

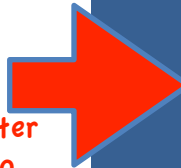
# Point Loma Assembly

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## Join us on April 13 and learn about San Diego's famous early feminist - Ellen Browning Scripps

The name Ellen Browning Scripps is well known in San Diego. Born in 1836, she was an American newspaperwoman, feminist, suffragist, abolitionist, and social reformer who used her fortune to support women's education, the labor movement, and public access to science, the arts, and education. She was the founding donor of several major institutions in Southern California and founded the Scripps Research Institute (TSRI), in La Jolla in 1924.

In 2017 Molly McClain wrote *Ellen Browning Scripps: New Money and American Philanthropy*. Dr. McClain (PhD, Yale) is a history professor at the University of San Diego. As a biographer, she emphasizes the role of the individual in history.

A native San Diegan, she grew up along the coast and attended the University of Chicago for college. Returning to San Diego meant coming back to her roots. She traces her family's history nine generations to José López, a Spanish soldier who accompanied Father Junípero Serra to Alta California in 1769.

She serves on the board of the La Jolla Historical Society and is involved in the effort to add the La Jolla Park Coastal Historic District to the National Register of Historic Places.



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**Doors open at 4:30 p.m., with program to follow.**

### Point Loma Assembly's Mission:

To promote literary, social, educational, philanthropic, civic, and artistic work, and to restore and maintain the Assembly building at 3035 Talbot Street.

## Special Thanks to Our Business Sponsors

*Pam Hamilton Lester*  
*Membership Chair*

The Assembly's Business Sponsors provide financial support to the Assembly's mission. These Sponsors are local and regional businesses and organizations who are supportive of good causes. In turn, each Sponsor is worthy of the support of members of the Assembly and the broader community. Each monthly Newsletter lists our Business Sponsors at the bottom of page 2. To give a larger shout-out, please note our Business Sponsors for the current fiscal year (July 1, 2022 – June 30, 2023), including two new Sponsors:

**Brigantine Restaurants**  
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**Girls Scouts San Diego (new)**  
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**Visions Museum of Textile Art**



### *Message from Pam Fuchs, President*

Welcome to April and maybe no more showers for a while.

Many thanks to Jean Durgan, Sally Bixler, Leslie Harrington, Maureen Cavaiola, Mary Katherine Reeber, Karen Davis, Lynn Silva, Belle Ann Baker, Helen Kinnaird and Shirley Haimsohn for attending the March Community Impact Meeting. The group met to evaluate the projects that were presented in January as well as to give suggestions regarding the formalization of the Community Impact Committee itself. At this time the committee is working to collaborate with Cabrillo Elementary to bring an arts program to its students. The committee is also working to bring more groups to collaborate with the Peninsula Shepard Senior Center.

An announcement of this year committee's recommendations will be made at our June Membership Celebration.

I look forward to seeing each of you at our April 13 meeting.

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**RENT THE ASSEMBLY** Hourly rate \$100, with 4-hour minimum. \$400 for half day, \$800 for full day. Discount for nonprofit organizations. Visit [pointlomaassembly.org/rentals](http://pointlomaassembly.org/rentals).

## Proposed Slate of Officers

Our fantastic Nominating Committee: Klonie Kunzel, Dorothea Laub and Pam Fuchs, is pleased to submit this proposed slate of officers for board vacancies for 2023-2024:

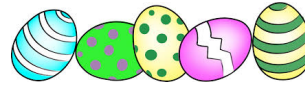
<b>President</b>	Sally Bixler <b>NEW</b>
<b>Vice President</b>	Lynn Silva <b>NEW</b>
<b>Treasurer</b>	Belle Ann Baker
<b>Secretary</b>	Patti Adams
<b>Membership</b>	Cecilia Carrick <b>NEW</b>
<b>House</b>	Marilyn Daniels
<b>Hospitality</b>	Leslie Harrington <b>NEW</b>
<b>Legacy</b>	Pam Hamilton Lester
<b>Communications</b>	Marty Smith <b>NEW</b>
<b>Historian</b>	Maureen Cavaiola <b>NEW</b>
<b>Restoration</b>	Beth Collado
<b>Community Impact</b>	Carolyn Bick <b>NEW</b>

Thank you so much Patti Adams and Pam Hamilton Lester for chairing TWO positions the past few years and to Cecilia Carrick, who jumps in wherever needed. We appreciate your taking on the extra work to benefit the Assembly. If you are interested in submitting other names, please do so to Klonie Kunzel by email at [kunzel@cox.net](mailto:kunzel@cox.net) or phone 619-222-1950 by our May 11 General Meeting.

