PISMO BEACH

OFFICIAL VISITOR’S GUIDE
FIND YOUR PISMO BEACH

Pismo Beach is a classic California beach town with traditional seaside activities and 21st-century amenities. It offers small-town charm, Mediterranean weather, clean air, friendly residents and miles of pristine, uncrowded beaches.

We look forward to sharing our beautiful, eclectic community with you. It’s a great place to get away from the crowds and relax at a leisurely pace. We offer something for visitors of all types and ages, from empty nesters and young couples to kids and canine companions. Here’s a sampling:

- Stroll along our beach boardwalk or 1,200-foot pier
- Taste award-winning local wines
- Enjoy farm to table dining, including fresh seafood, grass-fed beef and produce from local farms
- Ride a bike through town or on breathtaking rural roads
- Hike a trail along the bluffs, or through scenic wildlife sanctuaries and giant sand dunes
- Hit the beach! Surf, kayak, swim, fish and build a sand castle
- Golf one of our five nearby courses
- Search for treasures in our many shops and galleries

Stay for a weekend, a week or a season—we have a full range of lodging options for every budget. Pamper yourself in a luxurious resort or hotel, feel at home in a deluxe vacation rental, pull right in and enjoy one of our unique RV Resorts, or connect with nature at a cozy campsite or on the beach.

Wherever you stay and whatever you do, we can guarantee sending you home with memories for life. You will want to return, again and again!
**PISMO BEACH THEN & NOW**

The rich history of Pismo Beach began at least 9,000 years ago with the Chumash Indians, who referred to the area as “pismo” meaning tar, a reference to the tar deposits commonly found on the beach back then.

**1542** – Juan Rodriguez Cabrillo christens San Luis Bay as Todos Santos (All Saints Bay).

**1769** – Don Gaspar de Portola and parties camped in the area. According to the diary of Costanso, a member of the Portola expedition, “The party continued over the sand dunes and then descended to the beach, along which they walked for several miles before camping for the night. Near their camping place was an Indian village of some forty people.” This same beach is known today as Pismo Beach.

**1840** – The Mexican government established the 8,830-acre Rancho el Pismo and granted it to Jose Ortega. In 1850 California statehood dissolved the earlier land grants, and the area was divided into much smaller parcels.

**1881** – Pismo’s first wharf was built by San Francisco businessmen.

**1887** – John Price sells the Pismo Beach Hotel to A.E. Pomeroy and Charles Stimson.

**1891** – The Southern Pacific Railroad opened a railroad depot at Edna Road, connecting Pismo Beach with San Luis Obispo and Santa Barbara.

**1911** – Many thousands of clams on the beaches led city officials to set the first clam limit at 200 per day.

**1924** – The new Pismo Pier was completed. It was rebuilt after incurring damage in the early 1890s and was considerably longer than it is today.

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**Early 1900s** – The turn of the century was a wild time in Pismo Beach. Pismo was known for its many saloons, along with several notorious brothels. Other amusement-type businesses offered a variety of entertainment, including a skating rink, a bowling alley, and a dance hall. Hotels such as the El Pizmo Inn and the Wave Hotel welcomed tourists from all over California, and soon the overflow created Tent City, rows and rows of clean, relatively comfortable beach tents that rented for $8 a week.

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“Pismo [State] Beach is a throwback to endless summers gone by, a time when you could drive on the beach, build a fire in the sand and then camp beside it.”

—The New York Times, 2010
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#MYPISMOBEACH
HOW TO GET HERE & TRAVEL AROUND

FLY
San Luis Obispo County Regional Airport
901 Airport Drive
San Luis Obispo, CA 93401
(805) 781-5205
sloairport.com

Santa Maria Public Airport
3429 Terminal Drive
Santa Maria, CA 93455
(805) 922-1726
SantaMariaAirport.com

Oceano Airport
561 Air Park Drive #B
Oceano, CA 93455
(805) 473-2001
OceanoAirport.com

CATCH A BUS
South County Transit (SCT)
(805) 781-4472
SLORTA.org

RENT A CAR
Enterprise Grover Beach
502 W. Grand Avenue, Ste. A
Grover Beach
(805) 489-6161
Enterprise.com

CALL A CAB
234 Taxi
(805) 234-TAXI (8294)

CALL A Cab
Beach Cities Cab
(805) 543-1234

HOP ON A FREE TROLLEY
Pismo-Avila Beach Trolley
(805) 541-2228
slorta.org Avila

8 Trolley stops along Price Street, Shell Beach Road and Avila Beach Road

Runs April - October

Pismo Beach is in the heart of California’s scenic Central Coast, halfway between San Francisco and Los Angeles, along California’s legendary Pacific Coast Highway 1 and U.S. Highway 101.
Looking for trip inspiration?
Let us help you plan the perfect getaway!

