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ANOTHER CHANCE TO SEE GRAY WHALES

Special program presented by Cabrillo Marine Aquarium in San Pedro

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, is offering an additional excursion to see marine life, including whales, dolphins, sea birds, and more.

The trip will take place on Sunday, March 16, 2008, and the highlight of the day will be an opportunity to observe Pacific gray whales as they pass by during their annual migration from nutrient rich Alaskan waters to warm protected lagoons off Baja California, a distance of several thousand miles.

Prior to departure, the Aquarium will host a short slide show and lecture on gray whales. Following the presentation, participants will board a whale-watching boat in Long Beach for a two-hour voyage in search of whales, dolphins, sea lions, sea birds, and more.

The cost is \$20 per person (\$18 for members of FRIENDS of Cabrillo Marine Aquarium); space is still available, but reservations are required. The slide show will begin at 9:30 a.m., and the day's activities will conclude at about 2:00 p.m.

For more information about or to make reservations for the whale watching trip, or to receive a calendar of Aquarium events, call (310) 548-7562 or visit www.cabrilloaq.org.

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