

# The Region's Destination Authority And You Can Benefit

In Person	Visit San Pedro interacts with more people seeking		
III r ei soii	visitor information than any organization in the		
	area.		
	Our Visitor Information Center is their main stop		
	for where to dine, where to shop, what to do.		
	Plus, we reach out to meeting, reunion, and event		
	planners with the information they need to bring		
	their attendees to San Pedro.		
Online	Visit San Pedro's online presence is second to none		
Ontine	in the area.		
	Our website is the go-to spot for planning a visit		
	to the region or to find out what's going on and		
	what to do while in the area.		
	We have an extensive online presence with		
	breaking information on the multiple Facebook		
	pages we manage, Twitter, and Instagram.		
In Print	Visit San Pedro has an unparalleled publishing		
III PI III C	program that includes the Visitor Guide, Family Fun		
	Guide, Golf!, Spiritual & Religious Organization Guide,		
	Biweekly Calendar of Events, and our flagship		
	monthly San Pedro & Peninsula Visitor magazine.		
Your best oppor	tunity to reach visitors		

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It is a great pleasure to introduce Visit San Pedro. We are the organization that takes San Pedro to the world and brings the world to San Pedro.

When we founded Visit San Pedro more than eight years ago, few recognized the full potential of tourism and meetings as the main driver of our regional economy.

Today, Visit San Pedro is the only organization fully dedicated to bringing visitors, meetings, and events to San Pedro and the Los Angeles Harbor and Palos Verdes Peninsula communities.

Visit San Pedro makes people feel welcome and comfortable through our visitor services, including the San Pedro Visitor Center at 416 W. 6<sup>th</sup> Street, Downtown. And the Visitor Center makes us the first and most important point of contact for many tourists.

Visitors turn to use when they are looking for what to do, what to see, where to shop, and where to dine. And we are often the first stop for newcomers to the area or those considering moving to San Pedro.

The range of our marketing efforts in key markets is unparalleled in the region.

Our website, www.VISITSANPEDRO.ORG, reaches thousands and thousands every month and is the prime point of contact for people's introduction to San Pedro. And our *Visitor Guide* is especially effective at bringing visitors to our member businesses. *San Pedro Visitor* magazine is the <u>only locally-produced monthly tourist</u> <u>publication available in hotel rooms</u>, at shops, and many other locations around the area.

We are the most active organization in the area on a range of social media outlets, including Facebook, Twitter, LinkedIn, Digg, and others, promoting our members, publicizing events, and introducing the San Pedro region to the world.

And there is so much more that we do. Our marketing and promotional efforts and programs are growing all the time.

#### And I invite you to become a sponsor of Visit San Pedro.

Visit San Pedro is a part of the Southern California Education, Tourism, & Cultural Organization. **We bring visitors to our community**. Visit San Pedro sponsors receive guaranteed presence in our publications, on our website, and in our strategic social media outreach program.

Simply put: No other organization in the area promotes San Pedro like we do. <u>Visit San Pedro is the only organization fully focused on developing our region's tourism and related economy.</u> <u>And Visit San Pedro is the only organization that guarantees results for your sponsorship.</u>

I am enclosing information that describes some of our programs and how you can have a direct impact on reach visitors to San Pedro and surrounding areas.

If you have any questions, please call or email me. I hope to welcome you soon as a member.

Sincerely,

Scott F. Gray, Ed.D.

President

P.S., Visit San Pedro receives no government funding. We work directly with our business community to bring visitors to our region.



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#### Who We Are

Visit San Pedro is the independent destination services division of the Southern California Education, Tourism, & Cultural Organization serving San Pedro, the Los Angeles Harbor and Palos Verdes Peninsula communities, and Catalina Island.

#### What We Do

- Promote the San Pedro region to the world and attract visitors from throughout the world to the area by reaching out through a variety of media and channels, including websites, the press, social media, and through travel agents and cruise lines
- Operate the San Pedro Visitor Center and provide information to visitors, local residents, and newcomers including guides, maps, and brochures, along with expert advice on what to see and do, where to dine, and how to find services they need
- Train and deploy a team of volunteers who provide visitor assistance and information in the Visitor Center, on the Waterfront and in Downtown, and at special events
- Publish a variety of guides for visitors on the area, dining, family activities, information for newcomers, and for mariners, among many specialized publications
- Produce the most visited area website for tourists with information on what to see and do
- Produce the most comprehensive calendar of events of interest to visitors, including a biweekly printed calendar, an online calendar, and a long-term master calendar
- Provide training on topics of interest to Visit San Pedro members, including Alcohol Server Training, Marketing to Cruise Passengers, Social Media Marketing, and others

#### How We Are Funded

Visit San Pedro is funded entirely by sponsorships, advertising, and special events revenues. We do not receive any government funding



The Southern California Education, Tourism, & Cultural Organization was established to serve as the lead cultural tourism organization for the region. It addresses the needs and interests of both inbound and outbound travelers, as well as area residents through educational programming, events, and other activities. It is a California non-profit corporation.

