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The Balboa Island Museum invites your membership

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Voted “The Best of the Southland” museum by the *Los Angeles Times* readers in 2021, 2022, and 2023, the Balboa Island Museum proudly opens its doors on famous Marine Avenue daily, and free of charge, to all who visit for a magical and memorable exploration of the glorious history of the Newport Harbor and all of its impact on the California landscape.

The nostalgic past is depicted in vibrant gallery exhibits, both rotating and permanent, that bring the lessons of history into modern view. Monthly events showcase notable speakers including a recent engagement from author Mike Stockstill on the history of the Irvine Ranch, and also John Scudder sharing the life and path of his famous grandmother Laura Scudder, known to generations for her potato chips and peanut butter.

Special Sunday night social gatherings in the museum’s main gallery welcome members for “Sunday Supper,” catered by The Irvine Ranch Market culinary experts. A full house of friends share an evening of community involvement supporting the museum’s long term viability. All through the year, by reservation, the museum offers members the opportunity to host private events in the evening for celebrations of all varieties; from birthdays to engagements, weddings, anniversaries, business meetings, and more. In collaboration with the City of Newport Beach, The Harbor Commission, The Newport Beach Commodores, The Newport Beach Visitors and Convention Bureau,



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- 1/ Shirley Pepys (center 3rd from left), Balboa Island Museum founder and CEO, surrounded by friends and family at an opening party in the main gallery of the museum.
- 2/ The crowd attends a book signing event for author Bruce Cook's novel "An American Rich Girl," at one of the mid-week speaker engagements sponsored by the Balboa Island Museum.
- 3/ Local living legend Seymour Beek and family attend the annual "Ferry Party" he underwrites for the Balboa Island Museum.
- 4/ John Wortmann, chairman of the board of Balboa Bay Club, fronts an engagement of local guests learning about the history of the Balboa Bay Club celebrating its 75th anniversary in 2023 at a Balboa Island Museum reception.

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and others, various events are planned in support of local initiatives and outreach to all citizens as well as visitors from points everywhere. This month, the museum's annual "Ferry Party" takes place celebrating Cinco de Mayo on the water as the Balboa Island Ferry glides through the main channel of Newport Harbor with members on board enjoying dinner catered by the Naples Rib Company.

Museum membership "has its privileges." From great and inspiring speakers to celebrations honoring veterans, educational field trips for students of all ages, holiday celebrations, art exhibitions, and so much more, the Balboa Island Museum is a family orientated non-profit, volunteer run local treasure for everyone.

Your participation is crucial; membership is the key to preserving the legacy. Annual member dues begin at just \$100. Summer activities planned for 2024 await members, long-standing and brand new.

Become part of the Balboa Island Museum Family today. Please call Tiffany at **949.675.3952** or email her at **tiffany@balboaislandmuseum.org** for information. The Balboa Island Museum is a non-profit 501(c)(3) qualifying for a tax-deductible donation.