## Membership

*Pam Hamilton Lester, Membership Chair*

Please welcome back our newest FY 2023-2024 Assembly member Cameron Peter. We are **now 150 members strong!** Please encourage your neighbors, friends and colleagues to explore Assembly membership. Guests are welcome at Assembly meetings. A complete introduction to the Assembly, including a Membership Application, is provided online at [PointLomaAssembly.org](http://PointLomaAssembly.org).



## NEW BUSINESS SPONSOR

### Girl Scouts of San Diego

Girl Scouts of the United States of America, commonly referred to as simply Girl Scouts was founded by Juliette Gordon Low in 1912 in Savannah, Georgia. Five years later, in 1917, Girl Scouting arrived in San Diego. In 1965, the individual councils serving San Diego County and Imperial County merged.

Girl Scouts San Diego is committed to fostering and cultivating inclusive, equitable and culturally conscious experiences. They strive for members, volunteers, staff, and diverse communities to see themselves represented, feel welcome, and have a sense of belonging and support.

They are dedicated to understanding similarities and differences, building equity and relationships, dismantling inequities, and promoting a dialogue of acceptance and respect through Girl Scouts. Visit [sdgirlscouts.org](http://sdgirlscouts.org).

### Junior Stage Auditions

The always popular Junior Stage Auditions for the Point Loma Summer Concerts will be hosted at Point Loma Assembly. Junior Bands, Junior Emcees, and Patriotic Singers will all be given the chance to wow a panel of concert committee judges on April 28, 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Eight Junior Bands are expected but more may register. Details [pointlomasummerconcerts.org](http://pointlomasummerconcerts.org).



# Around town...



## “Wild Women”

Saturday, April 8 at 8 p.m.

Point Loma Assembly

The incomparable Devlin Performs “Wild Women.” The show combines jazz, blues, emotional ballads and pop songs proving wild women do get the blues, but they also have a hell of a good time along the way.



Photo: Daren Scott

Originally produced and performed in New York City Wild Woman was arranged,

and music directed by the multi award winning arranger, singer and songwriter Rick Jensen. Devlin will be joined by San Diego favorite, pianist and songwriter Richard James. Tickets \$20 at [www.pointlomaplayhouse.com](http://www.pointlomaplayhouse.com).

## Easter Sunrise Service at Cabrillo National Monument

Sunday, April 9, 2023

The Kiwanis Club of Point Loma will present an ecumenical Easter Sunrise Service at Cabrillo National Monument. Gates open at 6 a.m. with the non-denominational service beginning at 6:30 a.m. There is seating for approximately 500 attendees but you can bring your own chairs and blankets. No pets. Visitor and parking fees waived for the service, but you will be asked to leave prior to the 9 a.m. park opening. A fellowship time with coffee, tea and pastries will be held immediately following the services.



POINT LOMA  
*Garden Walk*

Presented by Point Loma/Dana Unit  
of Rady Children's Hospital Auxiliary

**Sat. April 29, 2023**  
**10AM—3PM**

*Featuring*  
A walking tour of home gardens in Point Loma Wooded Area  
Point Loma Artists in the Gardens  
Point Loma Artist Association Art Sale  
Boutique at nearby All Souls' Episcopal Church with Local  
Artisans, Crafters, Clothing, Jewelry & Food Trucks

Tickets \$35 per person  
Special: Buy 10 or more for only \$30.00 each

Tickets can be purchased online at:  
[pointlomagardenwalk.com](http://pointlomagardenwalk.com)  
or the day of the event at:  
605 Gage Dr. San Diego 92106  
Or at the Boutique-1475 Catalina Blvd. 92107

Net proceeds to benefit Division of Plastic  
Surgery Craniofacial Services  
Rady Children's Hospital-San Diego