VISIT OUR WEBSITE
ExperiencePismoBeach.com

GIVE US A CALL
(800) 443-7778

EMAIL US
PBCity@pismobeach.org

VISIT OUR INFORMATION CENTERS
Pismo Beach Visitor Information Center
581 Dolliver, Pismo Beach, CA 93449.

Pismo Beach Visitor Information Kiosk
Located near the base of the Pismo Pier
100 Pomeroy, Pismo Beach, CA 93449
Discover Pismo Beach’s unrivaled proximity to wine country. Whether you’re looking for that oaky Chardonnay, a light and fruity Pinot Noir or just a place to dig your toes into the sand as you watch the sun go down, Pismo Beach has something for everyone. When you head back to the beach, be sure to bring a bottle of your favorite find to enjoy as you watch the sunset and settle in for another dreamy Classic California evening in Pismo Beach, your one stop Wine & Waves™ destination.

San Luis Obispo County is home to more than 250 wineries and many tasting rooms are just a short drive away from Pismo Beach including the wine regions of Edna Valley and Arroyo Grande Valley.

EDNA VALLEY
The region’s rocky volcanic soils produce fruit with intense varietal character and complex flavors. It’s best known for Chardonnay and Pinot Noir.

ARROYO GRANDE VALLEY
This serpentine valley stretches 16 miles inland from Arroyo Grande and offers rich, concentrated flavors.

OTHER TASTING WITHIN AN HOUR OF PISMO
Paso Robles is home to more than 200 wineries. Cabernet, Zinfandel, Merlot, Syrah and various Rhône varietals dominate the vineyard landscape.

York Mountain is higher, wetter, cooler and much smaller than the sprawling Paso Robles wineries. Cabernet Sauvignon, Chardonnay, Grenache, Pinot Blanc, Pinot Noir and Syrah are grown here.

Santa Maria Valley is best known for Chardonnay and Pinot Noir, but vineyards also produce Cabernet Sauvignon, Cabernet Franc, Grenache, Merlot, Mourvèdre, Sangiovese and Syrah.

WINE TOURS
Let experienced guides do the driving while you learn about the Central Coast and our beautiful wine country.

Breakaway Tours
(805) 783-2929

Wine Wrangler
(805) 238-5700

101 Wine Tours
(805) 874-CORK (2675)

SLO Safe Ride
(805) 620-7233

ExperiencePismoBeach.com
WINERIES, VINEYARDS & TASTING ROOMS

Find wine tasting maps at the Visitor Information Center in downtown Pismo Beach and at the California Welcome Center in the Pismo Beach Premium Outlets® mall.

PISMO BEACH

Sans Liege
870 Price St • (805) 773-2770
Tastes of the Valleys
911 Price St • (805) 773-8466
Puffers of Pismo
781 Price St, Ste. A • (805) 773-6563
Chamisal Vineyards
7525 Orcutt Rd • (805) 541-9463
Chene Vineyards
1990 Corbett Canyon Rd • (805) 457-5724
By appointment only
Claiborne & Churchill
2649 Carpenter Canyon Rd • (805) 544-4066
Clesi Wines
1850 Calle Joaquin • (805) 748-2779
Edna Valley Vineyard
2585 Biddle Ranch Rd • (805) 544-5855
Filipponi Ranch Cellars
1850 Calle Joaquin • (805) 903-3567
Kynsi Winery
2212 Corbett Canyon Rd • (805) 544-8461
Piedra Creek Winery
6425 Mira Cielo Dr • (805) 541-1281
By appointment only
Saucelito Canyon Vineyard
3080 Biddle Ranch Rd • (805) 543-2111

Seven Angels Cellars
470 Buckley Rd • (805) 835-4054
By appointment only
Sextant Wines
1653 Old Price Canyon Rd • (805) 542-0133
Stephen Ross Wine Cellars
178 Suburban Rd • (805) 594-1318
Tolosa Winery
4910 Edna Rd • (805) 782-0500
Wolff Vineyards
6238 Orcutt Rd • (805) 781-0448

