

# Point Loma Assembly

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*(Left) Elaine Harwell, Senior Counsel at the law offices of Procopio et al, spoke about the very important topic of Cyber Security.*



*Valentine-themed table decor was courtesy of the always amazing Carolyn Kutzke and Karen Kapp.*



*Marta was all smiles as she greeted people at the beverage table while the tasty buffet of treats beckoned members.*



**Point Loma Assembly is on the Tour March 7!**



## **Our March 12 Meeting is a Joint Meeting with La Playa Trail Association!**

Zeca Rodrigues from the Portuguese Historical Center will speak about "The Portuguese in San Diego". See poster on page 2 for details. Refreshments will be served.

*5:30-7 p.m. Free to the public. Suggested donation is \$10.*

## **Our Mission:**

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



## Membership News

### Membership Co-Chairs

*Susan Diamond and Caroline Glasner*

Now is the perfect time to encourage your friends to join the Point Loma Assembly at a pro-rated cost of \$50, which covers membership thru June 30, 2020. It is a great organization with friendly members all supporting our building and community.

Our March meeting will be a joint meeting with La Playa Trail Association and doors will open at 5:30 p.m. instead of 4:30 p.m. Suggested donation is \$10.

*Membership questions?* Contact Susan Diamond at [susan.diamond@sothebysrealty.com](mailto:susan.diamond@sothebysrealty.com) / 619- 977-9190 or Caroline Glasner, [caroline.glasner@sothebysrealty.com](mailto:caroline.glasner@sothebysrealty.com) / 619- 992-2083.

## Why volunteer On the Assembly Board?

*by Cecilia Carrick, Board President*

I have several well scripted responses.

Many of you have great new ideas that will make us even more helpful to our community. We can't wait to hear them.

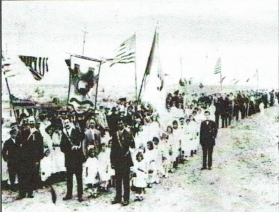
Many of you are very talented: share your insights and your past experiences, so we can strengthen our processes.

Many of you want to improve the way things are. Great! Change means work, but also opportunities.


Many of you love to socialize and expand your world with interesting people. We have many for you to meet.

Join us. Get engaged, and share our vision and mission for a better, more connected, neighborhood through the Point Loma Assembly.

Nominations are open now. The nominating committee is composed of Klonie Kunzel, Pat Horvath and Dottie Laub. Please call Klonie at 619-222-1950 with your suggestions, nominations, etc.



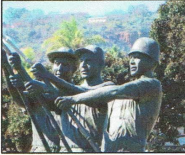
Portuguese Festa 1915



E/V Belle of Portugal 1937 ... YP 321 1942

La Playa Trail Association & The Point Loma Assembly  
present

*The Portuguese in San Diego*  
With Portuguese Memorabilia, Photographs and Refreshments  
by  
*Zeca Rodrigues The Portuguese Historical Center*



◀ Tunaman's Memorial

The Portuguese Historical Center was established in 1977 by Basilio Frietas to preserve and capture Portuguese history for future generations. Displaying pertinent historical artifacts and archiving photographs ensures San Diego's Portuguese community shall always be remembered. 🇵🇹

Thursday evening March 12, 2020  
The Point Loma Assembly  
[laplayatrail.org](http://laplayatrail.org) (619) 222-1950

5:30 to 7:00  
3035 Talbot St. Point Loma  
Suggested/Donation \$10.00

Thank you to our business sponsors: American Cancer Society Discovery Shop Point Loma, Brigantine Restaurants, La Playa Books, Pacific Sotheby's International Realty, Peninsula Family YMCA, Save Our Heritage Organisation (SOHO) and Visions Art Museum.

**RENT THE ASSEMBLY** The hourly rate is \$100, with 4-hour minimum. \$400 for half day, \$800 for full day. Ask about our discount for nonprofit organizations. Visit [Pointlomaassembly.org/rentals](http://Pointlomaassembly.org/rentals).



## Remembering Edwina Goddard

The recent passing of Edwina Goddard reminds us of what a remarkable woman she was.

Born in North Park, her family moved to Point Loma when she was 5 years old. She attended Cabrillo School (*at one point her mother was her teacher*), as well as Jefferson and Point Loma High School.



She grew up rowing her little boat all over San Diego Bay and was a fount of San Diego and Point Loma knowledge. Her mother, grandmother and in-laws all belonged to Point Loma Assembly and today, daughter Ellen Ewing and daughter-in-law Ann Matchinske are also members.

Several years ago when ownership of the Assembly Hall was going to be transferred to an outside party, she attended a meeting where she was the only one to say absolutely not! She consulted with an attorney and then contacted Dottie Laub and between them and a handful of others, they prevented that from happening. Edwina's history is closely entwined with Point Loma Assembly and she will be missed.

## Junior Auditions for Point Loma Summer Concerts

The always popular Junior Band auditions will be held March 21, 10 a.m.-3 p.m. at Point Loma Assembly. Singers of all ages will be selected to sing a patriotic song prior to the headlining band's performance.

A Junior Stage MC (between the ages of 9-18), and Youth Bands to open for the headlining band (All band members must be high school age or younger) are also needed.

A PA system and drum set will be provided at the audition. Applicants have 15 minutes to perform for the audition. Participants must live, go to school or work in the Peninsula area.

This summer's concert dates are 7/10, 7/17, 7/24, 7/31 & 8/7.

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# Around town...



March 6, 2020 5-9 p.m.

## First Friday at Liberty Station

San Diego's FREE monthly art event includes a free concert, craft beer garden and Pop-up markets, new dance performances and art exhibits. Start at the Information Desk at Dick Laub NTC Command Center, 2640 Historic Decatur Road and pick up a program map.

March 7, 2020 5 p.m.

## Inspired by Africa Fashion Show Visions Art Museum, Liberty Station

Susan Lazear, Professor of Fashion at San Diego Mesa College, will narrate a show featuring African inspired works designed and created by students. Come before the show to enjoy Fabric and Quilts, an exhibition by Mesa College Fashion Program Students. Tickets call (619) 546 - 4872.

March 17, 2020

10 a.m. - 5 p.m.

## Celebrate everything Green

### Point Loma Discovery Shop

Green apparel, gifts, home decor and other special items will be offered in celebration of St. Patrick's Day. 3609 Midway Drive, in the Von's Shopping Center.

March 21, 2020

## Point Loma Garden Club Annual Plant Sale

9 a.m. - Noon

### Portuguese Hall, Point Loma

Proceeds provide, in part, ongoing philanthropic support for local college scholarships and community organizations.

## Making God Laugh Continues Through March 15

This rollicking play follows one typical family over the course of thirty years' worth of holidays. Weekends. Tickets at [eventbrite.com](http://eventbrite.com).



**SAVE THE DATE**

**The 35th Annual  
UPSES FESTA BBQ**

*Celebrating 110 Years of Festa*



**Saturday March 28, 2020**  
UPSES Portuguese Hall  
2818 Avenida De Portugal

Sponsorship opportunities available  
Please contact  
Annette Balelo  
619-886-1125  
**MORE INFO TO COME SOON**