

PISMO BEACH WILDLIFE

Right outside your window is an abundance of wildlife. Use the binoculars in the room to see if you can catch a closer look at some of the animals that share our home.



Up in the clouds



CALIFORNIA BROWN PELICAN

The largest bird species in the area. You're likely to see them gliding in their typical v-shape formation.



PEREGRINE FALCON

The world's most common birds of prey. They can reach speeds over 200 mph as they dive to catch their prey.



NIGHT HERON

Chicken-sized chubby birds, typically seen on land or at the shore.



Down in the waves



SEA OTTER

Residents of the Central Coast all year round. January and February are the best months to see the pups.



PACIFIC WHITE-SIDED DOLPHIN

Most commonly seen during summer months, usually with baby dolphins by their sides.



HUMPBACK WHALE

The most common whale species to breach. Typically seen from May to October.



CALIFORNIA GRAY WHALE

Typically seen on the Central Coast from December through mid May.

CAPTURE YOUR ADVENTURE WITH GOPRO!

To make it easier to capture your adventure, we are now offering GoPro Rentals! Choose from half day or full day rentals. Please contact the Front Desk for rental pricing and availability.

SHARE YOUR ADVENTURE

Upload your photos or videos to Instagram with #CentralCoasting for a chance to win a free overnight stay!



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YOUR POCKET GUIDE

TO
adventure

IN

PISMO BEACH

Choose your own adventure

PISMO BEACH AREA GUIDE

1 SHORE CLIFF HOTEL

You are here, your adventure headquarters. With all that the Central Coast has to offer, we recommend getting outside and exploring. Afterwards, you can always retreat back to your relaxing room by the water. Savor the sunset and great company while playing bocce ball at the Coastal Courtyard on the south side of the property.

2 TENNIS COURTS

Just down the street from the hotel are oceanfront clay tennis courts available for your use. Check out equipment at the front desk.

3 DINOSAUR CAVES PARK

Atop the ocean bluffs, Dinosaur Caves Park is an ideal spot to bring a picnic and relax while enjoying the stunning views.

4 SHELL BEACH

Explore tide pools and scenic coves hidden in the 9 separate beaches tucked away below the cliffs of Shell Beach.

5 PISMO PRESERVE

Shore Cliff Hotel is the closest hotel to the Pismo Preserve. Enjoy 10 miles of roads and trails ideal for hiking, bird watching, bike riding, horseback riding or just taking in the spectacular view. Visit the Pismo Preserve website to sign up for docent-led hikes and bike rides.

6 CALIFORNIA COASTAL TRAIL

Extending the length of California, the Coastal Trail is the perfect pedestrian walkway dedicated to protecting and preserving the coastal environment.

7 PISMO PIER

Just down the beach from the hotel, the Pismo Pier is a great place to take a stroll and grab a bite to eat. Downtown Pismo is a classic beach town with a variety of dining and shopping options.

8 MONARCH BUTTERFLY GROVE

Each year from October to February, thousands of Monarch Butterflies flock to Pismo Beach, making it one of the largest colonies in the nation.

9 EDNA VALLEY WINERIES

Just a few miles away from Pismo Beach is an abundance of family-owned wineries. The wineries offer a diverse range of varietals and styles all united by the distinct growing conditions of SLO Wine Country.

