



## Long Beach Lawn Bowling Club

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# The Write Shot

[www.longbeachlbc.wordpress.com](http://www.longbeachlbc.wordpress.com)

[www.swlawnbowls.org](http://www.swlawnbowls.org)

[www.flickr.com/photos/lblbc](http://www.flickr.com/photos/lblbc)

[www.bowlsusa.us](http://www.bowlsusa.us)

## President's Message

Tony DeFazio



### Happy New Year!

I want to thank all of you for being so prompt in renewing your membership for 2015. Great way to start out the year! I would like to introduce you all to our new board members. Directors include: Richart White, Greg Goltart, Cecile Langevin, Eileen Lancendorfer, John Arbogast, and Jack Strong. Our officers are Jackie Huisman as Vice President, Laurie Richards as your secretary, Candy DeFazio as your treasurer and me ... your president.

I am so pleased that some of our newer members are stepping "onto the mat" so to speak and taking on Chairmanship and committee positions. Thank you Gail Aden, Patti Balsillie, Kay Hudnall, Mary Gaiz, JoAnn MacKnight, Mike Mirabal, Greg Jones, Rich DeCoudres, Sandra Schlosser, Carol Poto, Scott Boyd, Glenn Harwood, and Dee McSparran. The best way to get to know your fellow members is to get involved in running the club. Remember we are a completely volunteer organization.

This year our emphasis will be on making our clubhouse, greens and grounds sparkle as we will be hosting the Nationals in the month of October. Much work has to be done. But we are already off to a great start by clearing out old rubbish behind the garage and sprucing up the grounds. The greens committee is developing a plan to get the north green up to speed in the near future.

In our first Board Meeting we approved the purchase of a brand new Dennis Lawn Mower. Now we will have two mowers to work with. We were fortunate enough to sell our old Scott-Bonnors to Hermosa Beach. We now have over half the money we need for the new machine. It should be arriving in the next month. New machines and an enthusiastic work force will bring us the best greens in southern California.

See you on the green! *Tony*

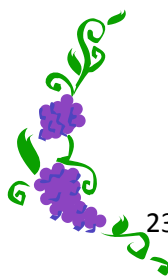
### DRAW BOWLING

Tuesdays, Thursdays, Saturdays, Sundays

10 am & 1 pm

Wednesdays 6pm

Please arrive at least 30 minutes before start time.



### The Wine Country

Randy Kemner

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### Private Parties Candy DeFazio

We have had several private parties this past year in 2014 and were able to earn \$2,615. Needless to say, without the help of many of our members, this would not have been possible. A big "Thank You" to all of you!

### Winter League Standings (1/3)

#### South Gold 1

Long Beach 1	114
Laguna Woods 1	85
Newport 1	84
Laguna Beach 1	64
Long Beach 3	22

#### South Gold 2

Laguna Woods 3	95
Laguna Woods 2	64
Long Beach 2	64
Laguna Beach 2	59
Newport 2	29

#### South Silver

Newport 1	115
Laguna Beach 1	90
Newport 2	85
Laguna Woods	71
Laguna Beach 2	58
Long Beach	21



# 2014 CHRISTMAS PARTY

by Jackie Huisman





## January Events

1/17	Sat	AGMs of SWWD (women) & SWLBA (men) 10 am	Santa Anita
1/28	Wed	Club Yardstick Triples	LBLBC

### 2015 SWD Tournament Schedule

The schedule is being finalized and will be published after being approved at the Men's and Women's AGMs.

### Lydia House Canned Food Drive 2014



Generous Donors = \$775.71

Happy Recipients = 135 Food items delivered 1-2-15

Thank you for supporting Lydia House.

Gayle & Milton Merrill

*(Receipts with club Treasurer)*



*Dee McSparran receiving award for Gold in Singles at 2014 US National Championships*



**Dee McSparran**



**Robert Busciglio**



### 2015 Team Announced

for

#### Tiger Bowls & China Open

March 13-19, Hong Kong & Shenzhen, China

<b>Candy DeFazio</b>	Aaron Zangl
Jan Hargraves	Brian Stewart
Linda Roberts	George Ralston Jr
<b>Margi Rambo</b>	Clay Nolde



### Law 35 Possession of the Rink

- 35.1 Possession of the rink will belong to the player or team whose bowl is being played.
- 35.2 As soon as each bowl comes to rest, possession of the rink will transfer to the opposing player or team after allowing time for marking a toucher as soon as it comes to rest.