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DOHENY UPDATE for JUNE 2013



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**Who wouldn't be happy on a beautiful day off the Dana Point coastline.
A gray whale heading north.**

SUNRISE / SUNSET: On June 1st, we gain 53 seconds of sunlight from the day before. June 30th, we lose just 25 seconds from the previous day. The longest amount of daylight will on June 20th.

June 1: Sunrise @ 5:43 AM / Sunset @ 7:59 PM = 14 hrs. 16 mins. 54 secs. of sun.

June 20: Sunrise @ 5:42 AM / Sunset @ 8:08 PM = 14 hrs. 25 mins. 34 secs. of sun

June 30: Sunrise @ 5:45 AM / Sunset @ 8:08 PM = 14 hrs. 23 mins. 24 secs. of sun

GAINED/LOST MINUTES OF DAYLIGHT: -2 AM minutes / +9 PM minutes **Total: +7 minutes**



DOHENY SURF FESTIVAL 2013, JUNE 29 & 30

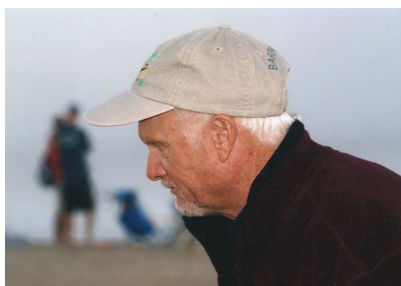
Hope you'll head down to visit us at the 2nd Doheny Surf Fest. It'll be a great two days of Surfer Village vendors and educational booths, water events and demonstrations (including a Tandem Surfing event, and on Sunday, the Doheny Longboard Surfing Association's "Surf'n 60" contest), great food, beer garden and music, music, music! It's all free.

TREVOR GREEN will open the "Free" DOHENY SURF FEST concert in the park, it'll be like the late RICHIE HAVENS opening Woodstock 40 plus years ago: <http://youtu.be/ONoioJMxAW8>

WHERE'S ROWDY WHEN YOU NEED HIM? Check out the dolphin stampede off the Dana Point / Doheny coast. (We'll change the words to the song from "Rollin, rollin, rollin..." to "Swim'n, swim'n, swim'n") https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=_h102vRqCgo&feature=player_embedded



INTERPRETIVE PROGRAMS AT DOHENY: Interpretive programs are available at no cost to groups at Doheny. Recently Camp Host Patricia Nigg did a great Job capturing the imagination of kid's from the San Juan Capistrano "Great Opportunities" program with her informative talk on indigenous wild life at Doheny State beach. For information on such presentations, contact Doheny State Beach Naturalist Vicki Wiker at (949) 496-2704.



MEET DSBIA BOARD MEMBER STEVE STIRRETT: Steve has served on the DSBIA Board for many years. He currently holds the position of vice president, and has served as president. Steve is also a member

of the Doheny Longboard Surfing Association where he has taken leadership roles on their Board, including president. Steve and wife Kathy can often be found at Doheny camping, walking the park, and Steve out riding the waves. Whether it's true or not, he's given credit for riding the biggest waves photographed at Doheny. It will take someone else's pics to change my mind.



A CALL FOR E-MAGAZINE ARTICLES: The ***SOUTH***

SWELL is DSBIA's twice yearly e-magazine. Its goal is to bring articles that focus on subjects centered on Doheny State Beach to our DSBIA members and friends. Recent articles have included bike and walking hikes in or near Doheny, a lifeguard's perspective on the park's beaches, gray whales, shark finning and megamouth sharks, duties of a park ranger, special park events and more. A future article will focus on the Acjachemen Indians who lived along our coast 9,000 years ago. Areas we haven't touch on but would love to is surfing, stand up paddle boarding, kayaking, camping at Doheny stories and biographies of folks associated with Doho. So you see, the topic target is wide and varied. Do you have an article, or an idea for one that you'd like to submit to us for inclusion in an upcoming issue of ***SOUTH SWELL***? If yes, please send a copy to Ed Neely at edneely@dohenystatebeach.org.

THANK YOU TO OUR SUPPORTERS AT DANA WHARF SPORTS FISHING AND WHALE WATCHING!!! One of our favorite events each year is our **Members Only Wildlife Cruise** out of Dana Point Harbor. DSBIA members motor out aboard the Dana Pride for an evening of schmoozing with other members, whales and dolphins, as well as some dining on boat grub and drinks (sorry, ye pirates, no grog). We've just been confirmed for our annual adventure on the evening of **Sunday, October 6th**. Mark you calendars. Remember, this is a free event for our members.

CALENDAR: Not all events are DSBIA sponsored, but all will be fun.

SATURDAY, JUNE 22: DLSA MENEHUNE SURF CONTEST (7AM- 4 PM) at Bone Yard. The clubs annual surf contest for boys and girls with divisions from 8 years and under to 15-17 years old. <http://dohenylongboardsurfingassociation.org/>

SATURDAY & SUNDAY, JUNE 29 & 30: DOHENY SURF FESTIVAL See the information above.

SUNDAY, JUNE 30: DLSA "60's" SURF CONTEST (7 am to 5 PM): As part of the Doheny Surf Festival, Doheny Longboard Surfing Association will hold it's annual "60's" event featuring contestants riding boards from the 1960's. <http://dohenylongboardsurfingassociation.org/>

JUNIOR RANGER AND CAMPEIRE PROGRAMS (July 1 – August 31): Please join us for some summertime fun, State Park style, with activities for the whole family! Junior Rangers (kids 7 to 12 on Mondays through Thursdays) during the daytime and Campfire Programs in the evening. Summer activities begin towards the end of June. Programs are not only for park guest, but for members of the local community, as well. Please call for start date and further information (949) 496-2704

THURSDAY, JULY 4TH, INDEPENDENCE DAY FIREWORKS EXTRAVAGANZA (8:45 PM)
Start out early in the morning if you're planning an Independence Day celebration at Doheny State Beach as this is the busiest day of the year! Doheny's day-use opens at 6:00 am. The fireworks show off the barge outside of the harbor begins at 9:00 pm. Doheny closes a 10:00 pm. Remember, no fireworks are allowed in the park!

FRIDAY, JULY 5TH, INDEPENDENCE DAY AFTERMATH CLEAN UP: The staff at Doheny State Beach would sure appreciate any help from volunteers to clean up after the masses of picnickers! This is considered the messiest day of the year. Thank you everyone!!

OYE, MATE!!! NOT A DSBIA MEMBER YET? Join us in supporting the mission of DSBIA to provide activities and materials to educate the public about the natural and cultural importance of Doheny State Beach. **Here's a printable membership form.**
http://www.dohenystatebeach.org/pdf/DSBIA_Membership_App_Rev-2010.pdf

MONTHLY BOARD MEETINGS: With the exception of December, DSBIA Board of Directors meetings are held on the third Thursday of the month, 7 PM at the Double Tree Hotel on Pacific Coast Highway across from Doheny State Beach in Dana Point. Meetings are open to all DSBIA members.

VISIT OUR WEB SITE at <http://www.dohenystatebeach.org/index.html>

DOHENY SURF CAMERA: http://www.surflife.com/surf-report/doheny-southern-california_4848/

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