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SAN CLEMENTE DAY 2024

***Celebrate the 96th Anniversary of San Clemente's Incorporation with
Fishing and Swimming***

January 23, 2024,...San Clemente, California...The City of San Clemente invites the community to celebrate San Clemente Day on Saturday, February 24, 2024, with two exciting activities for families to enjoy.

KIDS FISHING DERBY, 9 A.M.

Rise and shine and join in the fun as the City of San Clemente hosts the 6th annual Kids Fishing Derby on the San Clemente Pier. Honoring the San Clemente Municipal Pier's historic significance as a fishing pier, the annual Fishing Derby promotes fishing for children of all skill levels and abilities. The Derby is open to children ages 6-13 years and requires advanced registration. Fishing poles, bait, and hooks are available while supplies last, or you are welcome to bring your own. Registration with a pole rental is \$10 per child and \$5 per child if you are bringing your fishing pole. The Fishing Derby is sponsored by Dana Wharf Sport Fishing, The Pier Grill, and the California Department of Fish and Wildlife, with support from the Fish for Life Organization. Each child will receive a t-shirt and a chance to compete in several categories, such as first fish caught, biggest fish, smallest fish, and most fish. Check-in begins at 8 a.m. and the fishing derby will begin promptly at 9 a.m.

FREE RECREATION SWIM, 12 P.M.

Get cool in the pool with free recreation swim from 12 to 4 p.m. at the San Clemente Aquatics Center, located at 987 Avenida Vista Hermosa. Attendees of all ages can swim in the pool, listen to music, and play on the play structure. Recreation Swim pool rules apply. Children under 17 years must be accompanied by an adult.

For more information on these events, contact the City of San Clemente Recreation Division at (949) 361-8264 or (949) 429-8797, or visit www.san-clemente.org/events.

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