ARROYO GRANDE VALLEY

Laetitia Vineyard & Winery
453 Laetitia Vineyard Dr • (805) 481-1772
Phantom Rivers Winery
211 E. Branch St • (805) 481-9463
Talley Vineyards
3031 Lopez Dr • (805) 489-0446
Timbre Winery
225 E Branch St • (805) 270-4308
Toucan Wines
3850 Acre Wood Pl • (805) 474-8514
By appointment only

EDNA VALLEY

Autry Cellars
5450 Edna Rd • (805) 546-8669
Baileyana/Cadre/Tangent/Trenza/True Myth/Zocker
5828 Orcutt Rd • (805) 269-8200
Biddle Ranch Vineyard
2050 Biddle Ranch Rd • (805) 543-2399
Center of Effort
2199 Corbett Canyon Rd • (805) 782-9463
By appointment only
Cerro Caliente Cellars
831 Via Esteban • (805) 544-2842

Sinor-LaVallee Wines
550 First St • (805) 459-9595

Peloton Cellars
470 Front St • (805) 627-1080
Silver Horse Winery
6985 Ontario Rd • (805) 467-9463

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1. Autry Cellars
   www.autrycellars.com
2. Baileyana Winery
   www.baileyana.com
3. Biddle Ranch Vineyard
   www.biddleranch.com
4. Chaminade Vineyards
   www.chamisalvines.com
5. Claiborne & Churchill Vintners
   www.claibornechurchill.com
6. Edna Valley Vineyard
   www.ednavalleyle rheyards.com
7. Filipponi Ranch Cellars
   www.filipponicellars.com
8. Kynsi
   www.kynsi.com
9. Saucelito Canyon Vineyards
   www.saucelitocanyon.com
10. Sextant Winery
    www.sextantwines.com
11. Stephen Ross Wine Cellars
    www.stephenrosswine.com
12. Tangent Winery
    www.tangentwines.com
13. Tolosa Winery
    www.tolosawinery.com
14. Wolff Vineyards
    www.wolffvineyards.com

15. Laetitia Winery
    www.laetitiawine.com
16. Talley Vineyards
    www.talleyvineyards.com
17. Timbre Winery
    www.timbrewinery.com

18. Alapay Cellars
    www.alapaycellars.com
19. Avila Wine & Roasting Co.
    www.avilawine.com
20. Croma Vera
    www.cromavera.com
    www.kelseywine.com
22. Morovino Winery
    www.morovino.com
23. Peloton Cellars
    www.pelotoncellars.com
24. PierFront Wine and Brew
    www.pierfrontwineandbrew.com
25. Silver Horse Winery
    www.silverhorse.com
26. Sinor-LaVallee
    www.sinorlavallee.com
27. Tastes of the Valleys
    www.pismowineshop.com
28. Sans Liege Wines
    www.sansliege.com
29. Puffer’s of Pismo
    www.facebook.com/PuffersofPismo
30. Pismo Brewing Company
    www.pismobrew.com
31. The Boardroom Beer Pub
    www.theboardroompismobeach.com
32. Shell Beach Brewhouse
    www.shellbeachbrewhouse.com

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Kale and heirloom tomatoes from the farm down the road. Fish from local boats. Breads and pastries from the downtown bakery. Wines from the estate vineyard a few miles away.

Food doesn’t get much fresher than this, and in Pismo Beach you can access it all over town. Talented chefs use these farm-fresh ingredients to create delectable dishes, paired with regional wines. Dining options run the gamut, from elegant restaurants and lively steakhouses to casual, family-run cafés. You can also pick up your own ingredients at farmers markets and local shops.
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**BAR & GRILL**

- **The Boardroom Beer Pub**
  160 Hinds Ave #101 – (805) 295-6222
- **Hoagies Sandwiches & Grill**
  580 Cypress St #M5 – (805) 773-3580
- **Hot Shots**
  250 Pomeroy Ave – (805) 773-4542
- **Mo’s Smokehouse BBQ**
  221 Pomeroy Ave – (805) 773-6193
- **Pismo Brewing Company**
  500 Cypress St – (805) 295-6200
- **The Rooftop at Inn at the Pier**
  601 Cypress St – (805) 295-5565
- **Scotty’s Bar & Grill**
  750 Price St – (805) 773-1922
- **Shell Beach Brewhouse**
  1527 Shell Beach Rd – (805) 295-6328
- **Somerset Grill at Vespera on Ocean**
  147 Stimson Ave. – (805) 773-1011
- **Woolly’s Beach Bar & Grill**
  175 Pomeroy Ave – (805) 295-5100

