



ROTARYGRAM

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Upcoming Events

- Wednesday, November 29 from 12noon-1:30pm: Weekly Lunch Meeting
Steve Shaul and the PCH & 2nd Street Project
Queen Mary, Grand Salon (1126 Queens Hwy., 90802)
- Thursday, November 30 from 6:00pm-7:45pm: Rotary Revealed (Information Meeting)
Contact Lydia Vincenty-Lowell at 562-716-4009. Hosted by Ed Arnold (25 Laguna Place)
- Saturday, December 2 from 3:00pm to Parade start: Pre-Christmas Parade Party hosted by Mollie and Larry Beck (4427 E. 1st St.). Whether you plan to walk with the LB Rotary club flotilla or cheer from the sidelines, "warm up" at the Becks' home---just a few hundred yards away from where we'll be starting the parade.
- Saturday, December 2 approx. 6:00pm-9:00pm: Belmont Shore Christmas Parade
Walk with the LB Rotary flotilla---red convertible driven by Terry Geiling and Lance Kenyon and *The Hammered Nails* performing.
- Wednesday, December 6 from 12noon-1:30pm: Weekly Lunch Meeting
Speaker to be confirmed
Queen Mary, Grand Salon (1126 Queens Hwy., 90802)
- Wednesday, December 13 from 12noon-1:30pm: Weekly Lunch Meeting
President-elect Gail Schwandner Board Revelation and Announcement of President #104
Queen Mary, Queens Salon (1126 Queens Hwy., 90802)
- Wednesday, December 20 from 12noon-1:30pm: Weekly Lunch Meeting
Holiday Lunch Program (invitations will be emailed)
Queen Mary, Queens Salon (1126 Queens Hwy., 90802)

**This Week's Lunch Program -
Wednesday - November 29 - 2nd St.
& PCH Development Project - Steve
Shaul, Centercal Properties**



Steve Shaul - Sr. Director,
Development, Centercal Prop.

The demolition of the SeaPort Marina Hotel is just the start of the project taking place on the southeast corner of 2nd Street and Pacific Coast Highway. A new shopping/dining complex will bring 95,000 square feet of new retail to the neighborhood, along with 70,000 square feet of restaurant space, a fitness center, and cavernous 55,000 square feet of Whole Foods. Steve Shaul has over 25 years of experience in commercial real estate. He grew up in the San Gabriel Valley and now lives in Rancho Palos Verdes.

Upcoming Birthdays

Nov. 27 - **Theresa Brunella** - LBCC Senior Studies, Consultant - Non-Profit Community Outreach

Nov. 28 - **James Naccarato** - Iconography Custom Signs & Graphics, Signs & Graphics - Custom

Dec. 1 - **Lou Anne Bynum** - Retired, Education-LBCC-Economic Development

Dec. 1 - **Denae Oatey** - Madden, Jones, Cole & Johnson, Attorney at Law - Estate Planning & Taxation

Dec. 2 - **Robert Garcia** - City of Long Beach, Government - Municipal - Mayor

Dec. 3 - **Lydia Vincenty-Lowell** - American Financial Group, Real Estate - Mortgage Loans



**President's
Message**

We are all excited to step into the cold, December air and enjoy a great evening with friends and family this Saturday. The Belmont Shore Christmas Parade has an energy that invigorates the soul while boldly announcing that California winter and all it entails has arrived in force. As we planned this year it was very important for us to find a place for Rotarians to rally and have a few pops before the parade started. All of the night's energy needed to be collected in one place, if even for just a moment or two. Thanks to President Nominee Mollie and Larry Beck our vision has become a reality. Holiday cheers to Katherine Peoples-McGill who chairs our Christmas Parade Committee; Past President Terry Geiling who will chauffeur Hope and me through throngs of revelers; Lance Kenyon and the Hammered Nails who jingle bell rock; and everyone marching in step with Community Service Director Lynne Wainfan or pulling back a glass with Fellowship Director Steve Hockett. Break out your advent calendars and get ready for a great December.

[Pre - Christmas Parade Party - December 2](#)

The annual Belmont Shore Christmas Parade takes place on Saturday, December 2. Long Beach Rotary will have its own flotilla with Terry Geiling's red convertible and flat-bed truck for Lance Kenyon and *The Hammered Nails* performing. We hope that many of you will bring your families and friends to walk along.

To warm you up beforehand, come to the pre-Parade party. Mollie and Larry Beck are hosting at 4427 E. 1st Street ---- very conveniently located near the start of the Christmas Parade. Party starts at 3:00pm so that you can find parking before the parade crowd. Please bring an appetizer and bottle of wine to share.

Whether you plan to walk in the parade and cheer from the sidelines, this party is the best way to connect and celebrate before the Parade begins.

Rotary Club of Long Beach usually meets every Wednesday at 12:00 noon on the Queen Mary (1126 Queens Hwy., Long Beach, CA 90802)
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