



THE POINTER

77TH ANNUAL SUMMER KICK-OFF **SAVE THE DATE – JUNE 12TH AT 5:00PM** **AT THE BAY BEACH**

Join us on June 12th at 5:00 PM at the Bay Beach as we kick off summer together! This is a wonderful opportunity for neighbors—new and longtime—to connect, relax, and enjoy a fun evening by the water.

Bring a dish to share

We'll be BBQing hot dogs for everyone to enjoy

Cowaforia will be serving their famous Balboa Bars and Frozen Bananas

All attendees will receive a raffle ticket for fun prizes

Meet new neighbors and catch up with familiar faces

New residents can sign up for community membership

Members who pay by check are encouraged to bring renewal checks to the event

The CFBPP Foundation will be collecting donations to support neighborhood security

Please bring a reusable water bottle or cup to help reduce waste

Let's kick off summer and build a stronger, safer, and more connected community together.

We can't wait to see you there!

CAN'T MAKE THE SUMMER KICKOFF?

NEW MEMBERS CAN STILL JOIN THE BPPA ONLINE!

**SCAN THE QR CODE TO BECOME A MEMBER AND ENJOY ACCESS TO
COMMUNITY EVENTS, THE PRIVATE GATED BAY BEACH & BBQ,
THE BOAT RAMP, AND THE NEIGHBORHOOD DIRECTORY.**



THE COMMUNITY FOUNDATION OF BALBOA PENINSULA POINT

CFBPP, a 501(c)(3) charitable foundation formed in 2006, supports quality-of-life projects for Peninsula Point that fall outside the more limited scope of BPPA's 501(c)(7) status. The CFBPP's focus now is to raise enough money every year to fund a year-round security patrol program.



Community

Accessibility Improvement Complete at The Wedge

We're pleased to announce the completion of a new permanent sidewalk extension at The Wedge, improving beach access for people of all abilities. The project was inspired by recycled plastic walkways installed at other Southern California beaches and grew from a community-driven idea into a lasting accessibility improvement. Community member Bob Yant first raised the idea in 2020, advocating for access that would allow everyone—not just those able to navigate the sand—to enjoy watching the iconic surfers at The Wedge. Despite pandemic-related delays, the project moved forward with City leadership and received approval from the California Coastal Commission in August 2025.

Construction began in January 2026, and the completed path now provides safer, more inclusive access for residents and visitors alike.

Special thanks to Bob Yant for his persistence and dedication in helping bring this project to life.



A NIGHT OF LIGHTS AND GIVING: BOAT PARADE

Our annual Boat Parade and Toy Drive was an absolute splash! The harbor transformed into a shimmering spectacle as decorated vessels of all sizes cruised the waterfront, spreading holiday cheer to everyone on shore. While the light displays were breathtaking, the true highlight of the evening was the incredible generosity of our community. Thanks to your kindness, we successfully collected 215 toys, ensuring that local children will have a much brighter holiday season. A huge thank you for making this our most impactful year yet—we couldn't have done it without you!



BPPA EASTER EGG HUNT

Our BPPA Annual Easter Egg Hunt was a wonderful success! Kids of all ages had a blast searching for colorful eggs, laughing with friends, and enjoying the festive atmosphere. The Easter Bunny made a special appearance, bringing smiles and plenty of photo opportunities, and the beloved train was back to give everyone even more rides and excitement. It was a joyful morning filled with community spirit and springtime fun.



MAKE A DIFFERENCE



Saturday, May 10	Newport Pier Beach Clean Up	8:00 - 10:00 am
Sunday, June 21	Newport Pier Beach Clean Up	8:00 - 10:00 am
Sunday, July 19	Newport Pier Beach Clean Up	8:00 - 10:00 am
Sunday, Aug 16	Newport Pier Beach Clean Up	8:00 -10:00 am
Saturday, Sept 19	The Wedge Beach Clean Up	8:00 - 10:00 am
Sunday, Sept 20	Newport Pier Beach Clean Up	8:00 - 10:00 am
Sunday, Oct 18	Newport Pier Beach Clean Up	8:00 - 10:00 am
Sunday, Nov 15	Newport Pier Beach Clean Up	8:00 - 10:00 am
Sunday, Nov 21	The Wedge Beach Clean Up	8:00 - 10:00 am
Sunday, Dec 20	Newport Pier Beach Clean Up	8:00 - 10:00 am

For more info: <https://northoc.surfrider.org/schedule>



Calling all tennis enthusiasts and aspiring players! Whether you're a seasoned pro or picking up a racquet for the first time, the Peninsula Point Racquet Club (PPRC) is the perfect place to elevate your game and your social life. Join our vibrant community to meet new people, sharpen your skills on the court, and enjoy the best of Peninsula living. Don't miss out on the fun—come check out the PPRC and see why it's the heart of our neighborhood's active lifestyle! For more information contact: The Beauchamp Family 206-992-4725