**FINE DINING**

- **Blonde Restaurant & Bar**
  601 Cypress St – (805) 295-5565
- **Cracked Crab**
  751 Price St – (805) 773-2722
- **F. McIntloch’s Saloon & Dining House**
  750 Mattie Rd – (805) 773-1892
- **Giuseppe’s Cucina Italiana**
  891 Price St – (805) 773-2870
- **Kanpai Sushi**
  2665 Shell Beach Rd – (805) 295-6636
- **Lido at Dolphin Bay**
  2727 Shell Beach Rd – (805) 773-8900
- **Marisol at the Cliffs**
  2757 Shell Beach Rd – (805) 773-2511
- **Oyster Loft**
  101 Pomeroy Ave – (805) 295-5100
- **Rosa’s Ristorante Italiano**
  491 Price St – (805) 773-0551

**SeaVenture Restaurant**

100 Ocean View Ave – (805) 773-3463

**Spyglass Inn Restaurant**

2703 Spyglass Dr – (805) 773-1222

**Ventana Grill**

2575 Price St – (805) 773-0000

**Yanagi Sushi & Grill**

555 James Way – (805) 773-3535

**DELI**

**California Fresh Market**

555 5 Cities Dr – (805) 295-7162

**DePalo & Sons**

2665 Shell Beach Rd #L – (805) 773-1589

**Giuseppe’s Pizza Express**

800 Price St – (805) 773-2873

**Sando’s Deli – Quick Eats**

1255 Shell Beach Rd – (805) 295-5566

**QUICK EATS**

- **Jack in the Box**
  334 5 Cities Dr – (805) 556-0580
- **McDonald’s**
  350 5 Cities Dr – (805) 773-3549
- **Pismo Bowl**
  277 Pomeroy Ave – (805) 773-2482
- **Subway**
  575 5 Cities Dr – (805) 773-4354
  706 Dolliver St – (805) 773-2545
- **Taco Bell**
  867 N Oak Park Blvd – (805) 474-4141

**COFFEE/SWEETS**

- **Broadway Bagel & Coffee Company**
  503 5 Cities Dr #B – (805) 773-9263
- **Coffee Bean & Tea Leaf**
  354 5 Cities Dr – (805) 773-6420
- **Golden Donut**
  863 N Oak Park Blvd – (805) 473-0373
- **Mon Ami Creperie Cafe**
  230 Pomeroy Ave – (805) 773-1458
- **Old West Cinnamon Rolls**
  861 Dolliver St – (805) 773-1428
- **Pismo Yogurt**
  187 Pomeroy Ave – (805) 773-5938
- **The Scoop Ice Cream Parlor**
  607 Dolliver St – (805) 773-4253
- **Scorpion Bay Coffee**
  610 Dolliver St – (805) 295-6998
- **Sheila’s Sweet Treats**
  710 Price St – (661) 912-3203
- **Starbucks**
  501 5 Cities Dr – (805) 773-4363
- **Steaming Bean**
  1651 Shell Beach Rd – (805) 773-2222
- **Surfside Donuts**
  603 Dolliver St – (805) 295-6069
Enjoy breathtaking views of the Pacific and pamper yourself in a luxurious oceanfront resort, stay in the heart of downtown at one of our many hotels or inns, enjoy the comforts of home in a family-friendly vacation rental, or connect with nature by staying at one of our famous RV parks or cozy campgrounds. Whatever lodging you seek, we have in Pismo Beach!

