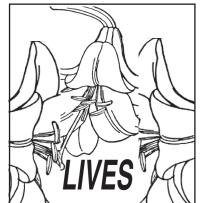
Pet of the week: Jelly

Is Jelly winking at us? Does she know something that we don't know? Maybe! If Jelly could talk, she'd tell you that cats with one eye are just as affectionate and

playful as cats with two eyes! Jelly, a 3-month-old domestic shorthair, came to Long Beach Animal Care Services with a bad left eye, which had to be removed. But that hasn't stopped her from living life to the fullest! She loves to play and cuddle with the volunteers and also entertains herself when no one's around. Is she sweet? Would she be named Jelly if she weren't? To adopt

or foster Jelly, email Pet-Adopt@longbeach.gov to speed the process, or call (562) 570-7387. Better yet,

meet them in person at Long Beach Animal Care Services, 7700 E. Spring St., Long Beach, at entrance to El Dorado Park (no parking fee for shelter visitors). Visiting hours are Wednesday-Friday, 10 a.m.-5:30 p.m., and Saturday-Sunday, 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Ask for ID#A722966.



College students studying urban

planning and civic engagement can

apply for a paid internship through

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opportunities. Internships will be assigned through Future LB alongside the Long Beach Community Design Center and Civic Confidence LLC.

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