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Sunset Beach Music Review

Concert Fundraiser

February 3, 2012

Don The Beachcomber

4 PM—10 PM

See flyer on Page 2
for information

Annual Business Luncheon

March 3, 2012

11:30 AM — 2 PM

Location

TBD

Flyer with luncheon
details to be mailed to
members in February.

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Meet our New Council President Frank Galloway, Jr.

First, I want to thank Maria-Isabel Dickey our immediate past President and current Area President, and all of you that preceded her as President, in making the Long Beach Council a great place to implement the Mission and Goals of the Navy League.

In 1965 I chose to interrupt my college education to serve my country. It was a very interesting and rewarding four year enlistment in the US NAVY. I was honorably discharged in 1969. It was a very positive experience that eventually led me to become a member of the Navy League. I initially joined the Seattle Council in the

late 1970's, and have since been a member of the Houston, Malibu, Ventura County, Contra Costa County, and Long Beach Councils. After retiring from 35 years in the corporate world, I have been able to devote more time and effort volunteering with the Long Beach Council and the Coast Guard Auxiliary. Recently, my two sons, Alonzo Galloway, a civilian Department of the Navy Water Survival Instructor and Diver assigned to Marine Corp Air Station Miramar, and Dr. Chris Galloway, a Psychologist with the San Francisco VA Medical Center, became new Long Beach Council members.

In the eight years I have been with the Long Beach Council I believe that our members have done an excellent job of supporting the four major "Goals of the Navy League". There are four areas I will be concentrating on in my term of office. Those areas are as follows:

- * Recruitment of new members
- * Recruitment of community affiliates
- * Retention of current members
- * Having Fun

Recruiting new members is the responsibility of all Navy League members. I am also asking our current Council Officers and members to recruit community affiliates. In order to accomplish the third area, the retention of current members, we need to implement the fourth area: HAVING FUN!

My vision of having fun as a Navy Leaguer includes but is not limited to conducting the Councils Quarterly Board meetings at restaurants with the general membership invited. Council visits to locations such as the Marine Exchange where the vessel tracking service for the ports of Los Angeles and Long Beach are conducted, followed by a no host lunch. A guided tour of Coast Guard Sector LA-LB, followed by lunch in the base Galley (\$4.55). A tour of the Port of Long Beach Command and Control Center, followed by a no host lunch. It might be possible to do the same type of outing with Los Angeles Fireboat #2, the most sophisticated fireboat in the world. Also, a cruise on the City of Los Angeles Yacht, touring the SS Lane Victory, etc., are all possibilities that I will start working on soon.

In closing, I am looking forward to seeing you at the Council's March 3, 2012 Installation of Officers Luncheon.



Sunset Beach Music Review

Featuring

Dick Deluxe
Eric Munzner
Jim Quealy
Led Zepland

RedRoots
Road Kill Kings
Robby Armstrong

The Shakedown
Sons of Mothers

*and many more
local favorites!!!*

\$20 - General Admission

\$15 - Navy League Members w/ NL card

Military Personnel in Uniform are FREE

Friday, February 3, 2012

4 PM - 10 PM

Don The Beachcomber 16278 Pacific Coast Highway, Sunset Beach 562-592-1321 w.donthebeachcomber.com

Net Proceeds Benefit Military Personnel and their Families

Presented by Long Beach Navy League Council

www.longbeachnavyleague.org

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Recognitions

NOSC LA 3RD QUARTER AND YEAR AWARDS



MM1 Dennis Beisbier SELRES
HM1 Monica Sions Staff
Sailors of the Quarter

HM2 Erica Armenta SELRES
LS2 Muguel Ramirez Staff
Junior Sailors of the Quarter

HM3 Diana Pacheco SELRES
Blue Jacket of the Quarter

MM1 Alex Vasquez SELRES
Sailor of the Year

HM2 Edwin Gaitan SELRES
Junior Sailor of the Year

HM3 Cesar Decena SELRES
Blue Jacket of the Year

3rd ANGLICO



Sgt Andrew J. Watson

Marine of the 3rd Qtr 2011



**Coast Guard Sector
Los Angeles—Long Beach**

BM2 Nicholas Kimose

Enlisted Person of the 4th Qtr 2011



Coast Guard Base Support Unit

YN3 Trevor S. Meyers

BSU Enlisted Person of the 3rd Qtr 2011

Congratulations to all our awardees!