## Visit San Pedro

## Who We Are

### San Pedro's Connection to the World

## **Visitor Services**

### Outreach

- San Pedro Visitor Center
- Team San Pedro Tourism Ambassadors
- Information booths at major events
- Guides, maps, directories, tours
- Newcomer and relocation information

Worldwide outreach to

- Travel agents
- Meeting planners
- Business and consumer travelers
- Media

## **Our Channels**

#### **Publications**

Biweekly events calendar ★ Monthly San Pedro Visitor Magazine ★ Visitor Guide ★ Golf Guide ★ Family-Friendly Attractions Guide ★ Sailors Guide ★ Mariners Guide ★ Newcomers Guide

#### www.VisitSanPedro.org

#### **Facebook**

- Visit San Pedro
- Best Dining in San Pedro and the Peninsula
- Meetings and Reunions in San Pedro

#### **Twitter**

@SanPedroCVB

#### Instagram

aSanPedroCVB

#### **Email**

#### Press and media relations

### Member Services

Worldwide marketing  $\star$  Publications  $\star$  Lead referrals  $\star$  Event promotion Multi-channel promotion Industry and economic information  $\star$  Direct recommendations

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## 11 Reasons You Need to Sponsor Visit San Pedro

- 1. Our website, www.VISITSANPEDROTOURIST.ORG. You will be listed and have as much information and as many photos as you want.
- 2. You'll get links from our website, Facebook, Twitter, and more.
- 3. Have your listing, information, photos changed on our website within 24 hours—including adding specials, sales, or events.
- 4. The San Pedro Visitor Center, 416 W. 6th Street, Downtown. Your information on display for visitors, new residents, meeting planners, and everyone else who comes to begin a visit in San Pedro and the Peninsula.
- 5. San Pedro Visitor Magazine is the only locally-produced publication that distributed directly to visitors in their hotel rooms. Sponsors get listings every month and special rates on advertising.
- 6. Our Calendar of Events. In printed form every two weeks. Distributed to all major hotels in the area. Updated constantly on the web. Sent via Facebook, Twitter, email. Advertising opportunities available.
- 7. We're the place for newcomers—whose buying habits start early. We reach out to them, provide them recommendations on businesses, services, things to do, places to go, where to dine.
- 8. The town's big events like Fleet Week, military reunions, historical anniversaries, fairs, festivals. We're at them and we hand out member information.
- 9. We're a rapid response team. For example, when the cruise ships were delayed by norovirus, the cruise line contacted us to guide their passengers to attractions, businesses, shopping, and restaurants. We were at the terminal, shuttle stops, and all over town. And we notify you when these last-minute opportunities arise, so you'll know when to expect extra customers.
- 10. Our volunteers are available to help when you have special events. Free of charge. It's part of your membership.
- 11. We guarantee we will bring customers to your door.

For less than the cost of one ad in most publications, you get a full year's sponsorship

## Visit San Pedro Communications

### Publications produced by Visit San Pedro and online and social media activities

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Publications	
Annual and Special	A listing of annual and special events of interest held in the San
Events Directory	Pedro/Harbor/Peninsula/Catalina areas
Best Restaurants Guide	A guide to dining the area listing members of Visit San Pedro
Biweekly Calendar of Events	Printed calendar of events of interest to visitors
Downtown and Waterfront Map	Map for directing visitors to specific attractions in the area
Family Fun Guide	Listing and description of attractions and activities especially appropriate for families and children
Golf Guide	Directory of the best local golf facilities open to the public
Holiday Dining Guide	Annual directory of festive season dining at members of the San Pedro Convention and Visitors Bureau
Mariners Guide	Information of direct interest to mariners bringing their boats into Los Angeles Harbor
Newcomers' Guide	Listing of resources needed by those relocating to the San Pedro area
Problems and Resources Guide	Listing of types of problems and resources in the community offering assistance
Sailors' Guide	Annual guide to Downtown and the LA Waterfront published during Fleet Week
San Pedro Visitor	Monthly printed and online magazine-style newsletter with feature articles, restaurant guide, calendar of events, and services directory
Travel Agent Guide	Annual publication with information to assist travel agents in booking San Pedro and to provide to their clients
Visitor Guide	Pocket-size directory of restaurants, bars, shops, and attractions and information about transportation options
Wedding Guide	Annual publication with information on venues in the region appropriate for weddings, restaurants, caterers, hotels, and other services