**HOTELS/MOTELS**

**BEACHCOMBER INN**
541 Cypress Street • (805) 773-5505
7 Rooms • $$$

**BEACH HOUSE INN & SUITES**
198 Main Street • (805) 773-73-PISMO
14 Rooms • $$$-

**BEACH WALKER INN & SUITES**
490 Dolliver Street • (805) 773-2725
19 Rooms • $$-

**BLUE SEAL INN**
230 Dolliver Street • (805) 773-2403
26 Rooms • $$-

**CLIFFS RESORT**
2757 Shell Beach Road • (805) 773-5000
160 Rooms • $$$-

**BEACH WALKER INN & SUITES**
490 Dolliver Street • (805) 773-2725
19 Rooms • $$-

**BLUE SEAL INN**
230 Dolliver Street • (805) 773-2403
26 Rooms • $$-

**CLIFFS RESORT**
2757 Shell Beach Road • (805) 773-5000
160 Rooms • $$$-

**COTTAGE INN BY THE SEA**
2351 Price Street • (805) 773-4617
14 Rooms • $-

**DOLPHIN BAY RESORT & SPA**
2727 Shell Beach Road • (805) 773-4300
61 Rooms • $$-

**DOLPHIN COVE MOTEL**
170 Main Street • (805) 773-4706
21 Rooms • $-

**EDGEWATER INN & SUITES**
280 Wadsworth Ave • (805) 773-4811
99 Rooms • $$-

**HILTON GARDEN INN**
601 James Way • (805) 773-6020
120 Rooms • $$-

**INN AT THE COVE**
2651 Price Street • (805) 773-3511
52 Rooms • $$$-

**INN AT THE PIER**
601 Cypress Street • (805) 773-4445
30 Rooms • $$$-

**KON TIKI INN**
1621 Price Street • (805) 773-4833
86 Rooms • $$-

**MOTEL 6 PISMO BEACH**
860 N. 4th Street • (805) 979-9809
136 Rooms • $-

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860 N. 4th Street • (805) 979-9809
136 Rooms • $-

**MOTEL 6 PACIFIC OCEAN**
250 Main Street • (805) 773-2070
35 Rooms • $-

**OCEAN PALMS MOTEL**
390 Ocean View Ave • (805) 773-4669
22 Rooms • $$-

**OXFORD SUITES**
651 Five Cities Drive • (805) 773-3773
132 Rooms • $$-

**PALOMAR INN**
1601 Shell Beach Road • (805) 773-4204
14 Rooms • $-

**PISMO BEACH HOTEL**
230 Pomeroy Avenue • (805) 773-4445
100 Rooms • $$-

**PISMO LIGHTHOUSE SUITES**
2411 Price Street • (805) 773-2411
70 Rooms • $$-

**QUALITY INN PISMO BEACH**
230 Five Cities Drive • (805) 773-1841
100 Rooms • $$-

**SANDCASTLE HOTEL ON THE BEACH**
100 Stimson Avenue • (805) 773-2422
75 Rooms • $$-

**SEACREST OCEANFRONT HOTEL**
2241 Price Street • (805) 773-4608
158 Rooms • $$-

**SEA GARDEN MOTEL**
653 Shell Beach Road • (805) 773-2216
19 Rooms • $$-

**SEA GYPSY MOTEL**
1020 Cypress Street • (805) 773-1801
77 Rooms • $$-

**SEAVENTURE BEACH HOTEL**
100 Ocean View Ave • (805) 773-4994
91 Rooms • $$-

**SHELL BEACH INN**
653 Shell Beach Road • (805) 773-4373
10 Rooms • $$-

**SHORE CLIFF HOTEL**
2555 Price Street • (805) 773-4671
100 Rooms • $$-

**SPIYGlass INN**
2705 Spyglass Drive • (805) 773-4855
82 Rooms • $$-

**THE TIDES OCEANVIEW INN & COTTAGES**
2121 Price Street • (805) 773-2493
30 Rooms • $$-

**VESPERA ON OCEAN**
147 Stimson Ave • (805) 773-1011
124 Rooms • $$-

**VACATION RENTALS**

**ADDIE VACATION TOWNHOMES**
(805) 773-9702

**BEACH BUM HOLIDAY RENTALS**
(805) 773-7194 | (866) 737-7367

**COASTAL VACATION RENTALS**
(805) 773-1080 | (800) 700-1254

**PISMO BEACH HOUSE (ON BEACH)**
(805) 773-4994 | (800) 662-5545

**PISMO COAST MANAGEMENT**
(805) 773-6990 | (800) 377-6990

**PISMO ON THE BEACH VACATION RENTALS**
(805) 550-7585

**PISMO PROPERTY MANAGEMENT**
(805) 773-0119

**TREASURES VACATION RENTALS**
(303) 653-4934

**VACASA VACATION RENTALS**
(831) 687-9970

**VALENTINA SUITES**
(805) 773-1234 | (877) SEE-PZMO
PISMO EVENT PLANNER

Meet at the Beach

Pismo Beach’s oceanfront setting makes it a fantastic location for meetings of all types and sizes. Jump-start creative ideas, bond together and promote teamwork during meetings by the sand and activities under the sun. Pedal a surrey or peel out on beach cruisers. Play “tourist” together and buy souvenirs and matching T-shirts. Mingle at a catered picnic or over drinks at sunset overlooking the Pacific.

Pismo Beach is just as ideal for family reunions, weddings and other events. Our restaurants and meeting rooms offer several accommodation options for groups of five to 500, indoors and out.

