

Beyond the Waterfront

Port partnerships support community events, activities



Port officials and staff handed out hundreds of free water bottles and snow cones to participants and attendees at the AMGEN Bike Tour of California.



Children enjoy a rare "snowfall" during Snow Day at Whaley Park, sponsored in part by the Port.



As a partner in "Long Beach Reads One Book," the Port funded 7,500 books for local students.

The Port of Long Beach is a major contributor to many community events. "Community partnerships are a top priority for the Port," said Harbor Commission President James C. Hankla. "That's reflected in our sponsorships and ongoing support for many events and activities."

Recently the Port was among the sponsors of the AMGEN Bike Tour of California, the Toyota Southern California Grand Prix of Swimming at the Belmont Plaza Olympic Pool, and the 4th Council District Snow Day. Contributions from the Port allowed 7,500 local high school students to read Tom Brokaw's "The Greatest Generation" during the annual "Long Beach Reads One Book" event.



Port Managing Director J. Christopher Lytle hands awards to top swimmers.