



SATURDAY  
APRIL 18

**Bike Saturdays!**  
Save money, have fun, and support local businesses! Ride your bike to participating local shops and eateries in Long Beach on Saturdays to receive a special discount or offer. Just stop by at any time on Saturday and ask about their special Bike Saturdays deals for bicyclists. Visit [http://www.bikelongbeach.org/?page\\_id=384](http://www.bikelongbeach.org/?page_id=384) for a list of participating businesses.

**"30-Minute Beach Cleanup"**  
Hosted by Justin Rudd  
10a.m.  
1 Granada Ave.  
[www.BeachCleanup.org](http://www.BeachCleanup.org)

**Environmental Services Bureau hosts a Free Compost & Vermipost Workshop.**  
\*Turn food scraps into fertilizer  
\*Purchase discounted bins  
\*Turn yard waste into beneficial soil amendment  
10:30am-12:30pm, 2929 E. Willow St., Register at (562)570-4694

**Earth Day Coastal Cleanup**  
10am -noon  
Join El Dorado Nature Center, Aquarium of the Pacific, Clean LB, and Surf Rider at one of our 4 cleanup locations. Belmont Pier Mother's Beach Junpero Ave/Ocean 55th Place/Ocean  
For more info call 562-570-1745

**Earth Day Yoga & Potluck** 11:00am - 2:30pm  
HOWL Event Space  
Parking garage 51 E. 3rd St.  
All-levels vinyasa flow yoga followed by gluten-free potluck. \$15 donation suggested, not a free event. RSVP at <http://howladventures.com/event/yoga-yummies/>

**Enduring Seeds, Growing Experience Farm**  
<https://www.facebook.com/events/1431903647122536/1435827640063470/>  
from 9-12pm at 750 Via Carmelitos

**Hughes Middle School Eco-Club**  
4th Annual Spring Plant Sale  
3846 California Ave. 9am-3pm

**Greener Good Farmers Market** Admiral Kidd Park  
9:00am - 1pm

**Local Harvest Farmers Market, Bixby Park**  
9am - 2pm (corner of Cherry/1st St)

SUNDAY  
APRIL 19

**LB -MANDATORY- WATER**  
Use Prohibitions  
Irrigating landscape with potable water between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.

**Earth Day Beach Cleanup, Junipero Beach** 12-2pm:  
<https://www.facebook.com/events/1565159553773148/>  
Meet on the sand at the end of Junipero. Collection bags and gloves are provided by California Coastal Commission through Parks and Recreation and Marine Department of the City of Long Beach. Call (562)570-4876 for more information about the City's Adopt-A-Beach program.

**Old McDonald's Farmers Market**  
5000 E. Spring St.  
8:30am - 3:00pm  
**Alamitos Bay Marina Farmers Market**  
E. Marina Dr., South of E. 2nd St.  
9:00am - 2:00pm

MONDAY  
APRIL 20

**WATER**  
Eco-Tip:  
**SAVE WATER**

Install a hot water recirculation device. By recirculating the water that would otherwise go down the drain, you can save 2-3 gallons of water for each shower taken, or 16,500 gallons a year per household. This may mean an average annual savings of \$50 on your water bill and \$40 on your energy bill!

**ENERGY**  
Eco-Tip:  
**SAVE ENERGY**

Clean warm-air registers, baseboard heaters and radiators as needed; make sure they're not blocked by furniture, carpeting or drapes.

City of LB Civic Center Edible Garden Workshop Spring/Summer Planting Preparation, 12pm-1pm. Civic Center Edible Garden outside of LB City Hall. Please RSVP at (562)570-5927 or email [civiccenterediblegarden@gmail.com](mailto:civiccenterediblegarden@gmail.com)

TUESDAY  
APRIL 21

**SoCal Harvest Fruit Picking**  
Join SoCal Harvest in picking backyard fruit! Equipment and gloves provided, and families welcome! All produce harvested feeds those in need in Long Beach through Food Finders, Signal Hill.  
10 a.m. - 12 p.m. (location shared at time of RSVP confirmation)  
[socalharvest@earthlink.net](mailto:socalharvest@earthlink.net)

**Gardening Class**  
Seed Starting, Summer Planting, Harvesting  
12:00am - 1:00pm  
Houghton Park Community Center 6301 Myrtle Ave. Long Beach, CA 90805  
To RSVP please contact Viki Ornelas at (562) 570-7904 or at [viki.ornelas@longbeach.gov](mailto:viki.ornelas@longbeach.gov)  
Small gift for all participants!