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Pismo Beach is one of the most sought after destination wedding venues on California’s Central Coast. With the expansive Pacific Ocean as your backdrop, Pismo Beach offers weddings that are simply unforgettable.

Marriage Licenses (805) 781-5080

THE CHAPMAN ESTATE

The Chapman Estate is the Central Coast’s most exclusive estate and private event venue. With breathtaking views of the Pacific, beautiful gardens, distinctive architecture, and a temperate climate during its open season, the Estate is the perfect location for weddings and private events. This hidden treasure is nestled in the heart of Shell Beach, conveniently located off Highway 101, and close to dozens of boutique hotels and resorts, restaurants, and great shops.

Call for more info! (805) 773-7034

CLIFFS RESORT
160 Rooms - (800) 826-7827

DOLPHIN BAY RESORT & SPA
61 Suites - (800) 516-0112

INN AT THE PIER
104 Rooms - (805) 295-6313

SEACREST OCEANFRONT HOTEL
158 Rooms - (805) 773-4608

SEAVENTURE BEACH HOTEL
51 Rooms - (805) 773-4994

SHORE CLIFF HOTEL
100 Rooms - (805) 773-467

SPYGLASS INN
82 Rooms - (805) 773-4855

VESPERA ON OCEAN
124 Rooms - (805) 773-1011

Contact the Conference & Visitors Bureau at (805) 773-7034
Typical Pismo Temperatures
Mild Central California coastal weather conditions usually prevail year-round. Here’s what you can usually expect in each season.

**Summer (June–August)**
Early morning fog and overcast skies, which usually clear by midday.

**Fall (September–November)**
Sunny skies, warm temperatures and calm winds are the norm most days.

**Winter (December–February)**
Conditions are similar to those in the fall, but with occasional rain showers and cool temperatures.

**Spring (March–May)**
Occasional showers, sunny skies and mild to warm temperatures are standard.

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### 1 CAMPgrounds

- **Oceano Dunes State Vehicular Recreation Area**
  Pier Avenue, Oceano
  (805) 473-7220 • (800) 444-7275 (reservations)
  - Camping is allowed south of Post 2 on the beach and in the open dune area.
  - Reservations and four-wheel drive recommended, tents allowed. You may enter Oceano Dunes from the end of Grand or Pier Avenue.

- **Pismo State Beach North Beach Campground**
  399 South Dolliver, Pismo Beach
  (805) 473-7220 • (800) 444-7275 (reservations)
  - 96 tent sites, no hookups, leashed pets allowed, pay showers, restrooms

- **Pismo State Beach Oceano Campground**
  555 Pier Avenue, Oceano
  (805) 473-7220 • (800) 444-7275 (reservations)
  - 39 tent sites and 40 RV sites with hookups

### 2 RV Resorts

- **Holiday RV Park**
  100 South Dolliver, Pismo Beach
  (805) 773-1121 • (800) 272-3672
  - 195 spaces, full hookups, pets allowed

- **Pismo Coast Village RV Resort**
  165 South Dolliver, Pismo Beach
  (805) 773-1811 • (888) 782-3224
  - 400 spaces, full hookups, pets allowed
**PLAY IN PISMO BEACH**

**1 BIKING**

**Pismo Beach Bike Rentals**
(805) 441-5792

**2 PARKS**

**Margo Dodd Park**
A popular blufftop wedding site, Margo Dodd Park has a gazebo, lush lawns and fantastic ocean views. It’s paradise for bird-watchers and photographers. Location: Ocean Boulevard and Pier Street. (805) 773-7039

**Pismo Preserve**
This 900-acre public preserve for outdoor recreation and community enjoyment has outstanding views of Pismo Beach. Location: Near the Mattie Road on/off-ramps for Highway 101. (805) 544-9096

**Pismo State Beach Monarch Butterfly Grove**
From November through February, thousands of butterflies migrate here every year to rest in Eucalyptus trees at California’s largest populated Monarch Butterfly Grove. Docents answer questions (from 10am–4pm) and give talks (at 11am and 2pm) during the migration season. Location: Highway 1 just south of the Pismo State Beach North Beach Campground. (805) 773-4382

**Price Historical Park**
The former homestead of a founding family is now a museum featuring a working early California Rancho with adobe ruins. A walking, cycling and equestrian trail through the property is open daily. Location: 100 Rancho Pismo Drive. (805) 773-4854

**Dinosaur Caves Park**
This 11-acre, ocean-front, scenic bluff-top park is popular with walkers, photographers, dog lovers, joggers and families. Location: Corner of Shell Beach Road and Cliff Avenue. (805) 704-8128

**Dog-Friendly Pismo Beach**
Many dog-friendly lodging and dining options, beaches, wineries, activities and dog-specific services are available in Pismo Beach. DogFriendlyPismoBeach.com
3 SOARING IN THE SKY

Can’t beat the views from high in the sky! Try these thrilling options:

BIPLANE RIDES
Banner Airways • (805) 474-6491
View Pismo Beach from the sky in an open-cockpit biplane. Pier tours, dune tours, and other area tours are available.

