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CLUB OF LONG BEACH

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Kiwanis Objects

To give primacy to the human and spiritual rather than to the material values of life.

To encourage the daily living of the Golden Rule in all human relationships.

To promote the adoption and the application of higher social, business and professional standards.

To develop, by precept and example, a more intelligent, aggressive and serviceable citizenship.

To provide, through Kiwanis clubs, a practical means to form enduring friendships, to render altruistic service and to build better communities.

To cooperate in creating and maintaining that sound public opinion and high idealism which make possible the increase of righteousness, justice, patriotism and goodwill.



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FOR INFORMATION**



NEXT CLUB MEETING

SEPT 20, 2022

TUESDAY - 12:00 P.M.

SPEAKER DAVE RIGBY

Dave Rigby is a native of New York. He was born in Auburn, raised in Syracuse and moved to New York City when he was in high school. He attended New York Institute of technology where he majored in art. In 1975, after his divorce, Dave bought an old junk heap (nicknamed the Del Rey bomber) and drove to a new life in California. He landed a job at Mattel Toys and continued in high tech, first as an employee then as a consultant to several well-known firms.

After a 30+ year career in high tech, he retired, but in 2002, his wife, Hilda, started a business - Minuteman Press of Long Beach and, finally, Dave put his artistic talent to work as the graphic designer for the firm. It was during his stint at Minuteman Press that Dave joined Kiwanis. He was a member from 2004 through 2012 serving in various board positions for most of those years. To this day, he talks about how much he enjoyed interviewing the scholarship candidates - they were so impressive.

They sold their Minuteman Press franchise and retired (again) in September of 2021. Shortly thereafter, Dave set to work on his life-long desire to write a book. That effort culminated in his first novel, a murder mystery that takes place in his old stomping grounds of New York City. It is titled Doubling Down on Death and he is currently working on a sequel.

SEPT 13 - ZOOM

**The Grand Event Center
4101 E. Willow St. Long Beach, CA 90815**

"Give whatever you are doing and whoever you are with the gift of your attention."

KIWANIS EDUCATION SPOT- LIGHT

SPECIAL NOTE

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Please contact: **KiwanisLB@aol.com** to VOLUNTEER.



Kiwanis Kalendar

2021 -2022

2022-2023 NEW KIWANIS YEAR

Oct. 22 - Kids and Cops

JOIN US AS WE HELP
KIDS AROUND THE
WORLD

FUTURE MEETINGS 2022

Sept 20 - Dave Rigby
Sept 23 - Division 13
Lt. Governor Installation
Dinner - Rick Pinson
Oct 4 - Installation Incoming
President Beth Roach

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dbudai72@gmail.com

SEPTEMBER 2022

Su	Mo	Tue	We	Th	Fri	Sat
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4	5	DRK	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
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25	26	27	28	29	30	

SERVICE PROJECTS 2021

Oct 13, 2022 - Lydia House

PLEASE SEE
PG. 6
FOR MORE SERVICE
OPPORTUNITIES

Check out our Web
Site.

<https://www.longbeachkiwanis.org>

BOARD MEETING ZOOM

Next Meeting

Sept 13, 2022@ 1200

[https://us02web.zoom.us/j/3694702214?](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/3694702214?pwd=VFZlZjd2cFJpb3c1TVl2MC95eWt1Zz09)
[pwd=VFZlZjd2cFJpb3c1TVl2](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/3694702214?pwd=VFZlZjd2cFJpb3c1TVl2MC95eWt1Zz09)
[MC95eWt1Zz09](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/3694702214?pwd=VFZlZjd2cFJpb3c1TVl2MC95eWt1Zz09)

Meeting ID: 369 470 2214
Passcode: 6Rcd3B

Veteran's Bingo Schedule PENDING

Volunteer to help Older Veteran men and women who are either mentally or physically impaired. Volunteers are needed to: Hand out cash prize awards; Set up the food—pizza is delivered; Serve refreshments—soda, coffee, candies; Work the room answering questions of bingo play. Bingo is held at the Veteran's Hospital Nursing Facility 7th and Bellflower, Long Beach.

Kiwanis International
California-Nevada-Hawaii District
Division 13

SAVE THE DATE:

Installation Dinner of

Rick Pinson

2022-2023 Division 13 Lt. Governor

SEPTEMBER 23, 2022, 6:00 P.M.

THE GRAND EVENT CENTER

4101 E Willow St, Long Beach, CA 90815

\$45.00 - cash or check at the door

Questions? Contact Pam

Dingwell: pedingwell@hotmail.com

Or text/call by phone at (562) 506-6286



KIDS AND COPS

After a long 'break' because of COVID, Manuel Campos is beginning the planning for our Fourth signature service project Kids and Cops! It will be on Saturday, **Oct. 22** at Hamilton High School.

This is our club's signature service project, and it has now become a Division 13 project as well because of its past success. Other Division clubs such as Downey are working on their own versions of it (and we will have volunteers from the other Division clubs helping us as well).

WE NEED AS MANY VOLUNTEERS FROM OUR CLUB AS POSSIBLE!! There are a number of roles which need people. In the past, our club has especially filled the roles of 'team captain' where you will organize and shepherd 2-3 teams of 5-6 students and 2 cops around a schedule of games and 'Talk to the Cop' sessions, but there are many other needs also.

Please let us know of your willingness to volunteer ASAP!