2011 Treasurer's Report

By David W. Dickey

Each year we are thankful for the contributions that our members and other organizations provide to perform our Navy League Mission. Your contributions provided the Sailor/Enlisted Person/ Marine of the Quarter and Year awards for the Navy, Marine Corp, and Coast Guard Sailors totaling \$1250. The Long Beach Council also supports the Junior ROTC and US Naval Sea Cadet youth programs by giving awards at the end of the year or providing financial assistance for summer training for some of the youth that do not have enough money. This last year your generous donations provided over \$1500 to several deserving NJROTC cadets. The Long Beach Council held a Navy Week LA luncheon and arranged for the Long Beach Division Sea Cadets to provide support for the Friday Night Special event.

Another program that we support is the "White Hat for Xmas" which is managed by DESA (Destroyer Escorts Sailors Association) (Earl Johnson and Jim Lamberth) with Long Beach Council providing fundraising support. Each year we raise several thousand dollars to provide Junior Navy and Coast Guards Sailors with food baskets and gift cards for Xmas. These personnel are stationed at Seal Beach Weapon Station, MOMAU, and US Coast Guard Sector LA/LB. This year, Peter Marshall started the Marine Xmas baskets to support the junior Marines at the Navy Operational Support Center LA (NOSCLA) using money raised by an event at "Don the Beachcomber" this last spring with another event scheduled this February 2012. Stay tuned!!

These last couple of years, we have commissioned two US Navy Ships; USS Dewey and the USS Green Bay raising over two hundred thousand dollars which now puts this council in the position of having to file 990 tax packages instead of the 990 e-postcard. The reason I bring this up is that as the treasurer, I have to clearly show where the money comes from and where it is going in detail. According to the requirements of the 501(c) 3, all funds donated to the council must go through the council and a donation letter for any donations over \$250 is sent to the donor. All qualified organizations are listed in IRS Pub78 (our exempt status is certified under the National Headquarters blanket exemption) and are eligible to receive tax deductible donations but have numerous requirements. We have to make sure that we follow the rules or we can lose our 501(c) 3 tax status.

Over the last year, there have been many questions and some confusion about the "White Hat for Xmas" program. The "White Hat for Xmas" is not a tax exempt organization but rather a program managed and funded by DESA with Long Beach Council's fundraising support. There are members that are dual members of both DESA and the Long Beach Council Navy League which is why some members get solicitations from both groups. Just to clarify; it is the same program with the same goal. Any requests for donations by the Long Beach Council for this or any program must be made out to the Navy League Long Beach Council per IRS requirements to be tax deductible.

Our membership rebates this year totaled over \$1900 because of the two community affiliates that joined this year. "Don the Beachcomber" and "CTC Destination and Meeting Management". With Community Affiliates, the council receives \$200 the first year they join the council and \$150 each year they renew. We normally receive \$200-300 general membership rebates four times a year. As you can see, the community affiliates are a huge contributor to the income this council receives. If you are a small business or know someone who is and want to make a huge impact on the resources of the council, join or ask them to join as a community affiliate. Your contribution will be a much needed benefit to the Sailors/Soldiers of the Long Beach Navy League council.

This next year Long Beach Council will be involved with raising funds in support of the Navy League of the United States National Convention that will be held in Long Beach in June 2013. Some of the costs associated with hosting the convention is paying for some of the Junior Sailors to attend some of the sessions, receptions, and numerous other activities associated with being the host. This is a great time to become a Community Affiliate, Business Associate or Corporate Member.

For more info: David Dickey, Long Beach Council Treasurer (714) 402-9277

Who to Call When You have a Question.