Website and Onlin	ne Social Media Activities
Website	SanPedroTourist.net, SPCVB.com. Providing information of interest to visitors
Website calendar	Long-range calendar of events available in a variety of formats
Facebook	
	Visit San Pedro page with events listings and promotions for member organizations, photos, and news about the area of interest to visitors
	Cruising from Los Angeles page with information and events of interest to LA cruise
	passengers and ship crew members
	Meetings and Reunions in San Pedro page with information of interest to meeting planners
	and travel agents about resources for their events in the San
	Pedro/Harbor/Peninsula/Catalina areas
	Visit Los Angeles page with information of interest to visitors to the area
	Best Dining in San Pedro and the Peninsula page with information on restaurant offerings,
	specials, entertainment, and news
Twitter	@sanpedrocvb linked to Facebook pages with information on visiting the area, events, and special offers
Instagram	Photos showcasing San Pedro, the Harbor and Peninsula communities, and Catalina Island
Digg	Articles about the areas served by Visit San Pedro and its members

## Visit San Pedro Your Membership ROI

Sponsoring Visit San Pedro is not just paying dues; it's an investment in our area's only full <u>multi-channel</u> <u>outreach program</u>. And we're the only multi-channel outreach organization that offers person-to-person interaction and personal recommendations to your organization.

Here are just a few of the features of membership for your comparison.

Non-Partner Cost		Partner Cost
Literature distribution in San Pedro	\$25/month	Included in membership
Visitors Center		
Literature distribution on visiting	Members Only	Included in membership
cruise ships		
Page on www.VisitSanPedro.org	\$55/month*	Included in membership
with photos		(unlimited photos)
*Limited to three photos for non-partners		
Recommendations to your business	Members Only	Included in membership
for visitors to Visitors Center and at		
events		
Listing in San Pedro Visitors Guide	Members Only	Included in membership
Listing in Best Restaurants Guide	Members Only	Included in membership
Business referrals from incoming	Members Only	Included in membership
meetings		
Opportunity for bars and restaurants	Members Only	Included in membership
to host happy hours		
Lucky Cabin Number cruise	\$100/season	Included in membership
passenger promotion		
Special promotions, including	Members Only	Included in membership
neighborhood and for specific types		
of businesses		

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## Visit San Pedro Sponsorship & Partnership Application

			Date	
Company/Organization				
Official representative name				
Title				
Address				
City				
State				
ZIP				
Phone				
Mobile				
Email				
Web site				
Description of business/organization				
Category				
		Payment Information		
	Cate	gory	Contribut	tion (per year)
Accommodations				
Hotels with meeting space				
Fewer than 100 rooms				
100 rooms or more Hotels with guest rooms only				
Bed & breakfast				
Attractions				
Cruise lines				
Meeting facilities				
Meeting services				
Religious and spiritual services				
Restaurants & caterers				
Retail Services (Professional, etc.)				
Transportation/Sightseeing				
Associates				
Individual/Family				
	ONSC	PRSHIPS		
Commodore			\$1,800	
Two-Star Admiral			\$2,500	
Three-Starr Admiral			\$5,000	
Four-Star Admiral			\$10,000	
Fleet Admiral			\$25,000	
Amount				
Trade or credit amount (speci	ity typ	pe and amount)		
Make checks payable to SoCal ETC				
Card number		Name on card	Expiration	Code number
Visit San Bodro representative name				

## Visit San Pedro Publications

## Publication Information & Advertising Rates

San Pedro & Peninsula Visitor is the monthly magazine produced by Visit San Pedro—The Tourism Authority of San Pedro and the Los Angeles Harbor and Palos Verdes Peninsula communities.

*San Pedro Visitor* is distributed in local hotels, restaurants, shops, at the Los Angeles World Cruise Terminal, and other locations throughout San Pedro, the Los Angeles Harbor and Palos Verdes Peninsula area, and Catalina Island. It is the only locally-produced visitor publication distributed directly to guests.

