

**MEDIA ALERT:**

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## **Eggstravaganza at Birch Aquarium**

*Hop! Hop! Splash! Celebrate spring with Scuba Bunny*

**WHAT:** Birch Aquarium is celebrating the arrival of spring and the changes it brings with the biggest Eggstravaganza ever! Guests are invited to explore unusual animal eggs, create a shark egg craft, meet Scripps Oceanography scientists, and participate in an “underwater egg hunt” — no basket needed.

New this year: special appearances by Scuba Bunny in Eggstravaganza-themed dive shows.

For more information [visit aquarium.ucsd.edu](http://visit.aquarium.ucsd.edu).

This family friendly event is included with aquarium admission.

**WHEN:** Saturdays and Sundays, March 24, 25, 31 and April 1 11 a.m. to 3 p.m.

- Scuba Bunny themed Dive Shows\*\*
  - Saturdays (March 24 and 31): 2 p.m.
  - Sundays (March 25, April 1): 10:30 a.m.
  - **\*\*Media MUST ARRIVE at least 40 minutes early for dive shows — because of crowds, we cannot reserve seating or accomodate late arrivals.**

**WHERE:** Birch Aquarium at Scripps

**VISUALS:**

- Scavenger Hunt throughout the aquarium with prizes
- Eggs “hidden” underwater in tanks throughout the aquarium
- Shark Egg Craft
- Explore-It! Egg-sploration Activity
- Think Tank: Plankton with Ocean Acidification Activity
- Sea Urchin egg scientists from Scripps Oceanography
- Free face painting

**MEDIA AVAILABILITY:**

Members of our education team are available to speak about spring in the oceans, unusual animal eggs, and about the event.

\*\*\*Note Scuba Bunny will also be appearing Tuesday and Thursday, March 27 and 29 at 12:30 p.m., if you are not able to come this weekend.

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