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The Downtown Lions Club meets every Friday at noon at the Petroleum Club,
3636 Linden Ave., LB. Those occasions when we do not meet or meet elsewhere
are noted either on the web site or this weekly bulletin.

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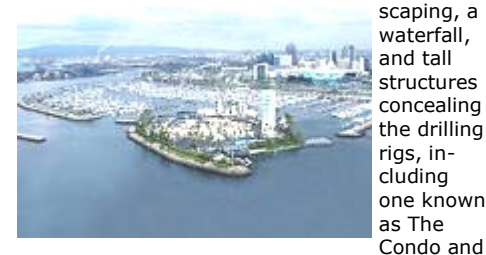
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THUMS OIL ISLANDS
The **THUMS Is-**
lands or **Astronaut Is-**
lands are a set of
four artificial islands in San
Pedro Bay off the coast
of Long Beach, California.
They were built in 1965 to
tap into the East Wilmington Oil Field. The
landscaping and sound walls were designed to
camouflage the operation and reduce noise,
and they are the only decorated oil islands in
the United States.

THUMS PIER J BOAT DOCK
1600 S. HARBOR SCENIC
DRIVE
Host: UDUAK NTUK
562-818-1500
Program Arranged by:
JERRY CALIGIURI

UDUAK NTUK
Uduak will serve as our
guide in order to share
history, operations, and
background information
about the Long Beach
THUMS Oil Islands. On

Page 3 there are directions to the
THUMS Pier J Boat Landing . Atten-
dees should stay on right hand side of
Harbor Scenic Drive and to avoid the
bridge past the Queen Mary in order to
get to the Pier J Boat Dock. Feel free to
call her on cell phone **(562) 818-**
1500 if you have any questions or you
get lost on the morning of the tour.
Other numbers are Lynette Fujimoto,
562-624-3381 or Boat Landing Security
562-624-3151.



We need to meet at the Pier J Boat
Landing Parking Lot by 9:30am. Prior
to boarding at 10:00am, we will view a
15-minute safety video. All will also be
issued hard hats and safety glasses to
be worn on the island at all times.
Please wear comfortable clothing and
low-heel, closed-toe shoes (**no san-**
dals or high heels permitted).
Bring a jacket or sweater as it can
be cool on the boat. Also, all partici-
pants must be able to withstand all
crew boat activities such as getting on
and off the boat, surge conditions, or
the constant motion of the ocean. No
one under the age of 12 years old is
allowed on the tour. The tour takes
approximately two hours.

Thanks to Wikipedia for this article.



Retrospective July 8, 2016

Petroleum Club, PCC ROGER POWELL presiding. Invocation: RUDY HEDGREN. Song/Spirit: PDG JUDITH OLMSTED POWELL. PIANO: ROB NICHOLS. ROGER intro'd guests ID HOWARD HUSTON, DG MANNY SANCHEZ, 2NDVDG JOHN NELSON, PDG CHRIS OHRMUND and Cabinet Secretary NANCY MCAFEE. ROGER encouraged sign ups for the Bellflower Noon Visitation, July 20. JERRY CALIGIURI did the same for the Oil Islands tour. ROGER thanked NANCY VOILS for the excellent centerpieces. CLAUDIA HARDEN asked that all attending the spcaLA meeting on July 15 bring a pet toy (no tennis balls, please) for a cat or dog. The 50/50, run by DONNA KELLY was won by MERLIN. ID HOWARD noted 36,000 attended the international convention and he was

named chair of the Finance Committee. Incoming IP Bob Corlew's motto for this year is "New mountains to climb". HOWARD commented on the direction of Lions and our roles in seeing them out. He then recognized each of last year's officers, thanked them for their service and discharged them all. He then intro'd each of this year's incoming officers, distilled the key elements of their job into a single characteristic and presented them with an appropriate can of soda, as in building fires under the membership became a can of Fiery Ginger Ale. Another was PB&J Soda. Another was Cock and Bull Ale. Another was Jolt. You got it. JERRY then laid out his direction for the upcoming year ("Reconnecting with the Community").



July 29—Laura Dodd, LB Auditor
Program Chair—CLAUDIA HARDEN
Greeter—TBA
Aug. 5—Karissa Sylvester, LB Transit

CALENDAR

July

19—Zone A meeting
22—Oil Islands Tour
25—Charities Committee
28—CSAC

August

1—Fundraising Committee
2—Membership Committee
2—Charities Committee
9—Board meeting
16—Zone A meeting
24—CSAC Meeting

September

2—Dark! Labor Day
5—Labor Day
6—Membership Committee
6—Charities Committee
13—Board meeting
20—Zone A Meeting
23—Dark, Day at the Races
24—Day at the Races
30—Skirball Museum tour

October

4—Membership Committee
4—Charities Committee
8—Health Fair, Friends In Sight
11—Board meeting
18—Zone A Meeting
26—CSAC

November

1—Membership Committee
1—Charities Committee
5—North LB Veterans Day Parade
8—Board Meeting
15—Zone A Meeting

December

6—Membership Committee
6—Charities Committee
13—Board meeting
20—Zone A Meeting
23—Dark! Christmas
25—Christmas
30—Dark! New Years

January

1—New Years
3—Membership Committee
3—Charities Committee

COMING SOON!

On September 24 we go to the races.
On September 30 we go to the Skirball Museum.
On October 8 we partner with Lions Friends In Sight for our 3rd(?) Health Fair. Both sponsors and volunteers are needed.

DIRECTIONS TO THUMS BOAT LANDING

Address: 1600 S. Harbor Scenic Drive, Long Beach, CA 90802

From the 710 Freeway

Take the 710 Freeway south towards Long Beach.

Stay in the right two lanes and take the split toward the Port/Queen Mary.

Exit onto Harbor Scenic Drive, Piers F&J, to the Queen Mary.

Stay in the far right lane

As you pass the Queen Mary on your left, you have an option to either go over a bridge or veer right and proceed on Harbor Scenic Drive under the bridge. You want to veer right and go under the bridge.

The entry to Thums Boat Landing is on the left approximately 1/2 mile from bridge.

Follow the road into the parking area.

Find any parking place and meet at the trailer in the parking lot.

If you get lost, call Lynette Fujimoto at (562) 624-3381 or the Boat Landing Security at (562) 624-3151.