

## MEMORANDUM

**DATE:** June 30, 2016  
**TO:** City Council  
**FROM:** John Pietig, City Manager  
**SUBJECT:** WEEKLY UPDATES

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**Summer Breeze Bus Service** - The City of Laguna Beach in partnership with the Orange County Transportation Authority is offering a new free bus service from a peripheral parking lot near the SR133/I-405 interchange in Irvine to Laguna Beach summer destinations. The “Summer Breeze Bus Service” will run every Saturday and Sunday, starting next Saturday, July 9, 2016, to August 28, 2016 from 11 a.m. to midnight. The service is offered every 30 minutes and runs along Laguna Canyon Road stopping at the Sawdust Art Festival, Laguna Art-A-Fair, Festival of the Arts, Pageant of the Masters, the Laguna Playhouse and the Laguna Beach Bus Station where riders can also connect with the free Laguna Beach Trolley. For more information, please see the **attached brochure**.

**4<sup>th</sup> of July Trolley Service** - Laguna Beach Transit will be offering a Modified 4<sup>th</sup> of July holiday Trolley Service on the Coastal and Canyon routes, with the service ending at 7:00 p.m. in lieu of 11:30 p.m. Normal Summer Festival Trolley Service will resume Tuesday, July 5 operating continuously from 9:30 a.m. – 11:30 p.m. Please contact the Transit Division at 949-497-0746 for information regarding the 4<sup>th</sup> of July trolley service.

**Fire Captain Retirement** - Fire Captain Steve Rening has retired from the Fire Department effective June 25 after 33 years of service to the City. Steve was hired full-time on January 7, 1983, and also served several years before that as a volunteer Firefighter. Steve’s father, Walter, was also a Firefighter for the City and was hired in 1953. As the Fire Department prepares for our centennial celebration in 2019, it is important to recognize and honor the service of the Rening family to the City for over 50 years.

**Nyes/Oro Fuel Modification Project** - The Fire Department recently completed the Nyes/Oro Canyon Fuel Modification Project in Arch Beach Heights. The project encompassed approximately 22 acres of land which was modified by hand crews who removed dead and/or dying vegetation, invasive plants, rubbish, and trash from the area. The goal of the project was to create a modified area of reduced fuel, or vegetation, between the homes and the open space. The area would create defensible space so Firefighters would have a greater chance of success when protecting homes from a wildfire, or even to prevent a house fire from spreading into the open space.

### REMINDERS:

**Public Art Dedication** - On Wednesday, July 6, 2016, at 5:30 p.m. the City of Laguna Beach will dedicate the artist designed bench installation “The Love that Binds” by artists Jose Calderon and Roberto Delgado at Crescent Bay Point Park. The benches have been created of travertine stone with handmade tile inserts which depict Laguna Beach its, people and places. This installation has been funded by the Laguna Beach resident Norman Powell.

**Red Phone Booth Temporary Art Installation** - The Arts Commission is currently accepting proposals for a temporary art installation. The booth is located on Forest Avenue and the Commission is seeking imaginative, whimsical and colorful proposals. The winning design will be on exhibit for 24 months and will receive an honorarium of \$3,500. The deadline for proposals is Monday, August 15, 2016. Complete guidelines and

application is available at [www.lagunabeachcity.slideroom.com](http://www.lagunabeachcity.slideroom.com). This project is funded by the lodging establishments and City of Laguna Beach.

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**LAGUNA BEACH SUMMER BREEZE  
OC BUS ROUTE 689 SCHEDULES**

**SOUTHBOUND**

SR-133/I-405 PARKING LOT	LAGUNA CANYON FESTIVAL OF THE ARTS	LAGUNA BEACH BUS STATION
11:00 a	11:16 a	11:22 a
11:30 a	11:46 a	11:52 a
12:00 p	12:16 p	12:22 p
12:30 p	12:46 p	12:52 p
1:00 p	1:16 p	1:22 p
1:30 p	1:46 p	1:52 p
2:00 p	2:14 p	2:20 p
2:30 p	2:44 p	2:50 p
3:30 p	3:44 p	3:50 p
4:00 p	4:14 p	4:20 p
4:30 p	4:44 p	4:50 p
5:00 p	5:14 p	5:20 p
5:30 p	5:44 p	5:50 p
6:00 p	6:14 p	6:20 p
6:30 p	6:44 p	6:48 p
7:00 p	7:13 p	7:17 p
7:30 p	7:43 p	7:47 p
8:00 p	8:13 p	8:17 p
8:30 p	8:42 p	8:46 p
9:00 p	9:12 p	9:16 p
9:30 p	9:42 p	9:46 p
10:00 p	10:12 p	10:16 p
10:30 p	10:42 p	10:46 p
11:00 p	11:12 p	11:16 p

