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Club Meeting

Long Beach Meets at THE GRAND 4101 E Willow Street Long Beach, CA 90815 Time: Wednesday at 12:00 PM

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This Week's Program

Wednesday, May 25

What Is A Ghost Kitchen and How Is Partake Collective Innovating the Hospitality Industry?

Adam Carrillo, CEO

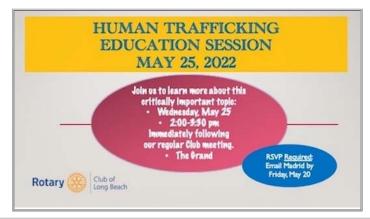
12:00 Noon - LUNCH 12:30 - 1:30 p.m. - Program



Adam Carrillo is the CEO for Partake Collective, a Ghost Kitchen Developer and Operator opening their first location in Downtown Long Beach, Summer 2022. Partake Collective provides an entrepreneurial environment where chefs and aspiring chefs can start, launch, and expand their foodbased businesses. With a second location under construction in Glassell Park, Partake will provide an ecosystem of modules that support and complement each other such as individual Ghost Kitchens, Communal Kitchens, and in some locations a Test Kitchen, Pop-up Restaurant space, and an Outdoor Patio space.

Adam is the current Board Chair for the Institute for Innovation & Entrepreneurship at Cal State Long Beach and is appointed to the City of Irvine's Innovation Council by Mayor Farrah Kahn. In 2020, he was nominated by LA County Supervisor Janice Hahn to the Board of Supervisors Economic Resiliency Task Force. Previously, Adam was an Executive Board Member for Long Beach Transit and was the President of the Long Beach Commercial Real Estate Council. Adam received his B.S. from Cal State Dominguez Hills, and lives with his wife, three sons, and their new Australian Shepherd puppy in Long Beach.

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President 105's Post #45

By Dennis C. Smith

On Thursday you should have received an email concerning changes to our Club's bylaws. As mentioned in the memo linked in the email, there are some minor changes to the bylaws, and some significant changes.

The most significant changes that impact our Club and membership are in regards to the Membership/Classification Committee. This committee is composed of all Past Presidents, the current President, and future Presidents who have been announced to the Club. This committee has the authority to approve or disapprove applications for membership.

Up to now, when an application for membership is submitted, the Executive Director, Madrid, passes the application along to the Chair of the Membership/Classification Committee, who then disseminates to the members of the committee. Members then reply with a vote either in favor or not in favor of the applicant's membership, as well any comments they have that might be pertinent to membership.

While it has not happened in anyone's recent memory, our current bylaws allow any one member of the Membership/Classification Committee to block an application for membership. This is the primary reason the bylaws were reviewed and amended, to prevent one person from denying membership to another person. With the changes in the amended bylaws presented to you, the Membership/Classification Committee will now make a recommendation to the Board of Directors for applicants, and if there are any issues or concerns that anyone in the Club's Presidential line may

have with an applicant they can be addressed, but the application can still move forward.

As the Club's bylaws were being reviewed and amended, so to are the bylaws for the Long Beach Rotary Charitable Foundation. Among the changes being considered is expanding the LBRCF Board of Directors. From its inception, the LBRCF Board is composed of members chosen by Presidents-elect, each P-E appointing two members. To include more input from membership, a proposed amendment to the bylaws is to add six more members to the board, chosen by either the Club's Board of Directors, or the entire Club by ballot.

Over the past few years, the President's Council has been discussing, and implementing, changes to our Club that expand member opportunities, improve governance, and increase our support for the community. These changes to the governing documents of our Club and Foundation are the result of these discussions.

We are Long Beach Rotary,



Upcoming Events - Click Title for More Info and for Meeting RSVP

Long Beach Weekly Club Meeting
Speaker: Adam Carrillo
Subject: What is a Ghost Kitchen and How is Partake
Subject: A Behind-the-Scenes look at Long Beach's Collective Innovating the Hospitality Industry?

Centennial Park Monthly Clean-up

2nd Largest Event

Presidents' Party and Demotion of President

Long Beach Weekly Club Meeting

June 9th Long Beach Weekly Club Meeting 5 O'Clock Somewhere Mixer Speaker: Rhonda Sher Subject: Face Reading: More than Meets the Eye

Birthdays This Week - Click Name to Send a Greeting



Robert A. Steuber May 26th

Jane Close Conoley



Nick Sramek May 28th

May 31st

John M. Graham III



Suny Lay Chang May 29th



Gregory J. Burnight May 30th

May 31st

Club Leadership - Click Name to Send a Message



Dennis C. Smith



<u>Dana A. Buchanan</u> Assistant to the President



Dorian Bolick Vice Presiden



Robyn Gordon-Peterson Vice President



Daniel Bruce Lipton Vice President



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Anthony J. Gales Secretary Treasurer



Aaron Anthony Blackburn



Gregory J. Burnight Sergeant at Arms



Brett Lewis



Gaia Valentino



Sergeant at Arms



Richard Gibson Club Service Director



Sergeant at Arms



Sergeant at Arms



Henry C. Fung Career Service Director













<u>Tina Barry</u> Community Service Director



<u>Steve M. Hockett</u> Fellowship Service Director President-designate



<u>Freda Hinsche Otto</u> <u>International Service Director</u>



Membership Service Director



Christopher Yco Youth Service Director



Matthew L. Kinley iPast President







Michele A. Dobson President-nominee



Madrid Zimmerman Club Executive Director Club Executive Secretary



<u>Judy Ross</u> Rotary Foundation Chair



Wayne C. Slavitt Rotary Foundation Chair

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