

Beverly Hills marks 25 years since 9/11



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The event was attended by BHFD Chief Greg Barton, Councilwoman Sharona Nazarian, Vice Mayor Mary Wells, Mayor Craig Corman, Councilman Lester Friedman, Councilwoman Rebecca Pynoos and BHPD Chief Max Subin.

First-in Fire holds 9/11 commemoration ceremony

Members of the First-in Fire Foundation held a commemorative ceremony on Sept. 11 at the 9/11 Memorial in Hancock Park, the open space surrounding the Los Angeles County Museum of Art

was installed shortly after the terrorist attacks in 2001 and honors Capt. Charles Burlingame, pilot of American Airlines Flight 77, which was hijacked and flown into The Pentagon.

Julia Klein, senior manager of

Beverly Hills commemorated the 25th anniversary of the Sept. 11 terrorist attacks with its annual remembrance ceremony on Sept. 11 at the Beverly Hills 9/11 Memorial Garden.

The ceremony was held at the memorial adjacent to Beverly Hills Fire Station 1 at 445 N. Rexford Drive. The city's annual observance honors the 2,977 people killed in the attacks on the World Trade Center, Pentagon and near Shanksville, Pennsylvania, as well as first responders and others who assisted in the aftermath.

The Beverly Hills 9/11 Memorial Garden was dedicated on Sept. 11, 2011, the 10th anniversary of the attacks. Its centerpiece is a steel beam recovered from the World Trade Center site. The memorial also includes elements representing the World Trade Center, Pentagon and crash site near Shanksville.

The Beverly Hills memorial has hosted annual remembrance ceremonies since its dedication. Traditional elements of the observance included a color guard, bagpipes, a wreath laying, bell ringing, the playing of taps and a performance by the Beverly Hills High School Madrigal Singers.

The memorial garden is open daily from sunrise to sunset at 445 N. Rexford Drive. For information, visit beverlyhills911memorial.org.

president of the First-In Fire Foundation and Katherine Kotcheff, senior director of campaign and special projects for the Natural History Museum of Los Angeles County at the ceremony

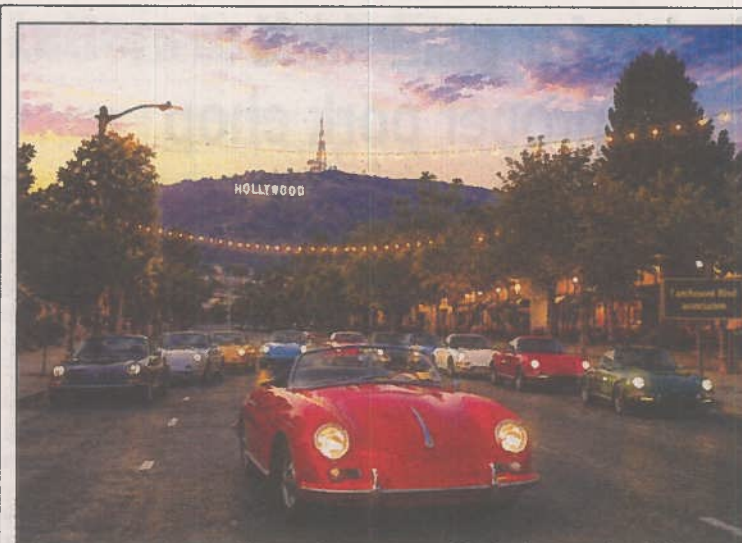


image courtesy of the Larchmont Boulevard Association

The inaugural event is being held in partnership with the Porsche Club of America-Los Angeles.

'Cars Under The Stars' rolls onto Larchmont Boulevard

Enjoy "Cars Under The Stars" on Saturday, Sept. 19, from 4:30-8:30 p.m. on Larchmont Boulevard between Clinton Street and Rosewood Avenue.

The inaugural car show is presented by the Larchmont Boulevard Association in partnership with the Porsche Club of America-Los Angeles. The evening celebrates automotive design, community and the unforgettable atmosphere of Los Angeles at dusk.

Proceeds benefit the Larchmont Boulevard Association's ongoing beautification projects, helping to enhance, restore and preserve the

the event began with the idea of capturing an iconic Los Angeles image of extraordinary vintage and exotic Porsches framed by the Hollywood Sign as dusk settles over the city and Larchmont's new bistro lights are illuminated.

"That's really where the idea for 'Cars Under the Stars' began," LBA president Romi Cortier said. "I wanted to create that perfect Los Angeles moment – the Hollywood Sign at dusk, the bistro lights coming on and these beautiful Porsches lining Larchmont Boulevard. It felt like an image that could only happen here."