

SATURDAY. DECEMBER 11, 2010

3-DAY FORECAST  
TODAY 74  
SUNDAY 79  
MONDAY 75  
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## LONG BEACH'S CHRISTMAS EVENTS ALIGHT **DAISY DOES IT RIGHT**



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Long Beach Mayor Bob Foster and 7th District Councilman James Johnson join a crowd of residents Friday night for the annual Daisy Avenue Tree Lighting ceremony on Daisy Avenue near Hill Street. The Daisy Lane Christmas Parade steps off today.

### There's more to come

• Daisy Avenue has long been known for its holiday festivities and, although they started Friday night with the tree lighting, there's lots more ahead.  
The 57th annual Daisy Avenue Christmas Parade steps off at 5 p.m. today and runs along Daisy Avenue between Burnett Street and Pacific Coast Highway.



The High-Tide Quartet entertains the crowd along Daisy Avenue in Long Beach on Friday night.

### Naples ablaze

• The annual Naples Christmas Boat Parade sails off tonight at around 6 p.m. The festively lighted big boats float around the more open waters of Alamitos Bay while the smaller but equally lighted-up craft navigate the canals of Naples starting around 6:30 p.m.  
Want to go? Plan on lots of walking, but it's worth it. Stash your car in Belmont Shore and wander over to Naples Island or if you're content just seeing

### Weather's warming



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