



CITY OF LONG BEACH

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Dear City of Long Beach Residents:

After careful consultation with the Chief of Lifeguards, and in consideration of a multitude of factors, most of which are the result of Superstorm Sandy and working with the surfing community, the City Administration has finalized the Surfing Schedule for the 2013 summer season.

Of particular importance to the surfing community who use our City's beaches and to the residents and beach patrons in general, please note the following:

- During normal Beach Park operating hours, ALL surfers must have a valid beach pass.
- The Long Beach Police Department will conduct period "sweeps" of the Beach Park to insure that all patrons have valid beach passes. Those who do not have passes are subject to the issuance of a summons and/or removal from the Beach Park.
- During boardwalk construction, designated surfing beaches and hours are at the discretion of the City of Long Beach.
- Failure to follow rules and regulations set forth by the City of Long Beach and/or the Long Beach Lifeguard Patrol may result in removal from the Beach Park and/or the issuance of a summons and/or arrest by the Long Beach Police Department.
- Any, and all, adjustments to the 2013 Surfing Schedule are at the discretion of the City of Long Beach.

The City administration and the entire Long Beach community always look forward to the summer; going to the beach, enjoying the many activities and programs, the concerts and the fireworks. This summer is even more eagerly anticipated and the events of the past 6 months.

We encourage our residents and our visitors to join together to make the Summer of 2013 extra special. Let's make this summer safe and a summer we will all remember.

Sincerely,

Jack Schnirman
City Manager

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Surfing Beach Schedule – Summer 2013

All surfers must pay admission to the Beach Park and are subject to all Beach Park and Beach Patrol rules and regulations.

IMPORTANT NOTE: Due to ongoing reconstruction of the boardwalk, some beaches may be inaccessible and off limits to surfers for periods of time during the summer. Surfers and all beachgoers are asked to be mindful and understanding during these times of temporary beach closures, as we continue to recover from Sandy.

DESIGNATED SURFING AREAS, HOURS, AND YELLOW FLAG MARKERS

Continuing the successful policy from prior years, Surfing Beaches, Limited Hours Surfing Beaches, and other areas that are open to surfing will be marked clearly with yellow flags by the City of Long Beach Lifeguards, serving to visually notify residents and visitors where surfing is permitted. Beaches designated as All Hours shall be open to surfing at all times, 7 days a week. Beaches designated as Limited Hours shall be open to surfing until 12N, 7 days a week.

Surfers are hereby instructed that when the yellow flags are taken down on a limited hours beach, surfing in that area has ended and they must exit the water promptly. Lifeguards shall give a 10 minute warning prior to taking the flags down to indicate when surfing hours are ending. Surfers on any beach who fail exit the water or promptly paddle or walk to an adjacent surfing beach when instructed by lifeguards or other beach park personnel shall be subject to fines.

PERMANENT SURFING BEACHES - SEVEN DAYS A WEEK

Surfing is permitted 7 days a week on the following beaches:

Lincoln Blvd to Monroe Blvd - All Hours

Maple Blvd to Pacific Blvd to the East of the of the swimming area - All Hours

Roosevelt Blvd to Neptune Blvd - Limited Hours (Until 12N)

ROTATING 7 DAY PER WEEK SURFING BEACH SCHEDULE

Sat-Sun May 25-26

Magnolia Blvd to Laurelton Blvd – All Hours

Washington Blvd to Lindell Blvd – All Hours

Ohio Beach (Georgia to Nevada) – All Hours

Mon May 27

Laurelton Blvd to Lafayette Blvd – All Hours

Lindell Blvd to Grand Blvd – All Hours

Maryland Beach (Maryland to Georgia) – All Hours

Sat-Sun June 1-2

Laurelton Blvd to Lafayette Blvd – All Hours

Lindell Blvd to Grand Blvd – All Hours

New York Beach (NY to Arizona) – All Hours

Sat-Sun June 8-9

Magnolia Blvd to Laurelton Blvd – All Hours

Washington Blvd to Lindell Blvd – All Hours

Arizona Beach (Arizona to Wyoming) – All Hours

Sat-Sun June 15-16

Laurelton Blvd to Lafayette Blvd – All Hours

Lindell Blvd to Grand Blvd – All Hours

Tennessee Beach (Tennessee to Maryland) – All Hours

Sat June 22 – Fri June 28

Magnolia Blvd to Laurelton Blvd – All Hours
Washington Blvd to Lindell Blvd – All Hours
Maryland Beach (Maryland to Georgia) – All Hours

Sat June 29 – Fri, July 5

Laurelton Blvd to Lafayette Blvd – All Hours
Lindell Blvd to Grand Blvd – All Hours
Ohio Beach (Georgia to Nevada) – All Hours

Sat July 6 – Fri July 12

Magnolia Blvd to Laurelton Blvd – All Hours
Washington Blvd to Lindell Blvd – All Hours
New York Beach (NY to Arizona) – All Hours

Sat July 13 – Fri July 19

Laurelton Blvd to Lafayette Blvd – All Hours
Lindell Blvd to Grand Blvd – All Hours
Arizona Beach (Arizona to Wyoming) – All Hours

Sat July 20 – Fri July 26

Magnolia Blvd to Laurelton Blvd – All Hours
Washington Blvd to Lindell Blvd – All Hours
Tennessee Beach (Tennessee to Maryland) – All Hours

Sat July 27 – Fri August 2

Laurelton Blvd to Lafayette Blvd – All Hours
Lindell Blvd to Grand Blvd – All Hours
Maryland Beach (Maryland to Georgia) – All Hours

Sat August 3 – Fri August 9

Magnolia Blvd to Laurelton Blvd – All Hours
Washington Blvd to Lindell Blvd – All Hours
Ohio Beach (Georgia to Nevada) – All Hours

Sat August 10 – Fri August 16

Laurelton Blvd to Lafayette Blvd – All Hours
Lindell Blvd to Grand Blvd – All Hours
New York Beach (NY to Arizona) – All Hours

Sat August 17 – Fri August 23

Magnolia Blvd to Laurelton Blvd – All Hours
Washington Blvd to Lindell Blvd – All Hours
Arizona Beach (Arizona to Wyoming) – All Hours

Sat August 24 – Fri August 30

Laurelton Blvd to Lafayette Blvd – All Hours
Lindell Blvd to Grand Blvd – All Hours
Tennessee Beach (Tennessee to Maryland) – All Hours

Sat August 31

Magnolia Blvd to Laurelton Blvd – All Hours
Washington Blvd to Lindell Blvd – All Hours
Maryland Beach (Maryland to Georgia) – All Hours

Sun September 1

Laurelton Blvd to Lafayette Blvd – All Hours
Lindell Blvd to Grand Blvd – All Hours
Arizona Beach (Arizona to Wyoming) – All Hours

Mon September 2

Magnolia Blvd to Laurelton Blvd – All Hours
Washington Blvd to Lindell Blvd – All Hours
Tennessee Beach (Tennessee to Maryland) – All Hours

SURF SCHOOL BEACHES

Surf Schools will operate on the following 2 beaches 7 days per week

Between Maple Blvd and Pacific Blvd (to the East of the of the swimming area)

Between Long Beach Boulevard to Riverside Boulevard. (West side of beach open to swimming after 1PM on weekdays and all day on weekends.)