

## Monterey Bay National Marine Sanctuary 2013 - DISCOVER YOUR CENTRAL COAST



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**Monterey Bay National Marine Sanctuary and  
University of California Kenneth S. Norris Marine Reserve  
May Lecture Series, (Fridays 6-7pm)  
Cambria Veterans Hall, 1000 Main Street**

***Admission is Free***

**May 3: A SEA OF CHANGE: From Atmosphere to Zooplankton**

**Dr. Steve Lonhart, Ph.D., NOAA's SIMoN Program**

Monterey Bay National Marine Sanctuary scientist Dr. Steve Lonhart reveals biological and physical indicators used to measure climate change.

**May 10: GRAY WHALE BEHAVIOR AND GENETICS**

**Aimee Lang, Southwest Fisheries Science Center**

Biologist Aimee Lang explains how genetics are used to gain valuable insight into the behavior, migratory patterns and distribution of the North Pacific gray whale - information critical for management.

**May 17: JAPAN TSUNAMI MARINE DEBRIS: Disaster Debris and Existing Problems**

**Dr. Sherry Lippiatt, PhD, NOAA Marine Debris Program**

Learn how marine debris travels ocean currents, including the 2011 Japan Tsunami and the ongoing marine debris problem.

**May 24: STEELHEAD TROUT AND HABITAT RESTORATION ON SANTA ROSA CREEK**

**Dr. David Boughton, PhD, NOAA SW Fisheries Science Center &**

**Meredith Hardy, California Conservation Corps**

Learn about the status of steelhead trout state-wide, as well as steelhead restoration efforts in Cambria's Santa Rosa Creek.

**May 31: ADVENTURES FROM DOWN UNDER: Fascinating Tales of 40 Years of Diving Research**

**Dr. Richard Slater, PhD, Principal of *Delta Oceanographics***

Award-winning scientist Dr. Richard Slater contributed significantly to the advancement of underwater science through the application of scuba and manned submersible technologies. Book signing to follow.