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### ***Under the Sea 3D* splashes onto the big screen at the California Science Center**

*Latest IMAX® 3D Underwater Adventure Narrated by Jim Carrey*

**Los Angeles** – Experience the sea and marvel at the extraordinary marine life uncovered in *Under the Sea 3D*, opening February 13, 2009 at the California Science Center IMAX Theater. Through the visual majesty of IMAX 3D, audiences will be transported to the crystal blue domains of diverse underwater dwellers, including the Leafy Sea Dragon and the Flamboyant Cuttlefish.

*Under the Sea 3D*, a new IMAX® 3D adventure, takes moviegoers to some of the most exotic and isolated undersea locations on Earth, including South Australia, the Great Barrier Reef, and the Coral Triangle islands of Papua New Guinea and Indonesia, allowing them to experience face-to-face encounters with some of the most mysterious and stunning creatures of the sea. It offers a uniquely inspirational and entertaining way to explore the beauty and natural wonder of the oceans, as well as the impact of global climate change upon them. In IMAX 3D, the images will literally leap off the screen and float around the theatre, putting the audience *in* the movie.

“Part of what our IMAX films are designed to do is create a sense of value for the animals and for the environment,” confides director Howard Hall. “We hope people will come to know and love these animals when they experience their world through the extraordinary image quality of IMAX 3D. Most people will not have heard of these creatures. But once people get to know them and then learn that climate change and ocean acidification may be damaging their environment, we think they’ll start to care. Making people care is our mission.”

“IMAX’s unrivaled visual clarity and Howard’s passion for his subjects are resonant throughout *Under the Sea 3D*,” says producer Toni Myers. “Most people will never encounter these creatures face to face in the wild, and IMAX is able to bring audiences as close to swimming alongside them as they’ll ever get. Howard’s keen eye and incredible patience allow him to capture ever more astonishing sequences with every film he makes.”

### **Film Schedule as of February 13, 2009:**

*Under the Sea 3D* at 11:30 am, 1:30, 3:30 & 4:30 pm

*Wild Ocean 3D* at 10:30 am, 12:30, 2:30 plus Saturday & Sunday at 5:30 pm

Warner Bros. Pictures and IMAX Corporation present *Under the Sea 3D*. This film has been rated G for general audiences and has a running time of 40 minutes and 45 seconds.

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**About the California Science Center**

The Science Center's mission is as follows: *"We aspire to stimulate curiosity and inspire science learning in everyone by creating fun, memorable experiences, because we value science as an indispensable tool for understanding our world, accessibility and inclusiveness, and enriching people's lives."*

The **California Science Center** and **IMAX Theater** are located in historic Exposition Park just west of the Harbor (110) Freeway at 700 Exposition Park Drive, Los Angeles. Open daily from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., except on Thanksgiving, Christmas and New Year's Day. Admission to Science Center exhibits is free. For recorded information, including IMAX show times, call 323.SCIENCE (323.724-3623). IMAX ticket prices range from \$4.75 to \$8.00. For advance ticket purchases, group rates, or to make reservations for any visiting group of 15 or more (*required*), call 213.744-2019. Parking is available in the guest lot at Figueroa and 39th/Exposition Park Drive at \$6 per car, \$10 for buses or oversized vehicles. Both the Science Center and IMAX Theater are wheelchair accessible. For further information, please visit our website at [www.californiasciencecenter.org](http://www.californiasciencecenter.org). ***Proceeds from the IMAX Theater help support the Science Center's exhibit and education programs.***

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