It is also available in an online edition.

2,500 hundred copies are distributed each month.

San Pedro & Peninsula Visitor includes feature articles about the area and its attractions, a calendar of events for the entire month, a restaurant guide, and The Directory, a classified guide to highly qualified businesses and services of interest to visitors.

The writing in San Pedro Visitor is bright and engaging, the photography vivid and creative.

San Pedro and Peninsula Visitor Ad	Sizes	& Ra	ites
	1x	6x	12x
Full-page Bleed size 8 ½ inches wide x 11 inches high	700	560	525
Inside front cover Inside back cover	Reg. rate plus \$300 premium	Reg. rate plus \$300 premium	Reg. rate plus \$300 premium
Half page (horizontal only) 10 ½ inches wide x 4 inches high	375	300	275
Requested position	Reg. rate plus \$100 premium	Reg. rate plus \$100 premium	Reg. rate plus \$100 premium
Bottom banner ad 8 inches wide x 2 inches high	300	240	225
Business card 3 ½ inches wide x 2 inches high	100	80	75
Visit San Pedro Sponsors receive a 20% discount off the lowest	applicable r	ate	

All rates are per insertion. Multiple insertion discounts available as noted. Multiple insertion discounts based on a contract. Non-fulfillment of contract insertions will result in previous insertions being billed at next applicable contract rate as appropriate. Special Sponsorship/Partnership-advertising combination rates and incentives may be available. Ad materials should be submitted in electronic camera-ready format (JPG, JPEG, PNG, or PDF) highest resolution available.

Sar	n Pedro	Visitor	Guide	
One ad available per month. 3	1 or 2x	3-6x	7-11X	12X
inches wide x 5 inches high	\$275	\$250	\$200	\$150

Rate is per month. Visit San Pedro Partners and Sponsors receive 20% discount on lowest applicable rate.

### Visit San Pedro

## Family Fun Guide

One ad available per quarter. 3 inches wide x 5 inches high

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1 or 2x	3-6x	7-11X	12X
\$275	\$250	\$200	\$150

Rate is per month. Visit San Pedro Partners and Sponsors receive 20% discount on lowest applicable rate.

Visit San Pedro Website					
	1x	2x	6x	12x	
Front page	\$375	\$325	\$275	\$225	
banner. 1350 px wide x 300 px high					
Sidebar front	\$200	\$150	\$100	\$75	
page ad. 230 px wide x 210 px high					
Sidebar all	\$150	\$125	\$75	\$50	
second pages* 230 px wide x 210 px					
high					
*Does not run on front page, but appears on all other pages					

Rate is per month. Visit San Pedro Partners and Sponsors receive 20% discount on lowest applicable rate.

Calendar of Events					
	1x	2x	6x	12x	
Banner ad. 8 inches wide x 2 inches high	\$150	\$100	\$75	\$50	
Inline ad. 3 <sup>1/2</sup> inches wide x 1 inch	\$25	\$20	\$15	\$10	

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## Visit San Pedro Media Insertion Order

Advertiser represent	ative name		
Advertiser company	organization name		
Address			
City/State/ZIP			
Phone			
Email			
Publication/Media	Size	Rate	Insertion Date(s)
San Pedro & Peninsula Visitor	0.20	T.G.CG	
	Full page		
	Half-page horizontal		
	Half-page vertical		
	Quarter page		
	Bottom banner		
	Business card		
	Requested position surcharge		
San Pedro Visitor Guide	3 inches wide x 5 inches high		
Family Fun Guide	3 inches wide x 5 inches high		
Visit San Pedro Website			
	Front page banner		
	Front page sidebar		
	Second pages sidebar		
Calendar of Events			
	Banner		
	Inline		
Production fees			
Discount			
		Total	

Ad materials submitted in electronic camera-ready or scannable format. Ad design and production available at additional cost. Payment is due upon publication. Late payments will incur additional fees. Rates, including multiple insertion discounts, based on contract established by this order. Nonfulfillment of contracted number of insertions will result in previous insertions being billed at next applicable multi-insertion or single insertion rate as appropriate.

Signed Date

By signing above I agree to the terms as specified on this insertion order and agree to pay the charges as billed. I certify that I am authorized by the advertiser to place this order and commit to payment for it.

Make checks payable to San Pedro CVB