MEET YOUR 2026-2027 BPPA BOARD

- President – Lori-Ann Christie
- Vice President – Andrea Stuhley
- Secretary – Joe Conzonire
- Treasurer – Vic LeBrun
- Membership – Shannon Wadsworth
- Hospitality – Christy Ruppert
- Technology – Jim Hoey
- Bay Beach/ Ramp – Tad Chamberlain
- City Liaison – Dave Archie



BPPA CALENDAR OF EVENTS 2026

April 4th 10am-11:30am	Children's Easter Egg Hunt L Street Park Host BPPA	
June 12th 5pm	Membership Drive & Kick-Off to Summer Party Bay Beach Host BPPA	
June 16th 8am	Junior Guard Send-Off Tradition L Street Park Host BPPA	
June 19th- August 21st 6pm	Friday Nights at the Bay Bay Beach No Host-Potluck	
June 30- July 2nd	4th of July Family Fun Events S'mores at the Bay, Scavenger Hunt, Movie in the Park & much more! More information coming soon.	
July 4th 11am	4th of July Parade & TK Burger L Street Park Host BPPA	
August 28th 5pm	Thank you, First Responders Event Bay Beach Host BPPA	
October 24th 12pm	Chili Cook-Off L Street Park Host BPPA	
December 17th 5:30pm	Toy Drive & Boat Parade Viewing Bay Beach Host BPPA	<p>*Boats pass by at 7:30pm</p>

Dates & times subject to change, check website for latest information: bppa-nb.com



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4TH OF JULY EVENTS

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TUESDAY
**JUNE
30**

**FAMILY GAMES AND
SMORES AT THE BAY**

GAMES WILL BE OUT ALL DAY & SMORES 5PM-7PM

WEDNESDAY
**JULY
1ST**

**MOVIE AT L STREET
PARK**

STARTS WHEN THE SUNSETS-8PM. COME EARLY AND HANG OUT!

THURSDAY
**JULY
2ND**

**FAMILY SCAVENGER
HUNT**

MEET AT THE BAY AT 1PM

SATURDAY
**JULY
4TH**

**PARADE STARTS AT
11AM L STREET PARK**

TK BURGER, KONA ICE & LIVE MUSIC TO FOLLOW

SUNDAY
**JULY
5TH**

**FAMILY BEACH
CLEAN-UP 10-11AM**

MEET AT L STREET TOWER FOR COFFEE, PICK UP BUCKETS,
GLOVES & TRASH GRABBERS.



TK Burger tickets on sale now!

www.bppa-nb.com

Online orders start now through July 1st. You will receive a QR code with tickets.

***Please save your email with your QR code.

You will need to show this to get your purchased meals.

A limited number of tickets will be available at the event.

Cash only day of event.

Meal tickets are \$12 per meal

Options: Cheeseburger/burger, veggie burger, hot dog, soda/water, and chips

PLEASE line-up to get your meals right after the parade.

TK Burger will only be serving from 11:00 am-1:00 pm

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4TH OF JULY PARADE

**L STREET PARK
11AM**

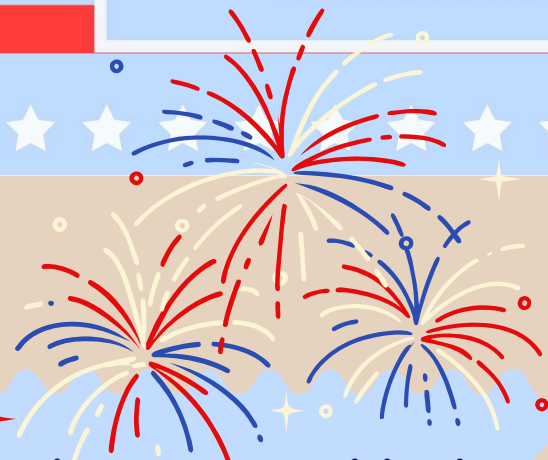
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We have lots of fun events planned for this summer!

Would you like to volunteer?

Contact:
christyruppert@gmail.com



Fireworks are prohibited in Newport Beach NBMC 9.04.420.

It is illegal for individuals to possess or use fireworks in Newport Beach. The city of Newport Beach will strictly enforce this prohibition. This includes "safe and sane" fireworks such as fountains and sparklers that can be purchased in nearby cities. DO NOT bring them into town. If you have any questions, you can contact Sergeant Sabrina Fabbri at 949-644-3730 or sfabbri@nbpd.org

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4th of July Parade Schedule of Events

9:30am

- Bike decorating starts in L Street Park
TK Burger Tickets for sale *limited amount

10:45am

Line-up for the parade
*Please look for signs where to line-up

11:00am

Parade starts

11:30am

TK Burger & Kona Ice begin serving
*Please get your meals asap
Live Band will play

1:00pm

TK Burger will stop serving

1:30pm

L Street Park clean-up