**Take Action Tuesday**  
CSULB campus  
Speaker's Platform, 11am - 2pm (grass area in front of Bookstore)  
Information & activities designed to empower people with sustainable actions they can take to make the world a better place.  
Pride Center (562-985-2535) and Sustain U (562-985-5851)

**Guest Speaker at the Aquarium of the Pacific**  
Climatologist Bill Patzert will explain how the California drought developed, its ties to ocean phenomena, and how people can deal with the impacts of future droughts.  
7:00pm - 8:30pm,  
\$5 for public or free live stream (562) 590-3100  
<http://www.aquariumofpacific.org>

**El Dorado Audubon Society Meeting**  
Join us as we discuss news about our feathered friends. Thursday, April 21, 7:30pm, (562)-570-1745

**Local Harvest Farmers Markets**  
Bixby Park (Corner of Cherry Ave. & 1st Street), 3:00pm - 7:00pm

**Los Cerritos Wetlands Land Trust Earth Week Meeting** from "The Rare Opportunity: The Role of Endangered Species in Conservation" at Kettering Elementary School (550 Silvera Ave.) 7:00pm  
<https://www.facebook.com/events/548521785289624/>  
<http://www.lcwlndtrust.org/>

APRIL 16  
**Green Generation Mixer, CSULB Japanese Gardens** from 5-8pm

APRIL 29  
**WE Labs Sustainability Pitch Lab**, 235 E. Broadway, suite 800, 6:30pm: <https://www.facebook.com/events/897331313632123/>

WEDNESDAY  
APRIL 22

**HAPPY EARTH DAY!!!**

**Water You Doing**  
Wednesday  
CSULB Campus: Friendship walk and North Lawn (in front of 1st floor Student Union) 11am - 2pm. Info & activities designed to raise awareness issues and solutions related to water! Pride Center (562-985-2535) and Sustain U 562-985-5851

**Annual Earth Day Celebration at The Growing Experience Urban Farm**  
2:00pm to 5:00pm  
The free event is open to the public, and will feature healthy cooking demos, food preservation workshops, tastings, farm stand sale, vegetable seedling plant sale, composting information, art's activities, and aquaponics and farm tours.  
750 Via Carmelitos

**ENERGY**  
Eco-Tip:  
**CONSERVATION COOKING**

The next time you use your stovetop or range, choose a pot that is the same diameter as the burner. If you choose the right size pot, you can save up to \$36 annually using an electric range or \$18 annually for a gas range!

**Guest Speaker at the Aquarium of the Pacific**  
Dr. Andrew Rosenberg will discuss science's role in American democracy and the trend of disbelief in scientific information. 7:00pm - 8:30pm  
\$5 for public or free live stream (562) 590-3100  
<http://www.aquariumofpacific.org>

**Local Harvest Farmers Market** Marine Stadium  
3:00pm - 8:00pm  
In parking lot at Marina Vista Park & Marine Stadium

**Greener Good Farmers Market**  
Corner of Atlantic & Artesia  
3:00pm - sunset

APRIL 30  
**Concourse: Ecocity, Public Beer & Wine**, 5:30pm-7:30pm,  
<https://www.facebook.com/events/1132509310108404/>

MAY 2  
**Children's Day & Earth Day Celebration**, 11-4pm  
El Dorado Park by The Duck Pond

