

Angel's

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LEGOLAND's



Angel and Aden inside an aquarium bubble.



Aden and Angel outside the Sea Life Aquarium.

Hello again!

This month, we travel to Carlsbad, as I wanted to see the New Sea Life Aquarium at Legoland.

I was very impressed with the New Sea Life Aquarium and all the exhibits (at least those that were available). The staff and everyone involved were very informed and willing to answer any questions. My kids loved it!

When you buy your tickets at the Club Store, I recommend paying the additional \$9 for the park hopper to Legoland. It is well worth the visit.

The Sea Life Aquarium at the Legoland California Resort immerses guests in an interactive, educational and fun aquarium experience while increasing awareness of the importance of safeguarding the sea and its inhabitants.

It's a 36,000-square-foot two-story structure with 36 displays. It holds more than 250,000 gallons of water.

The aquarium is the 29th Sea Life Aquarium to open in the world. They operate in nine different countries on two continents.

A statue of Poseidon in the "Lost City of Atlantis"

stands ten feet tall and weighs 1,700 pounds. Overall, the aquarium has more than 72 new Lego models made of tens of thousands of bricks, and more than 4,000 individual sea creatures.

All of the freshwater fish living in the aquarium can be found in California lakes and streams, and the coldwater marine animals are all native to the California coastline.

Other aquarium features:

- Lost City of Atlantis: a 200,000-gallon ocean display featuring sharks, rays and tropical creatures swimming amongst a Lego excavation, as well as a 35-foot-long acrylic tunnel allowing guests to explore the "lost city" without ever getting wet.
- Discovery Zone Touch Pool: a hands-on exhibit offering guests the opportunity to interact with marine life experts, touch tropical species and take a special 360-degree look at the lives of sea creatures.
- Quiz Trail: Kids can study a trail of 10 interactive question-and-answer panels found throughout the Aquarium and receive a special prize at the end of their visit for correct responses.

Carlsbad, CA

Sea Life Aquarium



Darth Vader and Angel.



Darth Vader and Aden.



Aden and Angel inside the mouth of a great white shark.



Aden and a sting ray.



Angel and Aden next the octopus exhibit.



Angel and his new friends, the Fish and Lobster.



My new friend, the Skeleton Lego.

■ Ocean Journey Cafe: This is a family market-style restaurant featuring food supplied locally from California with simple dishes made from scratch.

If you ask the staff, they will tell you when the next feeding is for specific fish, and that is very cool to see.

And let's not forget Legoland; the park is out of this world. They have so many things to do. Get your tickets with the great Club discount at the Club Store or online.

COST AND RECESSION HINT:

Wow! Here is the deal: The regular price to Legoland is \$69, but the Club Member price is only \$43.25

BUT WAIT THERE'S MORE: If you purchase the Park Hopper ticket, the regular Price is \$79.95, but the Club Member price is only \$52.25 This way, you can visit both parks the same day and get a second visit free within 90 days of the first visit.

The park is open five days a week and is closed Tuesdays and Wednesdays. Visit the Website and check for updated info.

www.legoland.com

My family and I really liked the Sea Life Aquarium. It reminded us of the Long Beach Aquarium, but it's not exactly the same.

**As always,
be safe and
Be Alive!
— Angel**

Directions:

Legoland's Sea Life Aquarium

Legoland California is just off Interstate 5 in Carlsbad, 30 minutes north of San Diego and one hour south of Anaheim.