



LOS ANGELES YACHT CLUB®

Wednesday Luncheon Program – JUNE 2019, noon to 1:30 p.m.

June 5



John Sangmeister: Advocate for the Sport of Sailing

John Sangmeister is an entrepreneur as well as a passionate sailor. U.S. Sailing President Cory Sertl recently appointed him Select Director, to coordinate with the City of Long Beach to plan and activate the Sailing Venue for the Los Angeles Summer Olympic Games in 2028. He also served as Co-Entry Chairman for the 2019 Transpac, with a record 100 entries. 2019 will mark John's 8th Transpac (his fourth as skipper) and 10th Pacific crossing.

June 12



Eric Watkins: Shipping Intelligence

Eric Watkins is US Correspondent for Lloyd's List, one of the world's oldest continuously running shipping journals, having provided weekly reports in London as early as 1734. Based in San Pedro, Eric covers the nation's container trade across the Pacific Ocean, and global developments as they occur. He has detailed knowledge of the region's transport system, including maritime, railroad and trucking, and has visited all of the major ports up and down the coast, even travelling the ferry systems of Seattle, San Francisco, and the Gulf of California.

June 19



Angela Romero: San Pedro's Rich History and Culture

Angela Romero has walked every street in San Pedro and spent the last ten years studying and sharing the town's rich history. Her passion and enthusiasm for preserving her hometown's heritage is infectious and refreshing. Learn all about her plans and goals for the newly formed San Pedro Heritage Museum, including historical preservation, community projects and a local history educational program.

June 26



Speaker TBA: Port of Los Angeles Police Department

The Los Angeles Port Police (LAPP) is comprised of 125 California Peace Officers who patrol waterways, Terminal Island, San Pedro, and Wilmington 24 hours a day, 7 days a week by boat, vehicle, motorcycle and bicycle. Dedicated exclusively to port activities, LAPP responds to incidences of domestic violence, commercial burglary, narcotics smuggling and human trafficking as well as intelligence and investigations related to national security.

In the tradition of the Club, the Wednesday luncheon is open to the public. Please make reservations at LAYC.org or call the Club office, (310) 831-1203, if you plan to attend. Lunch is \$20+tax and visitors can pay by cash or credit card.