



Rotary



Club of Long Beach



SERVE TO CHANGE LIVES

Club Meeting

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

If you are unable to attend in person but can join us via Zoom, please email madrid@rotarylongbeach.org before 9:00am Wednesday for the link.

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Did You Know...

RSVP as soon as you can for ANY future RCLB Meetings, ALL September meetings, etc. please, we must order ahead for seating/room set up thank you!

SAVE THE DATE!
Wednesday, September 29
Field Trip to Catalina
Joint Meeting with Avalon Rotary Club
Catalina Island Conservancy Presentation

ShelterBox site link
for Rotarians helping with earthquake relief in Haiti
https://www.shelterboxusa.org/2021-haiti-earthquake

This Week's Program

Wednesday, August 25

How to Send a Student to College Without Losing Your Mind or Your Money
Shellee Howard, College Ready Founder/CEO

12:00pm - Lunch
12:30 - 1:30pm - Program

Even if on the Meal Plan, please RSVP in advance!

Due to recent health and safety changes for indoor meetings:
Masks are required for everyone, whenever you are not at your table, eating.



Shellee Howard is the owner and president of College Ready. She is a college graduate and is a Certified Educational Planner. Shellee has a son who graduated from Harvard in the spring of 2016 debt free! Her son is currently a third-year medical student at UC San Diego.

Her daughter completed her freshman year at the University of Alabama and will complete her Nursing degree this year. Shellee has traveled around the world helping students plan for their perfect match college. She knows what it takes to compete in the Ivy schools as well as finding the best fit for all students. Shellee believes that no two students are the same and each student must have their own strategy and plan to be successful. Each student has a gift/talent and a passion that will set him or her apart from their competition. Getting to know your student one on one is the key to success. This can be done in person or via Zoom. College Ready has clients all over the world and each one is important. Her focus is to find the best academic, financial and social fit college for each student to thrive at and graduate debt free!

President 105's Post #8

By Dennis C. Smith



The Rotary Club of Long Beach is blessed with an abundance of resources, wisdom, experience and support. This was on display at our meeting on Wednesday.

Our scheduled speaker communicated with us early Wednesday morning that he was unable to attend as he was exposed to COVID by one of his students (he teaches at a small college). The timing was too short to arrange a video presentation so he is being scheduled later in the year.

Past President Greg Burnight (#99) volunteered to be our speaker and discuss the importance of estate planning. With no notes, Burnight covered a wide range of topics that we all need to be aware of and take action on to protect ourselves and our families: healthcare directives, asset protection, designated beneficiaries, powers of attorney, and much more.

During his talk, he mentioned several times, consult with your financial advisor, accountant and other professionals to make sure that everyone is working together. Our Club has members that work in all of these professions.

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Did You Know...

EXCHANGE OF CLUB BANNERS/FLAGS

Did you ever wonder about the small flag centerpieces on our lunch tables?

One of the colorful traditions of many Rotary clubs is the exchange of small banners, flags or pennants. Rotarians traveling to distant locations often take banners to exchange at "make up" meetings as a token of friendship. Many clubs use the decorative banners they have received for attractive displays at club meetings and district events.

The Rotary International Board recognized the growing popularity of the banner exchange back in 1959 and suggested that those clubs which participate in such exchanges give careful thought to the design of their banners in order that they be distinctive and expressive of the community and country of which the club is a part. It is recommended that banners include pictures, slogans or designs which portray the territorial area of the club.

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

August 25th
Long Beach Weekly Club Meeting
Speaker: Shellee Howard, College Ready Founder/CEO
Subject: How to Send Your Student to College Without Losing Your Mind or Your Money

RSVP TODAY

September 8th

August 26th
LB Rotary at Municipal Band Concert
Long Beach Municipal Band
"A Celebration Through Music - Honoring Larry Curtis"
Marine Stadium Park - 6:30pm

September 9th

September 1st
Long Beach Weekly Club Meeting
Speaker: Rona Barrett, Hollywood Journalistic Legend
Subject: Small Town Girl to Hollywood Powerhouse To Most Important Calling of Her Life

RSVP by August 25

September 11th

September 2nd
Rotary Revealed Information Meeting
Speaker: For Prospects and New Members
Subject: Information on the Rotary Club of Long Beach

September 15th

RSVP by September 1

RSVP by September 8

Birthdays This Week - Click Name to Send a Greeting



[Richard C. Dempsey](#)
August 25th



[Brandon Hovard](#)
August 28th



[Kevin M. Tiber](#)
August 29th



[Dale C. Whitney](#)
August 30th



[Donald J. Trojan](#)
August 31st



[Debra Kahookole](#)
August 31st

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