

The high-energy Dolphin Days show at SeaWorld San Diego is a crowdpleaser. MIKE AGUILERA/SEAWORLD SAN DIEGO

San Diego's SeaWorld offers discount for Canadian residents

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The huge marine park SeaWorld San Diego in Southern California is offering a 40-per-cent discount on admission for Canadian residents.

This brings the price to US\$52 (down from US\$83-\$89) for adults and children ages three to nine. There is no admission charge for children under three.

The Canadian Residence Offer is valid until Dec. 3, only on tickets purchased online at SeaWorld-SanDiego.com.

IF YOU GO

SeaWorld San Diego: Mission Bay Park, San Diego; 800-257-4268, SeaWorld-SanDiego.com.

SeaWorld combines education, entertainment, research and conservation and has attracted more than 160 million visitors since it opened in 1964. It has developed into one of the world's largest marine centres.

The annual Christmas Celebra-

tion: Nov. 19-Jan.1, will feature the park's famous Shamu in a special nighttime killer whale show, Shamu Christmas Miracles, plus Santa Claus, live reindeer and $more\, of\, Sea World's\, holiday\, shows,$ including Pets Rule Christmas, starring shelter-adopted cats and dogs; Dolphin Island Christmas; and Clyde & Seamore's Christmas Special starring sea lions.

The aquariums at SeaWorld feature nearly 13,000 fish and invertebrates of more than 500 species, including piranhas and leopard sharks.

At an extra charge: SeaWorld presents several other outstanding experiences such as the Beluga Interaction Program (US\$170) and the Dolphin Interaction Program (US\$215).