

HELP CLEAN UP OUR BEACHES



Northern Fulmar picking at a cigarette butt 20 miles offshore of Point Reyes.
Credit: Rich Stallcup

Fact: Almost 90 percent of floating marine debris is plastic. Due to its durability, buoyancy, and ability to absorb and concentrate toxins present in the ocean, plastic is especially harmful to marine life.

(Resource: CA Coastal Commission)



Beach Cleanups are a great way for families, students, service groups, and neighbors to join together, take care of our fragile marine environment and show community support for our shared natural resources.



Black-footed Albatross picking at a blue balloon
Credit: Rich Stallcup

COME ON OUT !!!!!!!!

Saturday September 15, 2007
CA Coastal Cleanup Day
9:00 AM - 12 PM



Albatross chick carcass filled with plastic
Credit: US Fish and Wildlife Service

Cordell Bank National Marine Sanctuary
hosts at Bear Valley Visitor Center,
Point Reyes National Seashore
9:00-12 noon

Come by the Bear Valley Visitor Center to get supplies and data sheets and pick your beach!



For more locations for cleanups go to: <http://www.coastal.ca.gov/publiced/ccd/ccd.html>