



# The Neal Taylor Nature Center at Cachuma Lake

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Photo by [Steve Udell](#)

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**THE FISH DERBY WAS A HUGE SUCCESS!**



This year's event was attended by anglers of all ages with 565 registered to fish in the Derby and many others along for a glorious weekend of perfect weather for camping and fun at Cachuma Lake & the Nature Center.

The derby raised over \$36,000 through sponsorship, donations, and registrations with an additional \$10,000+ in merchandise donations for door prizes and raffle prizes. A very special thanks to the 61 volunteers who planned and operated the derby, raffle and children's activities.

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**MEET WORLD CLASS FISHING ROD BUILDER  
CAPTAIN TIFFANY VAGUE**



Captain [Tiffany Vague](#) is a skilled fisherwoman and an artist. She has melded these two passions and skills into being one of the top handmade, custom rod designers in the world!

Tiffany donates immaculate rods for our yearly auction at the fish derby. This year, her beautiful fishing rod got a winning bid of \$1200!

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## Event Calendar

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[\*\*GOING BATTY IS BACK!\*\*](#)



Visit the nature center every weekend this summer to learn more about our backyard bats and watch them drop from our bat boxes!

**8:05PM June 7th, June 8th, June 14th, and June 15th**

**8:10PM on June 21st, June 22nd, June 28th, and June 29th**

More dates TBA. Starting times are subject to change. [Learn more](#)

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