



LONG BEACH INDIANA

Summer Newsletter - Town

News

Greetings everyone, as you prepare to enjoy another exciting and relaxing summer in the Town, we would like to share some important information and upcoming events. We always welcome and appreciate your input and suggestions, so please feel free to contact us at the directory within this newsletter. Please join us for the annual Fireworks display on the evening of Monday July 4th at dusk across from the Town Hall. Have a safe and enjoyable 4th of July weekend with family and friends.

Town News:

Clerk-Treasurer office: Back on February 18th our Town Clerk-Treasurer William “Bill” De Funiak retired after ten years of service to the community. We would like to Congratulate Bill and thank him for his dedicated service. Our newly appointed Clerk-Treasurer Tim Perry is excited to be a part of the Town government team. He can be reached at (219) 874-6616 or email clerkperry@longbeachin.org

Town Administrator appointed: The Town Council appointed our Chief Marshal Mark Swistek as the Town Administrator. In addition to Mark’s responsibility at the Police Department he will manage the day to day operations of the Town while taking on several other responsibilities within the Town. Mark can be reached at (219) 874-4243 or email chief@lbpdin.org

Golf Cart registration: Reminder to register your golf cart with the Police Department and obtain your annual permit for \$50.00 at the Town Hall. All drivers must be 16 years or older and have a valid driver’s license. A golf cart may only carry the same number of passengers as the number of seating positions on the cart. Contact the Police Department for additional information (219) 874-4243 or email Renee Richardson at policeadmin@lbpdin.org

Parking Pass / Town Hall North lot: Residents may stop in the Town Hall at the police department to obtain four free parking permits for the Town Hall north parking lot. The lot is available for parking to walk to the beach or if you need an extra parking space for guest to park during the day. Reminder that there is no overnight parking in the lot unless otherwise approved by the police department.

Police / Fire Department Facebook: Reminder to follow our Police and Fire Departments on Facebook. Both departments post important safety information, updates, and Town news throughout the year. Thank you to our dedicated and amazing Emergency Responders!

Public Works Team: We would like to take a moment to recognize the efforts of our Street and Water Department crew members and to say **“THANK YOU”**. They are responsible for keeping our neighborhoods and streets looking exceptional. To include the maintenance at the Town Hall, Parks and Beach stops. Thank you also to the Garden Club / Beach Garden Club and Park Department board for their continued efforts! Thank you everyone as your efforts are so appreciated!

Life Rings installed at the Beach stops: The Town received a generous grant from the Duneland Health Council that covered the purchase of “Life Rings” for each of our fourteen beach stops. Located on the beach at each stop is a bright red ABS plastic cabinet that contains a personal floatation device with 100 feet of rope attached. Each cabinet has the beach stop number located on the center of the case. If needed please call 911 immediately, provide the beach stop number to the dispatcher, and deploy the life ring to assist the distressed swimmer. Please help us maintain these very important life saving devices by notifying the Police Department if you notice they are tampered with during your visit to the beach.

Reminders:

Trash Pickup – Recycling dates: Republic picks up the trash every Monday morning and you must return your trash totter immediately following the pickup. Recycling dates for the summer are every other Tuesday. Upcoming dates are July 12th and 26th, August 9th and 23rd, and Wednesday September 7th (due to holiday), and September 20th.

Building permits: Reminder if you are remodeling your home, painting, adding a deck, patio or fence, a building permit is required. All contractors must also be licensed and bonded at the Town hall. Questions please contact Deanna Carlson or Honor Adam at (219)874-6616 or email the Town Building Inspector Lou Mellen at lmellen@longbeachin.org

Upcoming events:

Summer Camp: The Long Beach summer camp started last week on Monday June 20th through August 4th. For registration please contact Director Sarah Pollster at longbeachsummercamp@gmail.com The camp also offers one-week reservations if needed.

Ice Cream social: The Long Beach Fire Department has announced that their annual **“Ice Cream Social”** will be held this Sunday July 3rd starting at 5pm at the Fire Department. Please come out to support the men and women of our Fire Department.

July 4th Parade-Family fun: Please join the Long Beach Civic at the annual community parade and fellowship following the parade in the lawn at the Community Center. Parade Line-up starts at 9am and the parade kicks off at 10am from the Community Center on Oriole Trail. The Family event will immediately follow the parade with a beer garden, food, and entertainment in the lawn

at the park. Please join us in supporting the Long Beach Civic association. Thank you to the Civic for all of their efforts and continued support of the Town and its residents.

4th July Fireworks: The annual fireworks display will be held on Monday July 4th at dusk. Thank you again to the Long Beach Civic for hosting the annual fireworks display on the lawn at the Long Beach Country Club.

Art in the Park returns: Join the Long Beach Park Department as they host the annual “**Art in the Park**” event on Saturday July 30th from 9am till 2pm across from the Town Hall in the Park. View the creative artwork of local artists while taking in the fellowship, food, and entertainment. Funds from the event will assist the Long Beach Community Center.

Town Directory

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