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Happenings

Sea Base Deck Remodeled
Brand new second-story deck at the Sea Base! After several months of work, we are happy to announce the deck is open again for use. New railings installed, a fresh paint job, and new light fixtures installed. Come on down for a tour of the Sea Base or visit us during our summer camp programs. Check out photos at www.flickr.com/photos/longbeachbsa

ScoutReach in Long Beach
Cambodian Parade
On Sunday, April 12 over a dozen ScoutReach youth participated in the Cambodian New Year Parade. 5th District Councilwoman Stacy Mungo specifically requested that Scouts ride with her on a vintage fire truck. Scouts enjoyed authentic food, entertainment, and cultural vendors. Youth also got a chance to meet 6th District Councilman Dee Andrews, Long Beach Police Chief Robert Luna, and Los Angeles Sheriff Jim McDonnell. Way to represent Scouting in the community!

51 Eagle Scouts Featured in Long Beach 908 Magazine
Local publication Long Beach 908 featured 51 Eagle Scout projects in its recent April issue. All projects were completed in East Long Beach over the last few years. Projects benefited local schools, churches, public departments, and libraries. The positive impact Scouting – and especially Eagle Scouts – has on the fabric of the community is truly amazing. Even more, without exception, all Eagle Scouts have gone on to meaningful educational and career experiences. Residents in the 90803, 90808, and 90815 zip codes received a copy of the magazine on their doorsteps. Check our website for the online version.

Scout Activities - Training - Events

Derby Championship Winners
Over 70 Cub Scouts participated in the 1st Annual Derby Championships in April. Congratulations to all pack winners, and a special high five to the Top 3 Council winners: third place Nathan T. Pack 88, second place Jack C Pack 78, and overall champion Owen D Pack 206. A huge thank you to Randy Johnson with Harbor Chevrolet for hosting the event and to event Chair John McIntosh with his group of dedicated volunteers who helped make the day very special.

Distinguished Citizen Dinner
On June 3, the Boy Scouts will honor Long Beach firm Moffatt & Nichol with the Good Scout of the Year award. Your business company, or employer can participate: table sponsorships and congratulatory ads available. Proceeds support our local Scouting programs. Check website at longbeachbsa.org/activities

Venturing Regatta August 15
Calling all Venture Scouts. Join us for a fun day at the Sea Base competing against other Venture Crews. It’s an all day event that includes a barbecue lunch. Go to the council website for more information

Scout Shop Corner
Heard about the new Cub Scouting Program? We have all new books, leader’s guides, and awards in stock! Come check us out Tuesday – Friday 11:30-6pm and Saturdays 9am-3pm. Call in advance, and we’ll have your order ready for pick up! (562) 427-0911 x 230.
Cub Day Camp 2015
District day camps are back! Three weeks of day camp available for cub scouts: July 6-10, July 20-24, and July 27-31. Register before June 6 for early-bird pricing! Each week will have different activities. Sign up for one week or all three. A safe, trusted, and fun camp specifically run for Cub Scouts by parent volunteers very knowledgeable about Cub Scouting. Locations vary by district. Go to longbeachbsa.org/daycamp for more information.

Aquatics Day Camp
Seven weeks of aquatics camp for Boy Scouts! We offer 40+ merit badges. Earn up to 4 merit badges per week. Participate in fun competitions and themed Wednesdays. Staying cool at the beach, earn a few merit badges, and hang out with friends! Register before June 6 for early-bird pricing.

BONUS – Webelos and Cub Scouts also invited. Check the web for current schedules and cost.

Scout-O-Rama
The biggest Scouting event of the year is coming to Long Beach on Saturday, June 6. A large community fair for families and youth of all ages. Bring the family out for a day of fun. Open to the public at no cost! Games, activities, booths, vendors, and food on site. The theme this year is “Legacy, Honor, Service” so plan your booth accordingly! Check the web for more details.

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