



This Week's Program

Wednesday, July 24

"Richard Nixon: California's Native Son"

Paul Jeffrey Carter
Author and Attorney

The Queen Mary
12:00 Noon - LUNCH
12:25 p.m. - 1:30 p.m. - PROGRAM

Presentation of
MARK BIXBY LEADERSHIP AWARD



Paul Jeffrey Carter is a Partner with Bergkvist, Bergkvist & Carter LLP, specializing in civil litigation and business representation, defending clients in real estate, business, trust, employment, personal injury, and related bankruptcy actions. As a trial litigator, he is also active in alternative dispute resolution, serving as Administrative Hearing Officer for the City of Long Beach; a Mediator/Arbitrator for the Los Angeles Superior Court; a Mediator for the Court of Appeal; a Settlement Officer for the US District Court, Central District of California, among others; and a Mediator for [ResolveItigation.com](https://www.resolveitigation.com), conducting well over 1,000 mediations.

He has volunteered as a member of Board of Directors, St. Mary Catholic Housing Corporation; Cal State Fullerton Board of Governors; President of Long Beach Bar Association; Chairman of St Mary Medical Center Foundation, and member of the Rotary Club of Long Beach (2011-2016).

Paul received his J.D. from Drake University Law School, and a B.A. in Political Science from California State University Fullerton, and served in the United States Navy. He has four children and lives in Long Beach.

Of all his accomplishments, he is exceedingly proud of his first book, *Richard Nixon: California's Native Son*, published in 2023, which chronicles Nixon's formative years leading to his ascendancy to The White House.

His book has received critical acclaim, including awards for best biography of 2023 by two national organizations: The Eric Hoffer Award, and the Foreword Indies.

RICHARD NIXON
California's Native Son
PAUL CARTER
FOREWORD BY ERIC HOFFER



LBCC Summerfest & Drone Show

By Natalie Hale, Fellowship Services Director





Here's a fantastic ROTARIAN IN THE WILD event coming up, **Saturday, July 27th**. It's **Long Beach City College's First Inaugural SummerFest and Drone Show** and we have arranged a special opportunity for ROTARIANS to congregate in the VIP area. This package will include admission, food, wine, beer and other beverages for only \$25 per person.

Long Beach City College and the LBCC Foundation are proud to present the 2024 SummerFest and Drone Show on Saturday, July 27th from 4:00 PM to 9:00 PM

Location: Veterans Stadium, LAC, 5000 E. Lew Davis St.

Spend the evening at Veterans Memorial Stadium connecting with community members and experiencing all that LBCC has to offer at the First Annual LBCC Summerfest & Drone Show. Enjoy S.T.E.A.M.-focused activities, Interactive booths, live music, festivities, and food under the beautiful summer sky. And be sure to look toward the sky after dark. Pixis will be providing a drone show and educational sessions that are sure to captivate and delight attendees of all ages.

Since we are getting the special privilege to the VIP area, there is a two step process:

1) Buy your tickets for the event online at link : <https://www.lbcc.edu/summerfest>
Order tickets at \$15 and, if you want VIP, add separate payment for \$10.

2) VIP IS OPTIONAL but, in order to gain access to the VIP area, and meet up with Rotarians for food and libations, you need to make an extra payment of \$10 per person to my Venmo, cash or check, so I can purchase the VIP tickets, especially for Rotarians. (Great value with alcohol and food) In the VIP area, you will also have the opportunity meet up with members of the LBCC Presidential Circle (many of them are Rotarians)

Please contact me with questions and RSVP to me at nhale@mediapartnersww.com if you are interested in the VIP package for an extra \$10 per person, after buying tickets online. Space is limited.

Thank you and I look forward to seeing you for fun and fellowship at the event.

Natalie Hale

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EVENTS

July 24th, 12:00-1:30 PM
[Long Beach Weekly Club Meeting](#)
Speaker: Paul Carter
Subject: Local attorney/author of
"Richard Nixon: California's Native Son"

July 25th, 2:00-3:00 PM
[RoToastados - A Rotary Toastmaster Alliance Club](#)

July 25th, 5:30-7:30 PM
[Rotary Connections](#)
Special meeting for member prospects

July 27th, 4:00-9:00 PM
[LBCC Summerfest & Drone Show](#)
Special Rotary VIP Section

July 28th, 3:00-5:30 PM
[Ronald McDonald House Sunday Meal](#)

July 31st, 12:00-1:30 PM
[Long Beach Weekly Club Meeting](#)
Speaker: John Mooney - AI

August 7th, 12:00-1:30 PM
[Long Beach Weekly Club Meeting](#)
Speaker: Craig Van Sickle - TV Producer

August 14th, 12:00-1:30 PM
[Long Beach Weekly Club Meeting](#)
Speaker: Chris Carr
Subject: Operations at the Aquarium of
the Pacific

August 20th, 4:00-5:00 PM
[RCLB Board of Directors Meeting](#)

August 21st, 12:00-1:30 PM
[Long Beach Weekly Club Meeting](#)



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