



ROTARYGRAM

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Upcoming Events

- Wednesday, July 19th from 12:00-1:30pm: Weekly Lunch Meeting (every Wednesday)
Speaker Michelle Boehm on *High-Speed Rail: Connecting California*
Queen Mary Grand Salon, 1126 Queens Highway, LB 90802
- Wednesday, July 26th from 12:00-1:30pm: OFFSITE Weekly Lunch Meeting (every Wednesday)
Celebrating our Centennial Park with speaker Deputy Chief Richard Conant & K-9 Unit
LB Rotary Centennial Park, E. Pacific Coast Highway (between Cherry and Junipero)
- Thursday, July 27th from 6:00-7:30pm: Rotary Revealed (formerly known as Information Meeting),
2827 E. 1st Street, LB 90803 - bring prospective members
- Sunday, July 30th from 4:00-6:00pm: Ronald McDonald Sunday Meal Preparation (the last Sunday
of the month, every other month) - Contact Randy Gordon to help
500 E. 27th St. (near Atlantic), LB 90806
- Wednesday, August 2nd from 12:00-1:30pm: Weekly Lunch Meeting (every Wednesday)
Courageous Citizen Awards with LA DA Jackie Lacey
Queen Mary Grand Salon, 1126 Queens Highway, LB 90802
- Thursday, August 3rd from 5:30-7:30pm: *It's 5 O'Clock Somewhere* (the first Thursday of every
month) TBA

***This Week's Lunch Meeting -
July 19 - 12 noon - Michelle
Boehm, High-Speed Rail:
Connecting California***



As Regional Director for the California High-Speed Rail Authority, Michelle will cover the state's plans to build a modern high-speed rail system and how it will compliment other local and regional plans to improve mobility in LA County. Michelle is a Long Beach native.

This Week's Birthdays

July 18 - **Willetta McCulloh** (Environ Architecture, Architecture and Interior Planning & Design)

July 18 - **Brian Russell** (Coldwell Banker Commercial BLAIR WESTMAC, Real Estate-Commercial & Investment)

July 19- **Sean Miller** (Farmers & Merchants Trust Co., Banking - Trust Services)

July 20 - **Freda Hinsche Otto** (Hinsche Otto Consulting, Consultant - Charitable)

July 21 - **Bob Davis** (Glen E. Thomas Co., Automobiles - Retail)

July 22 - **Bob Luskin** (The Luskin Company, Real Estate - Property Management - Residential)

July 23 - **Braden Phillips** (Retired, Government-Municipal-Public Safety-Police)

President's Message



Our distinguished member Mayor Garcia kicked off our year with a sonic boom. We could all feel the positive energy surging throughout our first meeting.

Later that day John Romundstad hosted a Rotary 101 Past Presidents Reception which brought vitality and utility of purpose to our grand tradition of educating our members.

Join us this week to learn about modernizing transportation infrastructure by the way of high-speed rail.

Please remember to RSVP right away for our lunch meeting in Centennial Park on July 26th, as we need to square away catering. Mark Bixby will smile from heaven as fine Rotarians carry his spirit into keeping our park alive. Show up and bring others!

Rotary Club of Long Beach usually meets every Wednesday
at 12:00 noon on the Queen Mary
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