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## ENJOY THE AUTUMN SEA FAIR IN SAN PEDRO

*Annual fall event at Cabrillo Marine Aquarium will be held October 21*

**SAN PEDRO** – Cabrillo Marine Aquarium, a City of Los Angeles Department of Recreation and Parks facility located at 3720 Stephen M. White Dr. in San Pedro, will hold its annual Autumn Sea Fair on Sunday, October 21, 2007 from 10:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

The free event will celebrate the bounty of the ocean with games, beach Olympics, live music, marine-related exhibits, fireboat display, and arts & crafts. There will also be a sand sculpture contest, a hunt for buried pirate treasure, and the 2007 Queen of the Sea competition, which attendees can enter or help select the winner of.

More than 25 educational and environmental exhibitors are expected to participate, including: California Department of Fish and Game, U.S. Coast Guard Auxiliary, Friends of Ballona Wetlands, Friends of the Elephant Seal, Friends of the Sea Lion Marine Mammal Center, Heal the Bay, Huntington Beach Surf Museum, L.A. City Junior Lifeguards, L.A. Maritime Museum, Marine Mammal Care Center at Fort MacArthur, Santa Monica Pier Aquarium, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, and U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service.

Guests can pack a picnic or purchase food and drinks from on-site vendors. Beach parking (\$1 per hour per vehicle) is limited, so those planning to attend are encouraged to use the park-and-ride area at 22nd and Miner streets and take the free shuttle to the venue.

The event is sponsored by the Department of Recreation and Parks, Friends of Cabrillo Marine Aquarium, and the Port of Los Angeles. For more information, call (310) 548-7562.

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