

Celebrating a Birthday?

Come join Sharks, Rays & Sea Stars at the Aquarium of the Bay!



Aquarium of the Bay offers Birthday Parties for children ages 2-12 with themes based on your child's age.

AquaTot Birthday Parties (ages 2-5)

An AquaTot birthday party is perfect for children pre-school age or younger. This birthday party includes:

- An Aquarium Naturalist to set up and take down your event
- Ocean-themed room decorations and birthday themed cake plates, cups and napkins
- Hands-on ocean-themed activities and crafts
- A 20-minute story time (Optional)
- A gift for the birthday boy or girl
- Access to Aquarium of the Bay for all party guests

Ocean Themed & Animal Encounter Birthday Parties (ages 6-12)

Ocean themed Birthday Parties are great for elementary school age children. Select from either a Shark Party or a Tide Pool Treasures Party. Each themed party includes:

- An Aquarium Naturalist to set up and take down your event
- Ocean-themed room decorations, and birthday themed cake plates, cups, napkins
- Hands-on games and activities to compliment the theme of your choice
- A gift for the birthday boy or girl
- Access to Aquarium of the Bay for all party guests.

Interested in bring animals into your celebration? Animal Encounter Birthdays Parties enable guests to learn and interact with some of Aquarium of the Bay's land and sea animals for an additional charge.

Reserving a Date, Contract and Payments

Birthday Parties come in two (2) sizes. Small Birthday Parties can accommodate up to 35 people (children and adults) for a cost of \$500, while the large Birthday Party can accommodate up to 70 people (children and adults) for a cost of \$650. Animal Encounter Birthday Parties are \$100, in addition to the cost of the Party. Birthday Reservations must be made a minimum of three (3) weeks in advance, provided that the date is available.

Once a date is set, a tentative hold will then be placed and a contract will be emailed to you outlining our birthday party program, our party rules and regulations, important deadlines, as well as any questions regarding to food at your party. Credit cards, checks and cash are all acceptable forms of payment. **Note:** A tentative hold does not guarantee your date of choice. Your date will only be guaranteed with a signed contract and full payment by the deadline indicated on the contract. Your date will be released if all requirements are not met by the stated deadline.

Cancellations

If the event is cancelled 3 weeks or more prior to the date of the party, all payments are refundable. If a cancellation occurs within 3 weeks of the party, the payments become non-refundable, but are transferable toward an alternative date.

Parking

The Aquarium of the Bay does not validate parking, but discounted parking validations for the PIER 39 parking garage can be purchased for party guests. Parking must be arranged at least 7 days in advance of your event date. Prices may vary, please ask the Education Coordinator at the time of booking.

Still Have Questions? Contact Mayra Rivas, Education Coordinator at 415-623-5376 or via email at mayra@bay.org