**NORTHBOUND**

LAGUNA BEACH BUS STATION	LAGUNA CANYON FESTIVAL OF THE ARTS	LAGUNA BEACH SAWDUST ART FESTIVAL (LAGUNA CYN & FRONTAGE)	SR-133/I-405 PARKING LOT
11:02 a	11:03 a	11:04 a	11:21 a
11:32 a	11:33 a	11:34 a	11:51 a
12:02 p	12:03 p	12:04 p	12:21 p
12:32 p	12:33 p	12:34 p	12:51 p
1:02 p	1:03 p	1:04 p	1:21 p
1:32 p	1:33 p	1:34 p	1:51 p
2:03 p	2:04 p	2:05 p	2:21 p
2:33 p	2:34 p	2:35 p	2:51 p
3:01 p	3:02 p	3:03 p	3:21 p
3:31 p	3:32 p	3:33 p	3:51 p
4:00 p	4:02 p	4:03 p	4:21 p
4:30 p	4:32 p	4:33 p	4:51 p
5:00 p	5:02 p	5:03 p	5:21 p
5:30 p	5:32 p	5:33 p	5:51 p
6:01 p	6:02 p	6:03 p	6:21 p
6:31 p	6:32 p	6:33 p	6:51 p
7:01 p	7:02 p	7:03 p	7:21 p
7:33 p	7:34 p	7:35 p	7:51 p
8:03 p	8:04 p	8:05 p	8:21 p
8:33 p	8:34 p	8:35 p	8:51 p
9:04 p	9:05 p	9:06 p	9:21 p
9:34 p	9:35 p	9:36 p	9:51 p
10:04 p	10:05 p	10:06 p	10:21 p
10:34 p	10:35 p	10:36 p	10:51 p
11:04 p	11:05 p	11:06 p	11:21 p
11:34 p	11:35 p	11:36 p	11:51 p

**\*NEW\***



**RIDE FREE\* TO  
LAGUNA BEACH SUMMER FUN!**

**July 9 - August 28**  
Saturday & Sunday • 11 a.m. to Midnight

More details inside.

\*complimentary service provided by City of Laguna Beach



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## FREE AND EASY BUS SERVICE TO LAGUNA BEACH HOTSPOTS

Now you can enjoy all of Laguna Beach without driving and parking hassles. The Laguna Beach Summer Breeze (OC Bus Route 689) makes a loop beginning at the SR-133/I-405 parking lot and continues along Laguna Canyon Road with stops at the Sawdust Art Festival, Laguna Art-A-Fair, Festival of the Arts, Pageant of the Masters, the Laguna Playhouse and the Laguna Beach Bus Station, where it meets the free Laguna Beach Trolley\*. The trolley connects with shopping and foodie destinations along Pacific Coast Highway. The beach is only a block from the Laguna Beach Bus Station.

To return, just hop aboard at any of the stops and ride to the parking lot.

\*For more information about the Laguna Beach Trolley, visit [LagunaBeachCity.net/Trolley](http://LagunaBeachCity.net/Trolley)

### PARKING

Park free at the SR-133/I-405 parking lot at Limestone near the 405 & 5 freeways and catch the **FREE** Laguna Beach Summer Breeze.

### DRIVING DIRECTIONS

The parking lot is located at the junction of the I-405 & the SR-133 in Irvine

#### From the North:

##### I-5 South:

Take the exit 95 toward Laguna Beach (SR-133 South)  
Make a right on Laguna Canyon Road  
Make a right on Limestone

##### I-405 South:

Take the exit 2 toward Laguna Beach (SR-133 South)  
Take the exit 95 toward Laguna Beach (SR-133 South)  
Make a right on Laguna Canyon Road  
Make a right on Limestone

#### From the South:

##### I-5 North:

Keep right to take the I-405 North (Long Beach)  
Take the exit 2 toward Laguna Beach (SR-133 South)  
Make a right on Laguna Canyon Road  
Make a right on Limestone

#### From the beach cities:

Take the SR-133 North (Laguna Canyon Rd)  
Make a left on Laguna Canyon Rd  
Make a right on Limestone