For questions on New member applications, membership renewals, and community affiliates:

David Dickey — VP of Membership
(714) 402-9277 (cell) cttcm_dickey@yahoo.com

For questions on our adopted Coast Guard Sector LA-LB and Base Support Unit:

Frank Galloway Jr. — Coast Guard Affairs Chair
(310) 981-1772 (cell) fgalloway4@cox.net

For questions on our adopted 3rd ANGLICO Marine Corps unit:

Peter Marshall — Marine Corps Affairs Chair
(310) 890-8626 (cell) marine90814@gmail.com

For questions on the Merchant Marines

Sandra Chavez — Merchant Marines Affairs Chair
(562) 945-6358 graylady52aol.com

For questions on our adopted Navy Operational Support Center Los Angeles:

David Dickey — Navy Affairs Chair
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For questions regarding the Bo'Sun's Pipe newsletter, the Website, or event flyers:

Maria-Isabel Dickey — Public Relations Chair, Newsletter Editor, and Webmaster
(310) 738-0610 (cell) misdickey50@yahoo.com

For questions regarding the 2013 Navy League Convention in Long Beach:

Maria-Isabel Dickey — 2013 Convention Chairman
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For upcoming council events:

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For support of the following ships:

USS IOWA — David Way	(714) 846-0323	dway@social.rr.com
USS GREEN BAY — George Chambers	(714) 893-6450	gjchambers@aol.com
USS PELELIU — Jessica Daniels	(619) 990-6273 (cell)	danielsj6@gmail.com

For questions on Legislative Affairs:

Michael Merino—Legislative Affairs Chair (currently on deployment)
Contact Frank Galloway

Our new council president's contact information.

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SEA CADET NEWS



Since 1958 the Naval Sea Cadet Corps has been committed to providing American youth with a drug and alcohol free environment to foster their leadership abilities, broaden their horizons through hands-on training and guide them to becoming mature young adults.

Sea Cadet organizations exist in most of the maritime nations of the world. Recognizing the value of these organizations in educating youth in maritime matters, the Department of the Navy requested the Navy League of the United States to establish a similar program for American youth. The Navy League agreed to do so and formally established the Naval Sea Cadet Corps (NSCC) and Navy League Cadet Corps (NLCC) in 1958. Recognizing the importance and benefits of the NSCC, Congress on September 10, 1962 federally incorporated the Naval Sea Cadet Corps under Public Law 87-655 (36 USC 1541).

Today, the NSCC has formed partnerships with organizations such as the Foundation for Teaching Economics and the Flying Midshipman Association to offer cadets broader opportunities in areas of leadership and aviation. The NSCC also took an active part in the creation of the International Sea Cadet Association (ISCA). The ISCA is an association of Sea Cadet Corps' from around the world, whose main objective is to facilitate exchanges of cadets between member countries.

The Naval Sea Cadet Corps (NSCC) is for American youth ages 13-17, who have a desire to learn about the Navy, Marine Corps, Coast Guard, and Merchant Marine. Sea Cadets are authorized by the Secretary of the Navy to wear Navy uniforms appropriately marked with the Sea Cadet Corps insignia. The objectives of the Sea Cadet program are to introduce youth to naval life, to develop in them a sense of pride, patriotism, courage, and self-reliance, and to maintain an environment free of drugs and gangs.

Long Beach Division is a division, focusing mainly on the Naval aspect of the Navy. We are sponsored by the Long Beach Council of the Navy League of the United States.

For more information on how to join or to contact the Commanding Officer, LTJG David Dickey for questions about the program, please go to the Long Beach Sea Cadets website at <http://longbeach-seacadets.org>

This information was provided from the Sea Cadet website.

<p>Long Beach Division T.S. Arthur Beaumont</p> <p>LTJG David Dickey Commanding Officer 714-690-2977</p> <p><u>Website</u></p> <p>http://longbeach-seacadets.org</p>	<p>Naval Sea Cadets 2012 Drill Schedule</p> <p>February 11 March 10 April 7</p> <p>Drill hours: 0800 - 1600 (4pm)</p> <p>Drills are held at the Armed Forces Reserve Center 5631 Rickenbacker Rd. Bell, CA 90201</p>
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Welcome our Newest Community Affiliates



CTC has been in business since 1995 and provides full destination, meeting and event services. Our offices are located in the city of Long Beach, California. CTC's professional staff has extensive knowledge and experience in the hospitality and meeting industries. CTC is known for its detailed program management and personalized customer service, which has set us far apart from our competition. Due to this unwavering focus, we have a large roster of repeat clients from whom we enjoy numerous enthusiastic referrals.

