T-212 Deep Sea Fishing Trip – September 29, 2018

Dear Scouts and Scouters,

The deep-sea fishing excursion planned for Saturday, September 29th will be going out of LA Waterfront Sportfishing in San Pedro on the Sport King. This is a great opportunity for the boys to get involved in a day of ocean fishing this year. The ¾ day fishing trip includes passage on the boat, tackle (rod, reel, gear, bait), lunch, fish cleaning, and tip. The weather and fishing are typically outstanding in late September, so we are excited that we were able to secure a boat and hope that it is an exciting and educational trip for the scouts.

Arrive: Arrive at the Landing no later than 6:00am. Please arrange your own transportation or

coordinate with another scout and arrive promptly. Parking is free for the day. If you are 16 or over, you will need a sport fishing license for the day. We encourage everyone to purchase your license prior to the date of the trip to save time, but if not, plan on purchasing your license the morning of the trip, please arrive early at 5:30a

complete your transactions before departure time.

Departure: <u>Saturday, September 29, 2018 at 7:00am</u>

LA Waterfront Sportfishing in San Pedro is located at Berth 79 in San Pedro, CA in Ports

O'Call Village. The boat will leave promptly, so DON'T MISS THE BOAT!

Return: Saturday, September 29th at 3:00pm – Boat returns to same dock from which it

departed. We plan to activate SPOT for this outing.

Location: Landing: LA Waterfront Sportfishing in San Pedro

Boat: **Sport King** 1150 Nagoya Way San Pedro, CA

https://goo.gl/maps/5eHuEQHxNEC2 www.laharborsportfishing.com/fleet.php

Directions to Berth 79

From Long Beach towards San Pedro

Go over both the Gerald Desmond Bridge and Terminal Island Bridge. Exit Harbor Blvd. Turn Right on Harbor Blvd. Turn Left on 6th Street. Make a quick right on Sampson Way, turn left on Nagoya Way. Berth 79 is located in Ports O'Call Village. Parking is free. Our vessels are located on the water between the Krusty Crab and the San Pedro fish market restaurant.

From 110 Freeway

110 South. Exit Terminal Island/Harbor Blvd. Turn Right on Harbor Blvd. Turn Left on 6th Street. Make a quick right on Sampson Way, turn left on Nagoya Way. Berth 79 is located in Ports O' Call Village. Parking is free. Our vessels are located on the water between the Krusty Crab and the San Pedro fish market restaurant.

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Cost: \$35.00 (1 passage fee, fishing gear, lunch, patch, prizes, fish cleaning, and tip). All

money is due on Monday, Sep 24th, along with the standard permission slip, which can be found on the website. Space is limited, so get your money in early to ensure your spot. The cost to the troop for this trip is a fraction of the cost due to the support of Captain Rollo's Kids at Sea program which supports and encourages marine conservation by providing hands-on fishing and learning opportunities to kids.

Captain Rollo's Kids at Sea provides lunch, beverages, snack and all necessary fishing equipment along with expert instruction from the Captain and crew on a Coast Guard

approved fishing vessel.

http://www.captainrollos.org/

Preparation: Ocean fishing rigging demo - troop meeting, Monday, Sep 17th. We will raffle off some

gear that night to those who are going on the trip!

Uniform: Class B. Class A uniforms will not be required on this trip.

Gear: Rods and Reels will be provided at no charge (Any lost or mishandled/damaged rentals

will be your responsibility to replace or repair).

Food: A set menu lunch, snack, and beverage for the kids and adult. Any additional food

from the galley must be paid for by the scout while on the boat.

Bring: •Fishing gear, if you prefer to use your own gear.

•Warm clothes and sweatshirt. It can get cold on the water.

Motion sickness medicine (e.g. Bonine, Dramamine) taken prior to departure.

•Money if you want additional snacks or food from the galley.

•Fishing license, if you are 16 or over. One-day Sport Fishing License cost \$16. You can pick them up at a local sporting goods store, Walmart, at the dock the morning of the

trip, or online below:

https://www.ca.wildlifelicense.com/InternetSales/CustomerSearch/Begin

Prizes: Prize categories to be announced as we set sail.

As is the tradition of Troop 212, this will be a very safe outing. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact John or Ty <u>before</u> the trip (refer to the ScoutTrack directory for phone numbers). Parents can follow the trip on SPOT.

Yours in Scouting, John Douglas, Ty Smith