THURSDAY  
APRIL 23

**14th Annual Municipal Green Building Conference & Expo**  
Navigating the Road Ahead: The Guide to Evolving Regulations and Changes to Green Building Standards in 2014. 8am-4:30pm, Southern California Gas Company Energy Resource Center 9240 Firestone Blvd Downey, CA 90241

**Think Twice Ridshare**  
Thursday  
CSULB Campus  
Beach Circle (Next to CBA)  
11am - 2pm  
Learn about ways to save money and time while reducing transportation related environmental impacts! For more info, contact Beach Pride Center (562-985-2535) and Sustain U (562-985-5851)

**LB -MANDATORY- WATER**  
Use Prohibitions

Serving drinking water to any customer in a restaurant or other public place where food is served, sold or offered for sale unless expressly requested by the customer.

**Bixby Knolls Farmers Market**  
Atlantic Ave & East 46th St.  
3:00pm - 6:00pm

FRIDAY  
APRIL 24

**WATER**  
Eco-Tip:  
**SAVE WATER**

To shrink your footprint start by washing your clothes in cold water - which will cut the energy use of your washing machine by 90 percent

**Bixby Knolls Farmer's Market**  
Atlantic Ave. & East 46th St.  
3:00pm - 6:00pm

MAY 12 - Composting  
12pm-1pm. Houghton Park Community Center (6301 Myrtle Ave.) To RSVP please contact Viki Ornelas at (562) 570-7904 or email [viki.ornelas@longbeach.gov](mailto:viki.ornelas@longbeach.gov)

MAY 20 - Vegetable Harvesting & Storage, 12pm-1pm, Civic Center Edible Garden. 333 W. Ocean Blvd.

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**Friends of LA River Cleanup**  
<http://folar.org/events/cleanup-2014>  
9am - 12pm at the Lower River  
Register online

**Green Prize Festival**  
Green Education, Inc, in collaboration with Leadership Long Beach, and Green Long Beach! are kicking off this one-day FREE event highlighting urban farmers, green chefs, live entertainment, artists, green technology, environmental organizations as well as education through workshops, guest speakers and demonstrations. The event will also feature "Farm to Table" meals, a free bike valet, beer garden, green vendors, food trucks and children's activities. 11am-7pm at Cesar Chavez Park [www.greenprizefestival.com](http://www.greenprizefestival.com)

**Gardening Class**  
Seed Starting, Summer Planting, Harvesting  
11:00am - 12:00pm at the Peace Garden Learning Center: 1950 Lemon Ave., Long Beach, 90802. To RSVP please contact Viki Ornelas at (562) 570-7904 or at [viki.ornelas@longbeach.gov](mailto:viki.ornelas@longbeach.gov)  
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**7th District Children's Day Festival**  
Admiral Kidd Park, 9am-2pm:  
<https://www.facebook.com/events/988657031159309/>

**Aquarium of the Pacific Long Beach Earth Day Celebration**  
Learn what you can do to help our ocean planet at the Aquarium of the Pacific's fifteenth annual Earth Day Celebration. Visit booths from various Earth-friendly organizations, and participate in hands-on learning demonstrations for people of all ages. General Admission--\$28.95 adult (12+), \$25.95 senior (62+), \$14.95 child (3-11), and free for children under age 3 and Aquarium members.  
9:00 am-5:00pm  
100 Aquarium Way  
Info/Tickets: (562)590-3100 or [www.aquariumofpacific.org](http://www.aquariumofpacific.org)

**8th District E-Waste & Shred Fest**  
9am-12pm, North Station Police Dept. Scherer Park (Corner of Atlantic Ave. & Del Amo Blvd.) (562)570-1326 [district8@longbeach.gov](mailto:district8@longbeach.gov)

**Long Beach East Farmers Market**  
Wardlow Rd. & Norwalk Blvd.  
10:00am - sellout

MAY 23 - Composting  
11am-12pm, Peace Garden Learning Center: 1950 Lemon Ave. To RSVP please contact Viki Ornelas at (562) 570-7904 or at [viki.ornelas@longbeach.gov](mailto:viki.ornelas@longbeach.gov)