

Attend our "Baycation Open House" on Sunday, October 11. Experience the hidden gem right in your own backyard!



Dear Neighbor,

On Sunday, October 11, the Newport Bay Conservancy (NBC) in partnership with Orange County Parks, City of Newport Beach and California Department and Fish and Wildlife, will host a *Baycation Open House* at <u>two different locations</u>. Because there is so much going on at the Bay — naturalist-led hikes, water tours, jogging, bicycling, birding and photography — <u>we need two different locations to bring it all to you</u>. Both the Peter and Mary Muth Interpretive Center and the Back Bay Science Center will showcase a range of family-fun activities, behind-the-scene tours with NBC volunteers, exhibits and touch tanks **from 10a.m.-2p.m.**

Our calendar is always full of great reasons to visit the Bay, connect with nature and have fun. Newport Bay Conservancy sponsors year-around tours, symposiums, and a long list of family activities. All our events provide opportunities to interact with a community of nature enthusiasts and enjoy the peace and beauty of the Upper Newport Bay. Our volunteers regularly donate over 10,000 hours per year educating the public, protecting the water resources, and taking part in habitat restoration.

Summer vacation may be officially over, but picture-perfect Upper Newport Bay invites you to *Baycation* all year round, right in your own backyard.

Sincerely,

Peter Fuhrer, President Newport Bay Conservancy

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