

Canoe Explorers (8 years and over)

Learn the basics of canoeing while discovering some of the wonders of Swan Bay, part of the Port Phillip Heads Marine National Park. Please wear shoes that can get wet, a hat and old clothing. Children under 12 must be accompanied by an adult. After booking, participants meet at the Queenscliff boat ramp (end of Hesse St)

Cost: \$15 Supported by Parks Victoria



**Children's Craft Activities (5 years and over)
Under 5 must be accompanied by an adult)**

- **Sea Dee Fish** -Your own shimmering sea fish to hang.
- **Marine Aquariums** Create your own mini ecosystem.
- **Sea Shirts** Decorate your own t-shirt (limited sizes available)
- **Marine Silk Painting** Underwater scenes painted on silk.
- Treasure Boxes** Make your own little box to keep your marine treasures!
- Beach Bags** Decorate your own beach bag that can be used for shopping, the library, anything!

-We try to use recycled materials in all of our crafts. Please wear old clothes or a smock.
Cost: \$10.00 per child - craft pass \$50.00 (6 crafts)

Special Events

Who eats who? (all ages)

Discover some of the interesting and bizarre feeding methods of a range of animals. Join our staff and volunteers as they feed the animals of the MDC.

Cost: Included with entry, no booking necessary.

Beach Discoveries (all ages)

What has the tide brought up? Enjoy an 'indoor beachcomb' while discovering some of the mysteries of the beach.

Cost: Included with entry, no booking necessary.

BOOKING INFORMATION

- All activities must be booked at the Marine Discovery Centre
- All fee paying activities include free entry to the centre.
- Marine Discovery Centre Entry:
Adults \$8 | Children \$5 | Family \$25 | Conc \$5
No booking required for entry.
- Rockpool Rambles and Mudflat Meanders are sponsored by Parks Victoria
- Marine Discovery Centre Members receive free entry and 10 per cent off all activities.

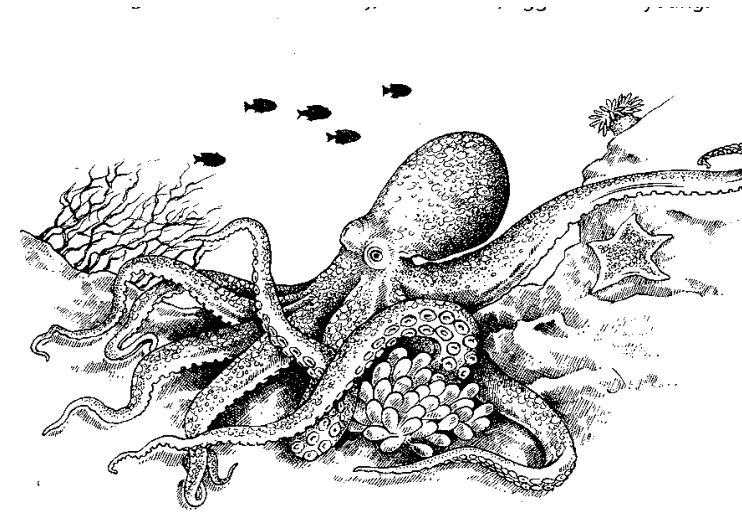
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MARINE DISCOVERY CENTRE

AUTUMN HOLIDAY PROGRAM

Monday 29 March to Friday April 9, 2010

Centre Open 10am to 4pm

Closed Good Friday and Easter Saturday
(10am to 2pm Easter Sunday and Monday)



The Marine Discovery Centre

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CALENDAR

Rockpool Ramble (all ages)

Pt Lonsdale or Barwon Heads

Sucking feet, stinging tentacles and a seaweed coat to hide - uncover the mysteries of the curious creatures that make the rockpools their home. Wear shoes that can get wet (**no thongs**), sunscreen and a hat. An adult must accompany children under 12.

Cost: free - supported by Parks Victoria.



Mudflat Meander (all ages)

Discover the secrets of the mud! Come and help search for crabs, worms, banjo sharks and birds on an exploration of Swan Bay. Wear old shoes (**no thongs**), a hat and sunscreen. An adult must accompany children under 12.

Cost: free - supported by Parks Victoria.





Marine Biology Cruise (5 years and over)

Have you ever wondered what lives at the bottom of Port Phillip Bay? Discover the creatures that inhabit the bottom of the bay and observe the beauty of the Australasian Gannets and Australian Fur Seals with a boat trip on the bay. Please wear a hat, sunscreen and warm coat. An adult must accompany children under 12. After booking, participants meet adjacent to ADD Marine at the Harbour. Cost: \$25 per person

Family Fishing Fun (5 years and over)

Recreational fishing is one of Victoria's favourite pastimes. Join us on the bay and learn about fishing practices that are fun and sustainable too. All gear supplied, please wear a hat, sunscreen and warm coat. An adult must accompany children under 15. After booking, participants meet adjacent to ADD Marine at the Harbour. Cost: \$30 per person

	WEEK 1	WEEK 2
SAT		3 April Easter Saturday Centre closed, please visit our stall at the Seafood Feast Princess Park, Queenscliff 
SUN		4 April Easter Sunday Centre open 10 to 2 pm 10.30 - 12.00 Craft Sea Shirts
MON	29 March 10.30 - 12.00 Craft: Silk Painting 11.00 - 1.00 Canoe Explorers 11.30 - 1.30 Marine Biology Cruise 1.30 - 3.30 Canoe Explorers 2.00 - 3.00 Who Eats Who	5 April Easter Monday Centre open 10 to 2 pm 10.30 - 12.00 Craft Silk painting 12.00 - 1.00 Mudflat Meander 1.00 - 2.00 Who Eats Who
TUE	30 March 10.30 - 12.00 Craft: Sea Dee Fish 11.00 - 1.00 Canoe Explorers 1.30 - 3.30 Canoe Explorers 2.00 - 3.30 Special Event Treasure Boxes	6 April 10.30 - 12.00 Craft: Sea Dee Fish 11.30 - 1.30 Marine Biology Cruise 11.00 - 1.00 Canoe Explorers 2.00 - 3.00 Beach Discoveries
WED	31 March 10.30 - 12.00 Craft: Marine Aquariums 11.00 - 1.00 Family Fishing Fun 2.00 - 3.00 Who Eats Who	7 April 10.30 - 12.00 Craft: Marine Aquariums 11.00 - 12.30 Rockpool Ramble Point Lonsdale 11.00 - 1.00 Family Fishing Fun 2.00 - 3.00 Who Eats Who
THUR	1 April 10.30 - 12.00 Craft: Beach Bags 11.30 - 1.30 Marine Biology Cruise 2.00 - 3.00 Beach Discoveries	8 April 10.30 - 12.00 Craft: Sea Shirts 11.30 - 1.00 Rockpool Ramble Point Lonsdale 2.00 - 3.00 Beach Discoveries
FRI	1 April Good Friday Centre closed, please visit our stall at the Seafood Feast Princess Park, Queenscliff 	9 April 10.30 - 12.00 Craft: Sea Dee Fish 11.30 - 1.30 Marine Biology Cruise 2.00 - 3.00 Who Eats Who