4 GOLF

Pismo State Beach Golf Resort  
(805) 481-5215
Avila Beach Golf Resort  
(805) 595-4000
Blacklake Golf Course  
(805) 343-1214
Cypress Ridge Golf Course  
(805) 474-7979
Monarch Dunes Golf Club,  
(805) 343-9459

5 THE DUNES

Roam California’s largest dune complex at the edge of Pismo Beach.

The 22,000-acre Guadalupe-Nipomo Dunes Preserve includes Pismo State Beach Dunes Preserve, Oceano Dunes and Oso Flaco Lake Natural Area. The Oceano Dunes State Vehicular Recreation Area is the only place in California where you can ride ATVs right on the beach.

CA Dept. of Parks & Recreation • (805) 473-7220
Dunes Center • (805) 343-2455

Did you know?
The 1923 silent film The Ten Commandments was filmed amid these giant white sand dunes.

Rent ATVs and dune buggies to explore miles of rolling sand dunes on California’s only drive-on beach or go horseback riding along the water’s edge.

ATV RENTALS
Angello’s • (805) 481-0355
Arnie’s • (805) 473-1610
BJ’s • (805) 481-5411
Steve’s • (805) 481-2597
Sun Buggy Fun Rentals • (866) 728-4443

BIKE RENTALS
Pismo Beach Bike Rentals • (805) 441-5792

DUNE BUGGIES
Sun Buggy Fun Rentals • (866) 728-4443
Rent two, four and six-seat dune buggies.

HORSEBACK RIDING
Pacific Dunes Ranch • (805) 489-8100
Ride horseback on guided trail rides from the dunes to the beach.

HUMMER TOURS
Pacific Adventure Tours & Xtreme Hummer Adventures 
(805) 481-9330

MOTORIZED SCOOTERS
Scoot-n-Around • (805) 904-5347
6 SURFING

Year round board and boogie-board surfing north and south of the pier. Board and wet suit rentals available.

Esteem Surf Co.
(805) 773-2144

Pancho’s Surf Shop
(805) 773-7100

Sandbar Surf
(805) 835-7873

Moondoggies Beach Club
(805) 773-1995

Pismo Beach Surf Shop
(805) 773-2089

Zada Surf School
(805) 556-0858

7 KAYAKING

Central Coast Kayaks
(805) 773-3500

Pismo Beach Surf Shop & Kayak Rentals
(805) 773-2089

8 PADDLE BOARDING

Pismo Beach Surf Shop
(805) 773-2089

Central Coast Kayaks
(805) 773-3500
The Central Coast holds many attractions well worth day trips from Pismo Beach.

**Avila Beach**
Our neighbor to the north is known for its mineral springs spa, sunny beach, historic pier, working harbor and lighthouse.

**Central Coast Aquarium**
Touch sea stars and rays and other marine creatures at a hands-on museum of aquatic life.

**Location**: 50 San Juan Street, Avila Beach
(805) 595-7280

**Point San Luis Lighthouse**
Hike to the historic 1890s lighthouse with a docent along the scenic Pecho Coast Trail in Avila Beach (3.75 miles round trip), which is not otherwise accessible to the public.

(805) 540-5771
Trolley tours are also available.
(855) 533-7843.

**Morro Bay**
See the giant Morro Rock, a 576-foot-high remnant of an ancient volcanic peak. Walk or bike along the boardwalk edging Morro Bay Estuary, an 800-acre wetland sanctuary, home to more than 250 species of birds. The Museum of Natural History in nearby Morro Bay State Park has excellent hands-on exhibits about local nature and ecosystems.

(805) 772-2694

**Hearst Castle®**
William Randolph Hearst started building this lavish home on a hilltop above San Simeon in 1919. When he died about 30 years later, Hearst Castle® still wasn’t finished. It’s now part of the state park system and as California’s only castle, it’s one of the most popular destinations in the state.

