

The Craziest Things You See Driving in LA

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As Angelenos, we spend a countless hours in our cars and as such we see a lot of insane things like a dude shaving or a woman flossing her teeth behind the wheel. I once saw a sports car flipped over on the sidewalk of La Cienega near the 10. And we've all experienced that guy talking on his cell phone who is oblivious to his surroundings because that call is *super important*. Our cars are extensions of ourselves, and we can't help but document what we see around us. Here's to the zaniness of driving in L.A.!

The Car on Car

Spotted in the Ralph's parking lot in Studio City, maybe this driver assumed this is what stacked parking means.



Photo: Twitter user [@hypomaniCl](#)

Vanity Plates Galore

There are two things I love about this photo. One, that this could be Madonna's car. Two, we are so freaked out by rain we have to document it? During this week's storms, watch as Twitter and Instagram

fills up with photos of us writing captions like, “Guys, it’s raining!!! [Rain emoji three times].”



Photo: Instagram user (who asked not to be named)

Really Bad Typos

If you like proofreading, you’ll love the signs in L.A. One of them is bound to have an error, but nothing as egregious as spelling Olympic wrong on the 710 freeway.



Photo: [Gereron Darnell Shepard](#)

Our Cars, Ourselves

I think this car owner really loves chickens. Or maybe some well-to-do chicken owns the car. We will never know.



Photo: Bryan Stranahan

Dogs as Drivers

Listen, this dog has to get to the set right now, so naturally he's scoping out traffic for the best route.



Photo: [Keisuke Hoashi](#)

Fire Spotting

In our dry climate, fires are pretty common, but these recent blazes—the huge fire that wiped out a downtown LA apartment complex and this scorcher along the 5 near the grape vine—feel like something out of an apocalypse movie.



@alisuegee

Photo: [Alicia Gibbs](#)



Photo: Alina Kwak

Band Pride

A can of black spray paint and a white van are all you need to tell the world that you are super into Metallica. Bumper stickers are too easy.



Photo: [@jtg_foto](#)

Cops Out

Either this police officer is secretly Santa, or Santa did some naughty things before Christmas.

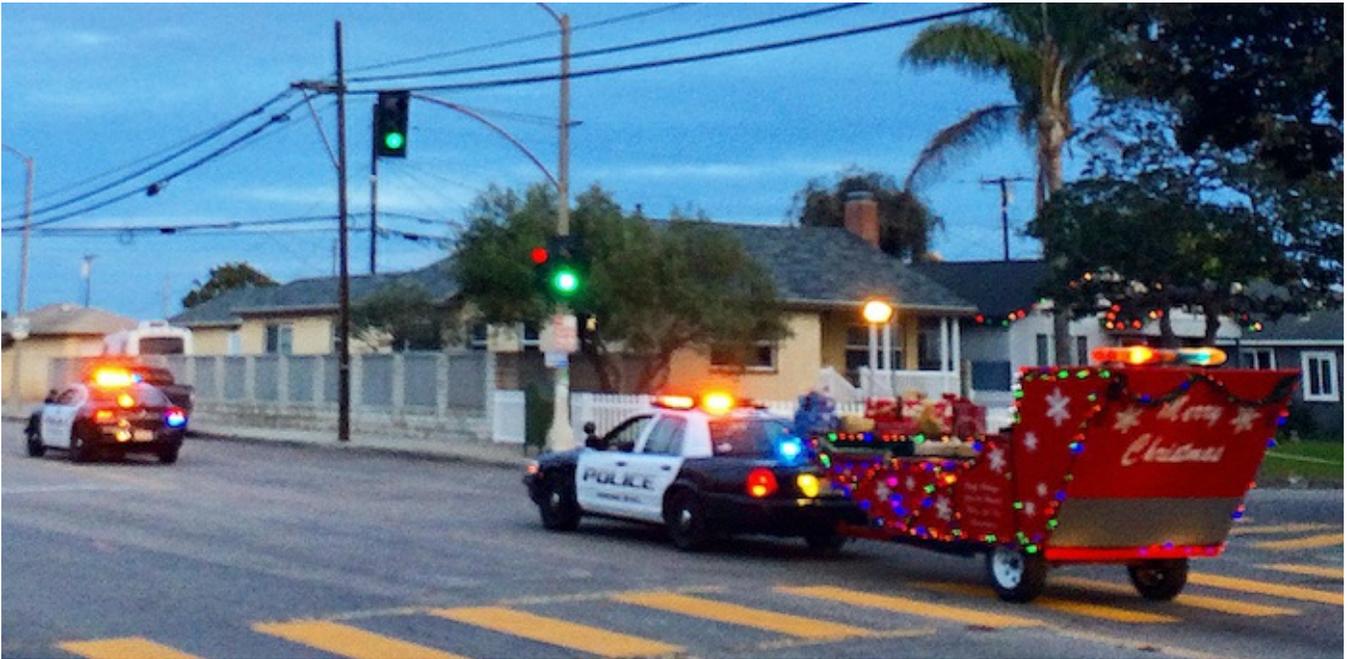


Photo: Melissa Richardson Banks

Water Everywhere

On Santa Monica Boulevard near La Brea, a fire hydrant was knocked out. Or maybe the new *Exodus* movie is premiering there.



Photo: [Sarah Allyn Bauer](#)

Ex Shaming

I saved the best/worst for last, guys. Written on the back of this car in permanent paint: "I'm so sorry / stupid I cheated on my boyfriend. I feel like a tramp." Yikes.



Photo: Chris Wiltz