**The Meeting schedule:
6:00 P.M.**

**September 28th; October 4th
October 12th; October 19th**

Meeting Location

FRIDAYS

7221 Carson Blvd Long Beach Ca. 90808



**We have a SITE VISITATION planned for all committee members
for this coming Wednesday! NO MEETING**

**Date: September 14th
Time: 1:00 pm
Location: Franklin Middle School
540 Cerritos Ave,
Long Beach,
CA 90802**

SPECIAL PROJECTS YOUR TURN TO BE INVOLVED

NOTE: !!!!!!!!!!!

KEY CLUB ADVISORS/CHAPERONES The Kiwanis Club of Long Beach sponsors Kiwanis Key Clubs at seven Long Beach High Schools (Browning, Cabrillo, McBride, Millikan, Poly, Sato, and Wilson). A Kiwanis member is assigned to each of these Key Clubs as Club Advisors and we are working to get them more involved in their club's activities.

CHAPERONES are needed for Key Club Events through-out the year.

GREAT OPPORTUNITIES TO GET INVOLVED

LYDIA HOUSE, 2nd Thur. every month Oct. 13, 2022

NEED VOLUNTEERS !!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

We again hope to provide dinner to the ladies and their children at the Lydia House shelter, 28+ women and 10 children. **To participate contact Maria Elena Rincon** (our Lydia House Chair.

mariaelenarincon2@gmail.com

SALVATION ARMY volunteer opportunity sorting and storing food from **FOOD FINDERS**.

We would like to make this an ongoing service project on the third Monday of each month from 10am - noon. Contact Melinda at Melinda.lankford@usw.salvationarmy.org if interested, a signup sheet will also be at each meeting.

The Salvation Army's free 6-month **ADULT REHABILITATION CENTER** here in Long Beach is looking to get the word out to local service groups to make sure everyone knows they can recommend people to our drug and alcohol rehabilitation program. We are just making sure everyone is aware of this resource.

KIDS AND COPS - OCTOBER 22, 2022

NEED CHILDREN'S BOOKS to present
to the Children's Clinic in honor of our weekly
speakers.





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Club of Long Beach

We celebrate 104 years of supporting our Long Beach Key Clubs, CSULB Circle K and seven high school graduates with scholarships & awards.

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We are proud to be a part of Long Beach Gives 2022 and ask you to help Kiwanis continue our sponsored youth programs by donating on Thursday, September 22, Long Beach Gives Day of Giving.

LONG BEACH Gives

SEPTEMBER 22, 2022

FLASH

USE AMAZON SMILE

<https://smile.amazon.com/>

Instead of AMAZON
Same Selections and Prices, but will donate to **CLUB!**

UNDER “supporting”

Designate
Long Beach Kiwanis Club Foundation



LONG BEACH FIRE DEPARTMENT FIRE SAFETY HOUSE

Our 2021 - 2022 Leadership Team

2021-2022 Club Officers

President: **Maria Elena Rincon**
President-Elect: **Beth Roach**
Immediate Past President: **Don Budai**
V. P. of Committees: **Bob Stewart**
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V. P. of Administration: **Pam Dingwell**
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Secretary: **Andrea Sulsona**
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Assistant Administration: **Remy Rincon**
Treasurer: **Sun Sun Lin**

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President: **Beth Roach**
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Foundation Board of Directors Club Officers

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Chair: **Eric Hartman**
Treasurer: **Sun Sun Lin**
Sue Baker, Don Budai, David Armes, Pat Appleby

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email: kiwanislbca@gmail.com

JOKE FOR THE WEEK

My wife and I were living in Cambridge, Massachusetts - The quintessential college town. Rushing through the supermarket check-out, we didn't notice we were in a 12 - item line and what we had was way over the limit.

The weary cashier looked at all our groceries. "Are you from Harvard and can't count or from MIT and can't read?"



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Please contact: kiwanislbc@gmail.com to **VOLUNTEER OR JOIN.**

Get Ready to help children and families in your community? Ready to change the world?
Kiwanis is ready for you!

Try these tips for contacting the Long Beach Kiwanis club:

Visit our club. Ask about visiting a Kiwanis meeting—or offer to speak at a meeting. It's an excellent way to learn about Kiwanis, make contacts and let Kiwanis members know more about you. Explore Kiwanis culture. Kiwanis clubs are volunteer-based. Traditionally, club meetings take place once a week and offer an atmosphere of fun, learning and fellowship. Kiwanis members typically volunteer each month to assist with club service projects. In a typical year, Kiwanis clubs worldwide organize more than 150,000 service projects—both locally and globally—and Kiwanis members dedicate more than 12 million hours of service

MEMBERSHIP CATEGORIES

A. INDIVIDUAL ACTIVE MEMBERSHIP

B. FAMILY/TEAM MEMBERSHIP (Minimum 2 members)

C. SERVICE MEMBERSHIP (Unable to attend lunch mtgs, participate in service activities)

D. CORPORATE MEMBERSHIP (Corp. is Member, names individual as "Active Member")

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MEMBERS TO ADVERTISE
FEATURING A MEMBER'S BUSINESS**

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(562) 597-5029 WORK

**UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE
THE DAYS OF THE WEEK ARE
NOW CALLED, THISDAY, THAT-
DAY, OTHERDAY, SOMEDAY,
YESTERDAY,
TODAY & NEXTDAY**

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