**Location**: San Simeon
Choose among three daily tours.
(800) 444-4445

**Lopez Lake Recreation Area**
Head ten miles inland from Pismo Beach to Lopez Lake, where you can swim, fish, hike and windsurf.

(805) 788-2381
Kids love the Mustang Waterpark, with two 600-foot curving waterslides, a giant half-pipe and two wading pools with mini-slides and waterfall trees.

(805) 489-8898
Pismo Beach has three main shopping districts: North Shell Beach, Downtown Pismo Beach and South Pismo Beach. Check out one of Pismo's surf shops to buy a new board, wetsuit, sunglasses or a beach outfit. Browse our many boutiques to find stylish clothing, jewelry, unique accessories and gift items.

**Pismo Beach Premium Outlets®**
Enjoy shopping for incredible bargains at nearly 40 name-brand outlets. 
333 Five Cities Drive at U.S. 101

*CATCH A LIVE SHOW*

Downtown Pismo Beach has a bowling alley and a billiards hall, with live music playing in various locations most evenings. Popular evening hangouts include Marisol, Boardroom Beer Pub, Shell Beach Brewhouse, F. McLintocks, The Rooftop and Harry’s.

**PERFORMING ARTS CENTER (PAC)**
California Polytechnic State University
1 Grand Avenue, San Luis Obispo
(805) 756-4849 | (888) 233-2787

Concerts, musicals, ballets and other live performances fill the year-round PAC schedule. The main performance venue, Sidney Harman Hall, has 1,289 seats and is renowned for its excellent acoustics. The adjacent Alex and Faye Spanos Theatre seats 498. The ticket office is open Tuesday–Saturday noon to 6.

**CLARK CENTER FOR THE PERFORMING ARTS**
487 Fair Oaks Avenue, Arroyo Grande
(805) 489-9444

The Clark Center brings world-class, professional performing arts to the Central Coast in an intimate setting on the Arroyo Grande High School campus. It has two state-of-the art theaters: the 617-seat Forbes Hall and 120-seat Studio Theatre. The box office is open Monday–Friday, noon to 6 and Saturday, noon to 4. For tour information contact the Association Office at (805) 489-4196.

**GREAT AMERICAN MELODRAMA & VAUDEVILLE**
1863 Front Street, Oceano
(805) 489-2499

Watch classic comedies, lively musicals and melodramas in an old-fashioned family theater. Vaudeville revues follow all shows. The in-house restaurant serves pub-style meals, plus beer, wine and desserts. Cheer the hero, hiss the villain and celebrate while tossing peanuts on the floor.
Restaurant Month
Pier to Plunge
Pismo Beach Open

Valentine Wine Walk

Art in the Park
(first Sunday of each month May – Nov)
Pacific Breeze Concert
(second Sunday of each month May – July)
Memorial Day Ceremony

classic car show
Father’s Day

annual July 4th Fireworks Celebration

Anthony’s Seeing is Believing 5k
Still Frothy Surf Festival
Annual Coastal Cleanup Day

Surfing for Hope
City to the Sea Clam Festival
Pismo Jazz Jubilee
Pumpkins in the Park

Monarch Butterfly Grove
(October – February)
Marching Band Review
Veteran’s Day Ceremony
Turkey Trot

Easter Eggstravaganza
Spring Break

Easter Eggstravaganza
Taste of Pismo
Chapman Estate Opens
(April – October)
Pismo Pawpfest

St. Anthony’s Celebration
Stride with the Tide

Holiday Harmony & Tree Lighting Ceremony
Shell Beach Holiday Stroll

ExperiencePismoBeach.com
For ease of viewing, this map has been divided into the North and South sections of the area. Map covers approximately 5 miles of Highway 101 and is not to scale.

Area Maps

NORTH COASTAL TRAILS & BEACH ACCESS:
1. Dinosaur Caves Park
2. Seabright Palisades Viewpoints & Trail
3. Cliff’s Hotel Beach Access
4. Spyglass Inn Oceanviewing
5. Cliffs Hotel Beach Access
6. Beachcomber Drive Stairway

SOUTH COASTAL TRAILS & BEACH ACCESS:
7. Pismo Marsh & Overlook
8. Pismo Beach Monarch Butterfly Grove/Promenade to Grover Beach
9. Pismo State Beach/Pismo Beach Pier/Beach Volleyball Courts/Promenade/Pismo Creek Trail
10. Pismo Beach Monarch Butterfly Grove/Promenade to Grover Beach

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