



Monterey Bay National Marine Sanctuary Advisory Council Recreation and Tourism Newsletter June 2017



Strength in Numbers: Building Community Investment in Monterey Bay National Marine Sanctuary
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Volunteers for Monterey Bay National Marine Sanctuary's Team OCEAN program serve as trained naturalists on the water. Photo: G. Stewart

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What is Migrating this Month? What, When, and Where

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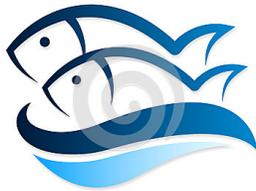
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UPCOMING EVENTS

Pillar Point - Half Moon Bay Pescadero Marsh



Half Moon Bay Discover the Secrets of Pescadero Marsh with guided walks

Event Description:

Guided walks led by State Park docents twice a month. Meet docents at the central Pescadero State Beach parking lot, just south of Highway 1 bridge over Pescadero Creek and 1/4 mile north of Pescadero Road.

Explore the birds, plants and other natural treasures in the marsh - the largest coastal wetland on the peninsula.

Santa Cruz Events Wednesday Night Sailboat Races



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Santa Cruz is known near and far for its surfing legacy. Surfer Magazine named Santa Cruz the best surf town in the U.S., we are home to countless iconic surfers including Jay Moriarty, whose story was featured on the big screen in Chasing Mavericks, and we even have a Surfing Museum that presents our rich history. But there is another water sport that finds a niche on our coast, with a similarly devoted following. Sailboats dot the waves almost as frequently as surf boards here, benefiting from

Monterey Events Summer of Love



Monterey Wharf & The Summer of Love Walking Tour."

The Monterey Fisherman's Wharf Association continues to team up with noted Monterey Bay Historian and author, Tim Thomas on monthly "Wharf Walks-Walking Tours at Monterey's Old Fisherman's Wharf". Tim will present two special walking tours on Saturday, May 27th and June 3rd from 10 am - Noon, "Monterey's Old Fisherman's Wharf & The Summer of Love Walking Tour."

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the tides and currents that make this beach town so special. So it is no surprise that the Santa Cruz Harbor and the Santa Cruz Yacht Club have become a nexus for the sailing community, with a calendar packed with activities and a weekly regatta, which brings out even the biggest land lover to admire the race every Wednesday. -

Location: Fisherman's Wharf Association, #1 Old Fishermans Wharf, Monterey, CA
[More Information](#)

Phone: (831) 521-3304

Time: 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM

Price: \$25 adults; \$15 for kids 10-15 years

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UPCOMING EVENTS

Carmel Events
Run of Love

Big Sur Events
Big Sur Lighthouse

Cambria Events
Annual Bike Ride Eventy



Carmel Events
Father's Day "Run of Love"

Big Sur Events
Sundays' Wednesday, and Saturdays

Cambria Events
April 22,2017

"Run in the Name of Love" is a scenic road race and walk held annually on Father's Day, the third Sunday of June. A 5K run begins at 8:25 a.m. at Carmel's historic Sunset Center and follows a coastal path alongside sandy white beaches and the dramatic Pacific Ocean, with a finish celebration overlooking Carmel Beach. Dogs are welcome to participate in the 2K walk/run which travels a similar course following the 5K start.

Unique features of the event are tribute bibs, dog participant bandanas, biscuits for the dogs when they cross the finish line, free raffle tickets, refreshments, medallions for all participants and a submission for the online Tribute Book. All runners and walkers are encouraged to run in the name of someone they

Pt. Sur lighthouse and its supporting lightstation buildings, now a California State Historic Park, stand atop a dramatic volcanic rock just offshore in Big Sur, California. This historic aid-to-navigation has a modern aero-beacon which still guides ships along the treacherous Central California Coast. On the National Register of Historic Places and a California landmark, Pt. Sur can be visited by guided walking tours year round.

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17TH ANNUAL BIKE RIDE EVENT - Cambria Pinedorado Grounds
Come and cycle the beautiful Central Coast of California in the 17th Annual Gene Cerise Country Coast Classic Bike Ride in Cambria, California. Supporting and funding programs which promote the positive development of the youth in our community is what this bike ride is all about. Since its inception in 2001, this cycling venue has been a volunteer-driven event, with proceeds benefiting the youth of Cambria, Cayucos and San Simeon. The volunteers and the heart of this event are all about helping kids. Please join us in building strong kids for our community.

Our goal this year is to raise \$25,000 to fund and support

love, either as a memorial to a loved one or as a tribute to someone who is loved in life. Proceeds from the race will benefit the Big Sur Marathon's JUST RUN® youth fitness program. Costs are \$40 for the 5K and \$35 for the 2K. Prices increase by \$5 on race day.

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