

## ADOPT-A-FISH



**Great Gift Idea!**

**Birch Aquarium at Scripps** is the public exploration center for the world-renowned Scripps Institution of Oceanography at UC San Diego.

**Our Mission:**

We promote conservation through education and research, believing that with increased understanding of the ocean, people will respect and protect the marine environment.

We provide ocean science education through creative exhibits, programs, and activities designed to help people use critical thinking, and to make science relevant to their daily lives.

We interpret Scripps Institution of Oceanography research, emphasizing the interdisciplinary nature of the science used to study Earth, and inspiring public support of scientific endeavors.

Birch Aquarium cares about our planet. All Adopt-A-Fish items are sent digitally. This form was printed on 100% recycled paper.

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**WOULD LIKE TO ADD A GIFT ADOPT-A-FISH**

Name (as it should appear on certificate): \_\_\_\_\_

Email (required): \_\_\_\_\_

*All Adopt-A-Fish items are sent by email*

Gift Message: \_\_\_\_\_

**WHICH FISH WOULD YOU LIKE TO ADOPT?**

- |   |  |
|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Blacktip reef shark    | <input type="checkbox"/> Horn shark    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Blue tang              | <input type="checkbox"/> Leopard shark |
| <input type="checkbox"/> CA moray eel           | <input type="checkbox"/> Lionfish      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> CA spiny lobster       | <input type="checkbox"/> Moon jelly    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Clown anemonefish      | <input type="checkbox"/> Sardine       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Garibaldi              | <input type="checkbox"/> Sea star      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Giant Pacific octopus  | <input type="checkbox"/> Seadragons    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Giant Pacific seahorse | <input type="checkbox"/> Stingray      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Giant sea bass         | <input type="checkbox"/> Wolf eel      |

**ADOPTION LEVELS**

- \$25    \$50    \$100    \$250    \$500  
 Other, please write amount: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Adopt-A-Fish donations benefit the welfare of marine animals at Birch Aquarium. Ask your company about matching gifts!**

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**TOTAL ENCLOSED \$** \_\_\_\_\_

*Additional Adopt-A-Fishes may be purchased online at [aquarium.ucsd.edu](http://aquarium.ucsd.edu).*

**MAIL TO:**

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**CONTACT**

**Phone:** 858-534-5771  
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Thank you for supporting Birch Aquarium at Scripps! All Adopt-A-Fish contributions are tax-deductible to the full extent allowable by law.

Adopt-A-Fish and become a valuable friend to marine animals. With a gift as low as \$25, you can help support Birch Aquarium's efforts to:

- Keep our **3,000 fishes and invertebrates** thriving and on display so all children and adults can experience the wonders of our oceans
- Offer **education programs** that teach 40,000 school children annually to be responsible ocean citizens; these programs include onsite and remote learning programs in underserved communities
- Maintain successful **breeding programs** that allow us to help aquariums around the world reduce collecting in the wild and better understand the breeding process



**~ ADOPT-A-FISH GIVING LEVELS ~**

**SUPPORTER**

**\$25**

You'll love your introductory experience as a member of the Birch Aquarium family, knowing that your donation helped support your favorite fish for a full year. Share Adopt-A-Fish as a gift and enjoy twice the satisfaction!

*~Receive adoption certificate, Fun Fish Facts, digital photo~*

**INNOVATOR**

**\$50**

Our aquatic friends sometimes need innovative solutions to keep them healthy and safe. For instance, providing newborn seahorses with their optimum habitat can require our aquarists to get creative. Help us keep vital materials on hand for our tireless inventors.

*~Receive adoption certificate, Fun Fish Facts, digital photo, one complimentary Aquarium ticket~*

**PROVIDER**

**\$100**

Your special gift goes toward keeping our animals vibrant and healthy. Thanks for helping to supply the best nutrition, medications, enrichment toys, and monitoring systems to watch over our animals.

*~Receive adoption certificate, Fun Fish Facts, digital photo, two Aquarium tickets~*

**CAREGIVER**

**\$250**

Sometimes a giant sea bass gets a tummy ache, a feisty Garibaldi bumps a fin, or another medical issue comes up. Your gift ensures that we have ongoing veterinary care for our marine friends.

*~Receive certificate, Fun Fish Facts, photo, four Aquarium tickets~*

**CONSERVATOR**

**\$500**

New tanks and life support systems are always in demand for our conservation and propagation programs. Thanks for supporting our efforts to raise hundreds of happy and healthy baby fish, which allows us to preserve marine life by helping aquariums around the world reduce collecting from the wild.

*~Receive certificate, Fun Fish Facts, photo, four Aquarium tickets, invitation to special before-hours docent tour~*

*Adopt-A-Fish can also be purchased online at [aquarium.ucsd.edu](http://aquarium.ucsd.edu).*

*Please visit our website for further details about Adopt-A-Fish packages, and Terms and Conditions.*

**BIRCH AQUARIUM AT SCRIPPS  
ADOPT-A-FISH FORM**

*You may also adopt online at [aquarium.ucsd.edu](http://aquarium.ucsd.edu)*

**PURCHASER**

Mr./Mrs./Ms./Dr.: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email (required): \_\_\_\_\_

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Please send me monthly e-communications from Birch Aquarium & Scripps Oceanography

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