

Monterey Bay National Marine Sanctuary
2011/12 Sanctuary Advisory Council Calendar
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<i>Topic</i>	<i>Expected Activities</i>	<i>Schedule/Notes</i>
1. <u>Water Quality</u>		
1a. Beach Closures	Expected/Possible SAC Activities: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sewage Treatment & Storm Water • Harmful Algal Blooms 	Possible Schedule:
1b. Aquaculture	Expected/Possible SAC Activities: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reports and update on aquaculture permitting process-NMFS 	Possible Schedule:
1c. Cruise Ships & Vessel Traffic	Expected/Possible SAC Activities: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Update on outreach efforts • Whale ship strikes 	Possible Schedule:
2. <u>Ocean Literacy</u>		
2a. Promoting Volunteer Activities	Expected/Possible SAC Activities:	Possible Schedule:
2b. Interpretive Facilities	Expected SAC Activities: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Annual update on Santa Cruz Exploration Center • Annual update on San Simeon Coastal Discovery Center 	Possible Schedule: April 2011? Possible Schedule: Oct 2011?

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2c. Education Activities	Expected/Possible SAC Activities: Promotion of Ocean Literacy efforts at MBNMS Promotion of Ocean Literacy efforts at NOAA	Possible Schedule:
3. <u>Ecosystem Based Management (EBM) Initiative</u>		
3a. Report on Research Areas Workshop	Expected/Possible SAC Activities	Possible Schedule: December 2010
3b. Report on Unique & Rare workshop	Expected/Possible SAC Activities	Possible Schedule:
4. <u>Introduced Species</u>		
4a. Status	Expected SAC Activities: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cal Fish and Game Presentation • Undaria update? 	Possible Schedule:
5. <u>Bottom Trawling Effects on Benthic Habitats</u>		
5a. Status of 5-year project	Expected SAC Activities: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Annual presentation from CSUMB/TNC 	Possible Schedule:
6. <u>Fishing Related Education and Research</u>		

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6a. Fishing Related Education & Outreach	<p>Expected SAC Activities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presentation on MBNMS Fishermen in the Classroom & Voices of the Bay • Presentation on Collaborative Fisheries Research Programs (ie SLOSEA/TNC) 	Possible Schedule:
<u>7. Sanctuary Research Issues</u>		
7a. Sanctuary Integrated Monitoring Network (SIMoN) Characterization Products	<p>Expected SAC Activities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presentation on Sanctuary Characterization Image Display (SCID) & Eco Vis 	Possible Schedule:
7b. Kelp Survey update from UCSC PISCO Program	<p>Expected SAC Activities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presentation from PISCO (Partnership for Interdisciplinary Studies of Coastal Oceans) 	Possible Schedule:
<u>8. Emerging & Other Issues</u>		
8a. Climate Change Issues	<p>Expected SAC Activities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review and comment on WC Ocean Acidification Task Force action plan • Sea level Rise & Associated Issues 	Possible Schedule: December 2010

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8b. Marine Mammal, Seabirds & Turtles	<p>Expected SAC Activities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presentation on Plastics in the Ocean/Styrofoam ban/View Movie: Bag it! During lunch break • Lost Fishing Gear Update 	<p>Possible Schedule: Possible Schedule: Dec 2011</p>
8c. NOAA and other National Policy Issues	<p>Expected SAC Activities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presentation on Aquaculture/Mariculture (ie. Monterey Bay Salmon & Trout Project) • NOAA Policy Update on Energy (ei, wind power) • NOAA/ONMS Budget Update 	<p>Possible Schedule:</p>
8d. Desalination	<p>Expected SAC Activities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Update on Desal plant planning 	<p>Possible Schedule:</p>
8e. NOAA Fisheries Management	<p>Expected SAC Activities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presentation by NOAA Fisheries on How are Fisheries Managed? 	<p>Possible Schedule:</p>
8f. Multiple Use of Sanctuary Resources Opportunities	<p>Expected SAC Activities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presentation on Ships to Reefs 	<p>Possible Schedule:</p>
1c. Chemicals of Emerging Concern	<p>Expected/Possible SAC Activities:</p>	<p>Pos Possible Schedule: Possible Schedule:</p>

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Topics list (GENERATED FROM INPUT AT 10/19 SAC MEETING IN CAMRIA)

1. Harbor dredging, dredge disposal and beach nourishment (ADDED UNDER EMERGING & OTHER ISSUES)
2. San Padres and San Clemente Dam presentations (ADDED UNDER EMERGING & OTHER ISSUES)
3. EBMI/MPA research results (ALREADY LISTED)
4. WQ – harmful algal blooms (i.e. Microcystin, pseudo-n.) (ADDED UNDER BEACH CLOSURES)
5. WQ – chemicals of emerging concern (i.e. pharmaceuticals, etc.) (ADDED UNDER WQ)
6. National vision on emerging issues and relatedness to MBNMS (SEE NOAA POLICIES BELOW)
7. Kelp Survey update via PISCO (ADDED UNDER SANCTUARY RESEARCH ISSUES)
8. Beach closures – tracking beach closures and sources (ALREADY LISTED)
9. Interpretive facilities – add SAN SIMEON interp. Facility. Give as updates, not full on presentations. (ADDED UNDER OCEAN LITERACY)
10. WQ – change name to beach wq monitoring and closures (THERE ARE ADDITIONAL TOPICS UNDER WQ)
11. NOAA policies update/coordination (i.e. wind power) (ADDED UNDER NOAA & OTHER NATIONAL POLICY ISSUES)
12. Aquaculture/Mariculture– PFMC concern regarding aquaculture placement in fishing grounds. Monterey Bay Salmon and Trout Project (ADDED UNDER NOAA & OTHER NATIONAL POLICY ISSUES)
13. Funding from NOAA – MBNMS financial operating budget (ADDED UNDER NOAA & OTHER NATIONAL POLICY ISSUES)
14. Climate change - Sea level rise and implications to sanctuary resources (ADDED UNDER CLIMATE CHANGE ISSUES)
15. Plastics and Styrofoam bans – presentation by Save Our Shores; advocacy we can do; combine with efforts of Coastal Cleanup; Bag It movie. Global issue, not just local. (ADDED UNDER MARINE MAMMAL, TURTLE & SEABIRD DISTURBANCE)
16. Desalination – MBNMS guidelines; have as a placeholder to possibly revisit (ADDED UNDER EMERGING & OTHER ISSUES)
17. How Fisheries are managed, particularly the Federal side of it. Pick a couple of species to talk about. (ADDED UNDER EMERGING & OTHER ISSUES)
18. Bottom Trawling – presentation on bottom trawling on WC has changed over the years (ALREADY ON LIST)
19. Fishing Ed and Research – more specific to collaborative research (i.e. Rick Starr), including a fisherman (ADDED UNDER FISHING RESEARCH & EDUCATION)
20. Facilitation of multiple use opportunities (Ship to Reefs is an example). (ADDED UNDER EMERGING & OTHER ISSUES)
21. WQ – cruise ships/vessel traffic (ADDED UNDER WQ)

Action:

Staff will synthesize topics and send draft 2 to SAC for review, and request input on when SAC members would like to schedule these presentations. SAC will send comments via email, and then finalize the calendar at next meeting.