Some important reasons why CTC should be considered as the project management team for your conference:

- **Michelle Manire**, President, **CTC Destination & Meeting Management**, has many years of experience in the hospitality and conference/event management industries. She also has 10 years of experience as a General Manager for Stouffer and Doubletree Hotels, managing multi-million dollar assets and over 400 employees. She currently sits on the Downtown Long Beach Business Association Board of Directors. Her leadership is an invaluable asset.
- An exceptionally creative and experienced staff, well known for outstanding customer service and detailed event management expertise, who are always willing to go the extra mile for our clients
- A unique combination of professional services under one roof
- Strong community relationships and involvement through boards and organizations such as MPI (Meeting Professionals International,) Long Beach CVB, Catalina CVB, IATAN (International Airlines Travel Agent Network,) SBE (Small Business Enterprises,) California State University system (certified), Minority Business Owner (certified), Leadership Long Beach
- Multiple Awards, including "Business of the Month" – Long Beach Business Journal
- Participated on the Commissioning Teams for USS GREEN BAY and USS DEWEY ship commissionings

Don The Beachcomber

16278 Pacific Coast Hwy., Huntington Beach, CA 92649 Phone: (562) 592-1321

In December 1931 a somewhat adrift 24-year-old washed up in Southern California, looking for something to do. A native of New Orleans, he was named Ernest Raymond Beaumont Gantt. Gantt made do in the Depression economy through his wits and odd jobs—working in restaurants in Chinatown, parking cars, and doing a bit of freelance bootlegging in the months before Prohibition ended. Sociable and charming, he befriended such Hollywood personalities as David Niven and Marlene Dietrich and through them found occasional work as a technical adviser on films set in the South Pacific.

A couple of years after he arrived in Los Angeles, Gantt happened upon a newly vacated tailor shop just off Hollywood Boulevard. He built a bar that would seat about two dozen customers and scattered a few tables in the remaining space. He decorated the place with his South Pacific gewgaws, along with old nets and parts of wrecked boats he scavenged from the oceanfront. He called his watering hole Don the Beachcomber. Rum was the least expensive of the spirits, and Gantt had sampled a variety in his travels. He devised an exotic menu of rum-based drinks that complemented his theme and scratched the names on a board behind the bar.



LONG BEACH COUNCIL OFFICERS

President	Frank Galloway Jr.
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Photographer	Greg Bishop
Events Chair	Griffin Healy
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USS GREEN Bay Liaison	George Chambers

Goals of the Navy League

- **Educate national leaders and the nation.**
- **Support the men and women of the sea services.**
- **Provide assistance to sea service families.**
- **Support youth programs.**

Navy League of the United States

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RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED

YES! Please enroll me as a Navy Leaguer.

Types of Membership (please check one)

- | | |
|---|--|
| Individual One Year \$ 50 | Associate One Year (Non U.S. Citizen) . . . \$ 50 |
| Active Duty Spouse \$ 30 | Individual Two Year \$ 90 Save \$10!* |
| Individual Three Year \$ 125 Save \$25!* | Joint Husband/Wife One Year \$ 85 Save \$15!* |
| Individual Life \$ 500 | Joint Husband/Wife Life \$ 750 Save \$250! |

Method of Payment

Check enclosed (make payable to NLUS) or Charge my Visa Mastercard AMEX

Name on Card _____ Card Number _____

Expiration Date _____ Signature _____

Name (Mr., Mrs., Dr., etc.) First, Middle Initial, and Last Name

Name of Spouse (Mr., Mrs., Dr., etc.) First, Middle Initial, and Last Name

Address Number, Street (Apt. Suite, P.O. Box)

City, State, ZIP Date of Birth Email

Home Phone Business Phone

Sponsor's Last Name Sponsor's Membership # Preferred Council * (to be completed by applicant)

Mail to: Navy League of the U.S.
Attn: Member Services
2300 Wilson Blvd, Suite 200
Arlington, VA 22201-5424

You can also Fax application to (703) 528-2333
Call in person at (800) 356-5760
Join online at <http://www.navyleague.org/join-renew>