

BLUE Ocean Film Festival

Saturday, September 29, 2012

1:30 pm - 2:30 pm

Bonsai Room

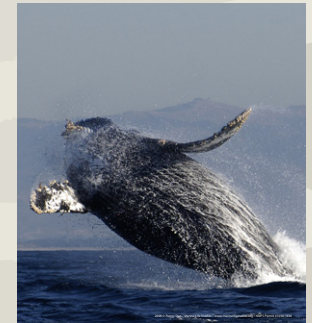
Portola Hotel & Spa



Orca (Killer Whale) ID
Orcinus orca

WHO'S WHO IN MONTEREY BAY

Learn to identify humpback whales and killer whales. Scientists use unique markings on flukes and dorsal fins to identify individual animals, the same way they use human fingerprints to identify people. This research technique is vital to marine wildlife research and helps scientists monitor their population and movements. Try your hand as a marine researcher! Identify whales with fun hands-on activities.



Marine Life Studies Educators

PEGGY STAP

"Through education and experience children learn the value of becoming stewards of the oceans, animals and the environment entrusted to us all," says Peggy Stap, Executive Director and Founder of Marine Life Studies. She has been researching and teaching the public about protecting whales, dolphins and our oceans since 1998.

JENNA CONTUCHIO

Education Coordinator for Marine Life Studies, Jenna has a background in marine animal research, education, and outreach.

