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**3rd Annual Marina del Rey Marina Fest  
Features Something For Everyone**

**Marina del Rey, CA. – April 17, 2012** - The 3rd Annual Marina del Rey Marina Fest is a community-based, waterfront family fun celebration of the boating lifestyle. The exciting event will take place on Saturday, May 19 and Sunday, May 20, 2012.

Presented by the Automobile Club of Southern California, the Official Watercraft Insurance Provider, the annual event is held in Marina del Rey's G Basin and Pier 44 Slips, at the corner of Admiralty Way and Bali Way.

"This year's Marina Fest will include everything from affordable family-oriented power boats, sail boats, brokerage motor yachts, to speed boats, fishing boats, family cruisers, and boating accessories at great values," said Dave Geoffroy, Executive Director of the Southern California Marine Association (SCMA), the show's organizer.

As a special feature, the tall ship, BILL of RIGHTS, the 136-foot replica 19<sup>th</sup> century schooner will be on display throughout the show, arranged by Del Rey Yacht Club.

Also on hand will be teen sailing sensation Abby Sunderland, who will be signing autographs, books and DVDs and talking with attendees about her incredible effort to become the youngest person to sail solo around the globe.

Marina Fest will also offer interactive, hands-on activities for all ages and levels of skill, including a stand up paddle boarding clinic presented by Action Watersports.

- Show Hours: Saturday 10am - 9pm, Sunday 11am - 6pm
- Admission: Adults \$10/ Children 12 & Under Free

For more information, call 714-633-7581 or visit [www.marinafest.com](http://www.marinafest.com)

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The tall ship BILL OF RIGHTS had the distinction of being the lead Tall Ship through New York Harbor during the 1976 Bicentennial Celebration.