

# What to Do

## Spirit Cruises

Hour-long harbor cruises, available in both Los Angeles and Long Beach Harbors. Whale watching, private events, dinner cruises, wedding cruises. Call for schedules and information. Ports O' Call Village, LA Waterfront. 310-548-8080, [www.SpiritMarine.com](http://www.SpiritMarine.com)

## Catalina Island

Less than an hour away on fast boats to reach an island of natural beauty, adventure, fun, elegance, history, and charm. Great for a day or a week. Get there on 800- 481-3470, [www.CatalinaExpress.com](http://www.CatalinaExpress.com)

## Cabrillo Marine Aquarium

Largest collection of Southern California marine life on display in the world, outdoor tide pool touch tank. 3720 Stephen M. White Drive. 310-548-7562, [www.CabrilloMarineAquarium.org](http://www.CabrilloMarineAquarium.org)

## Cabrillo Beach

On the north is a calm, sandy shoreline; south is Hurricane Gulch, the open Pacific Ocean waters. Home to the historic 1932 Bathhouse. 3720 Stephen M. White Dr., Waterfront. 310-548-2909

## Sup With Wade

Learn about paddling. Wade Lawson and team offer stand up paddle boarding lessons. Private and group lessons are available. 310-968-0003, [www.SupWithWade.com](http://www.SupWithWade.com), [wade@SupWithWade.com](mailto:wade@SupWithWade.com)

## SS Lane Victory

A real World War II era steamship that still operates and tells the Merchant Marine story. Berth 49, Waterfront. 310-519-9545

## Marine Mammal Care Center

Where injured sea lions, seals, and walrus are nursed back to health. 3601 South Gaffey Street, Peninsula. 310-548-5677

## LA's Official Tall Ships

Sail on LA's official tall ships with Los Angeles Maritime Institute Check web site for the sailing calendar. Berth 73, Suite 2, Waterfront. 310-833-6055

## Fanfare Fountain/Waterfront Fountains

From the World Cruise Center and along the Waterfront Promenade are great fountains. Southeast corner of Harbor Blvd. and Swinford Street, Waterfront. 310-548-7562

## Old Fire Station 36 Museum

Los Angeles Fire Department apparatus, artifacts from the San Pedro area, and a store with souvenirs. Open Saturdays 10 a.m.-3 p.m. 638 Beacon Street, Downtown. 323-464-2727

## Banning Residence Museum

Built in 1865 and carefully preserved and restored. In Banning Park, 401 E. M Street, Wilmington 310-548-7777

## Drum Barracks

Western outpost of the Union Army during the Civil War. Guided tours available. 1052 Banning Blvd., Wilmington 310-548-7509

## Ft. MacArthur Museum

Tracing the history of Ft. MacArthur from World War I through the Cold War. Built in the palisades above Pt. Fermin. 3601 S. Gaffey Street, Peninsula 310-548-2631

## Muller House Museum

A one-time home of a shipbuilder. Now operated by the San Pedro Bay Historical Society. Open on Sunday afternoons. 1542 S. Beacon Street, Plaza Park 310-548-3208,

## Los Angeles Maritime Museum

In the former ferry building with history of the harbor. Tuesday through Sunday 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Berth 84, Foot of 6th Street, Waterfront. 310-548-7618

## Pt. Fermin Lighthouse

It's an 1874 Victorian stick style structure that's been restored to show how lighthouse keepers lived during its history. until its light was turned off in 1941. Located in Pt. Fermin Park at the foot of Gaffey Street, 807 W. Paseo del Mar

**Note: Follow the warnings on the walls around Pt. Fermin. Do climb over any walls in the area. Sunken City is adjacent. Do not climb over or around fences in this area.**

## White Point Nature Education Center

Restored coastal sage scrub habitat, hiking and handicap accessible trails overlooking the ocean and Catalina Island. Open Wednesdays, Saturdays, and Sundays 10 a.m.- 4 p.m. 1600 W. Paseo Del Mar, Peninsula. 310-561-0917. Check the details at [www.PVPLC.org](http://www.PVPLC.org)

## White Point Tidepools

The shoreline teems with life and you can see it up close. 1955 South Paseo Del Mar, Waterfront. 310-519-1751

**Note: White Point is currently not accessible from Gaffey Street because of a landslide that took out a portion of the roadway. Western Avenue southbound is the only route to reach White Point from east of Western Avenue**

## Getting Around

The Historic Downtown is within walking distance of the Waterfront or you can take the trolley on weekends.

**The Downtown Trolley** operates between the Cruise Terminal, 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> Streets, and Pacific Avenue, to Ports O' Call Village (shopping and dining area), CRAFTED at the Port of Los Angeles, and Battleship Iowa on weekends.

**DASH buses** operate on routes throughout the greater San Pedro area.

**Commuter Express** line 142 has direct service to the Downtown Long Beach Transit Center where you can catch the Blue Line train that travels to downtown Los Angeles and connects to most rail lines that run throughout the greater Los Angeles area. Catch it at Ports O' Call Village or at stops along 7<sup>th</sup> Street and Gaffey Street north of 7<sup>th</sup> Street.

**Metro Transit Buses** operate several lines into, out of, and around San Pedro, mainly along 7<sup>th</sup> Street, Pacific Avenue, and Gaffey Street (although other streets are also served).  
Routes 205, 246, 450, 550, 910, 950

Transit information, 323-466-3876, [www.Metro.net](http://www.Metro.net)

### Airports

**Long Beach (LGB)** Approximate driving time is 18 minutes and distance is 11 miles. Shared van approximately \$30 each way.

**Los Angeles International (LAX)** Approximate driving time is 30 minutes and distance is 17 miles. Shared van approximately \$32 first passenger and \$9 additional passenger each way.

**U.S. Post Office** is located at 839 S. Beacon St.  
Open 8 a.m.- 6 p.m. M-F and 9 a.m.-4 p.m.  
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**Visitor Center**

225 West 6<sup>th</sup> Street ■ San Pedro, California 90731  
310-729-9828 [www.SanPedroTourist.net](http://www.SanPedroTourist.net)

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