Captain Peter Hammarstedt to visit Dublin

Girco Maria

12 years defending whales in Antarctica

Open Talk @ World Vegetarian Day St Andrews Resource Centre 114-116 Pearse Street Dublin 2

Drinks & Dinner @ Cornucopian Restaurant

Vegan, Vegetarian & Wholefood Restaurant 19-20 Wicklow St, Dublin 2

Sunday September 28th, 2014



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Captain Peter Hammarstedt

Born in Sweden, Peter joined Sea Shepherd as soon as he was old enough to submit an application. He is Captain of the MY Bob Barker, the Director of Ship Operations for Sea Shepherd Australia and sits on the Board of Sea Shepherd Global.

In his ten years with Sea Shepherd, Peter has sailed the seven seas under the leadership of Captain Paul Watson, from the foreboding Labrador Coast to the treacherous Antarctic Continent, using direct action to save as many lives as possible from illegal whaling, sealing and destructive fishing practices.

Peter believes that in their capacity to suffer, animals are our equals, and that when a government fails in its responsibility to uphold the law, then it is the responsibility of compassionate people to fill the enforcement vacuum.

Peter has crewed on eight consecutive Antarctic Whale Defence Campaigns and for the past two years, Peter has been Master of the, MY The Bob Barker.

On the last two Antarctic Whale Defence Campaigns, *The Bob Barker*, under Peter's command, was rammed on several occasions by the factory whaling ship Nisshin Maru. In the 2012/13 season Sea Shepherd successfully prevented the whaler from refuelling and the campaign succeeded in preventing the slaughter of 932 whales. The 2013/14 season saw 749 lives saved, we can only do this with your help.

12 years defending whales in Antarctica, Captain Peter Hammarstedt, Sea Shepherd

Captain Peter will briefly talk about the Sea Shepherd movement and specifically the past and upcoming Antarctica Whale Defence Campaigns.

In 2014 the UN International Court of Justice ruled that Japanese Whaling in Antarctica was illegal, many thought the battle was won, but Sea Shepherd Australia are preparing to return to Antarctica as Japan seeks to resume killing whales in the Southern Whale Sanctuary.

Captain Peter will the spend some time on the Merchandise stand.

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Directions:

Situated opposite Pearse Square, and close to the junction with Macken Street, the centre can be reached by a number of public transport routes.

Buses that serve the centre include the numbers 1, 47, 56a, and 77a. See DublinBus.ie for more information. Stops are located directly outside the Centre

The nearest train/DART stations include Pearse Street and Grand Canal Dock, both are a 10 minute stroll from the Centre.

There is pay and display on street parking in the area.

Drinks & Dinner with Captain Peter Hammarstedt

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Whale Defence Campaign

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