

Superpod 4 – Agenda

Monday, July 20th

2:00 PM: Meet & Greet

Friday's Crab House, 65 Front Street

6 PM: Welcome & Presentations (Jeff Ventre and Jeff Friedman)

Mike's Café & Wine Bar, 135 2nd Street (\$15 all you can eat pizza/salad)

Tuesday, July 21st: *We suggest you BRING FOOD to the theater so you don't miss any of these events*

5:00 PM: Presentations, Film Screening & Q&A

San Juan Community Theater – Whittier Theater, 100 2nd Street

- Ken Balcomb, Center for Whale Research. SRKW & Visiting the Snake River dams – a long strange trip
- Film Screening: [**DamNation**](#)
- Q&A Panel:
 - Ken Balcomb, SRKW researcher for almost 4 decades.
 - Jim Waddell - retired Army Corp Engineer featured in Damnation - is working to expose the enormous and growing economic costs of the Lower Snake River Dams.
 - Steve Hawley, author of Recovering a Lost River: Removing Dams, Rewilding Salmon, Revitalizing Communities. Short intro talk on new film, ***Dammed to Extinction***, about the orca-salmon connection - in production now.
 - Sharon Grace & Giles from SRKW Chinook Salmon Initiative – state of political campaigns.
- Strategy Meeting – discuss way to mobilize Western Washington voters to contact elected officials and push for making Snake River dam removals a priority for helping save the SRKW

Wednesday, July 22nd:

3:30 PM Social & Presentations

San Juan Island Cheese, 155 Nichols St

5:30PM Author Talk & Book Signing: David Neiwert, Of Orcas and Men

The Whale Museum, 62 1st St

7 PM Presentations: ***We suggest you BRING FOOD to the theater so you don't miss any of these events***

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- Colleen Weiler, Whale and Dolphin Conservation - Klamath Dam removal campaign
- Giles – SRKW CSI - October Orca/Salmon Month & FREE education event @ Seattle Aquarium Oct. 12th
- Elizabeth Seely and Giles – UW, Center for Conservation Biology - Conservation Canines: **Orca Scat Project**
- Jacques White, Executive Director – Long Live the Kings.
- Derik Nelson & Family - "Lolita" (original song)
- Film – Treaty Talks: Paddling up the Columbia River for People and Salmon.
 - The journey began with five logs. Five logs were carved by youth and students above Grand Coulee Dam into five Salmon Canoes, one for each of the Five Salmon. Our mission was to accomplish something that so far has not been done: return Salmon above the blockages on the Upper Columbia.

Thursday, July 23rd

10 AM – 1 PM: Whale Watching with Western Prince Whale & Wildlife Tours (Sold Out), Maya's Legacy Whale Watching (Sold Out) & San Juan Safaris (Space Available)

10 AM – 1 PM: Naturalist led walks at Land Bank **Westside Preserve** –

San Juan Island Naturalist Program (a SSAMN/Whale Scout program) with WDC for Superpod

2:30 – 5 PM: Presentations - Captivity Related Talks!

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- Sandra Pollard –
- Anna Gullickson (Wild Orca) & Giles – update on Washington's Orca Bill and Q&A
- Jared Goodman & Howard Garrett - Lolita Update and Q&A
- Ingrid Visser - Rescued Cetaceans
- John Hargrove – slide presentation and Q&A
 - ❖ Book signings in the lobby
 - Ken Balcomb – War of the Whales
 - John Hargrove – Beneath the Surface
 - Dave Neiwert – Of Orcas and Men
 - Sandra Pollard – Puget Sound Whales for Sale
 - Ingrid Visser – Nobby the Orca

7 PM: Sunset at **Lime Kiln Point State Park**, Including lighthouse tours hosted by FOLKS (Friends of Lime Kiln State park)

- ❖ Special musical performance by local musician, James Taylor

Friday, July 24th

9:00 AM: 5k Run / Walk with Blackfish Racing, meeting at **The Bean Cafe** which is located at 150 1st St

1PM: **San Juan Community Theater** – Whittier Theater, 100 2nd Street

- Film – Remove the Dams to Save the Salmon?
 - This short film from the producers of [DamNation](#) looks at the effects of four dams on the lower Snake River. It envisions how a future without those dams might bring back a resurgence of salmon to the area.
- Film – Vancouver Aquarium Uncovered. **PENDING**
 - A must see film exposing the truth and reality of whales and dolphins in captivity. Experts blow the whistle on Vancouver Aquarium's hidden secrets.

6:30 PM: Closing Party - *Center for Whale Research*

Be sure to check out the Organizations represented in the Theater lobby:

Center for Whale Research – Whale ID guides, memberships, placemats, etc.

The Whale Museum – Orca Adoptions, SoundWatch Boater Education Program Info

Orca Network – Sightings Network, Orca info., Events, and Lolita Updates

SSAMN – Salish Sea Association of Marine Naturalists – Info and Stickers

San Juan Island Naturalist Program (SSAMN / Whale Scout)

SRKW CSI – Southern Resident Killer Whale Chinook Salmon Initiative – BREACH T-shirts, etc.

Wild Orca – Whale Plane! T-shirts, stickers

EcoJoia – Organic clothing for causes

Griffin Bay Bookstore – Books for Thursday's book signing event at the Theater