

sports en•thu•si•ast noun

a person who is invigorated by any and all things athletic; a sports whiz, an athlete at heart.

From perfect beaches to the incredible weather, San Diego is one of the best places to enjoy playing or watching your favorite game. With the nation's Best Ballpark in the heart of downtown, and an energetic culture, it's no surprise that athletic locals call San Diego home





IF YOU HAVE ONE HOUR

 Take a stroll through the Park in the Park at Petco Park for a glimpse of America's Best Ballpark

IF YOU HAVE ONE DAY

- Start your day with a round of golf at the scenic Torrey Pines Golf Course
- Catch a Padres Game at award-winning Petco Park! Voted Best Ballpark in America by USA Today, Petco Park has something for everyone to enjoy. Indulge in some of San Diego's favorite eats and craft brews while you watch the game under the San Diego sun
- End your day with a picture-perfect sunset in the background while you root on your favorite team at Draft South Mission, a beachfront bar and grill

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THE Sports Enthusiast



PETCO PARK 3 Hours §

Rated the Best Baseball Park in America in 2016 by USA Today, PETCO Park, home of the San Diego Padres, was host to the 2016 All-Star Game! Snap a pic of you with Mr. Padre, Tony Gwynn's Statue as you walk through the park. On game day, bring your appetite as many of San Diego's favorite local eats are available within the ballpark.

100 Park Blvd - mlb.com/padres/ballpark

SAN DIEGO GULLS GAME 3 Hours §

San Diego's very own American Hockey League Team started playing in San Diego in the 2015-2016 season. The Anaheim Ducks' affiliate hosts a variety of fun themed games and has something for the entire family to enjoy.

3500 Sports Arena Blvd – <u>sandiegogulls.com</u>

SDSU AZTECS 3 Hours 6

Catch the San Diego State Aztecs while you are in town! From football, to basketball, to baseball and more, the San Diego State Aztecs are consistently ranked high in collegiate athletics.

San Diego State University, Campanile Dr - <u>aoaztecs.com</u>

CHULA VISTA ELITE ATHLETIC TRAINING CENTER 1 Hour §

With 155 acres of state-of-the-art sport venues, the Chula Vista Elite Athletic Training Center is a U.S. Olympic and Paralympic Training site. Take a guided tour of the facility to learn the history, purpose, and fun facts about this incredible athletic center.

2800 Olympic Pkwy – <u>trainatchulavista.com</u>

TORREY PINES GOLF COURSE 3 Hours §

Home of the Farmers Insurance Open and the 2021 US Open, the beautiful Torrey Pines Golf Course is a 36-hole municipal public golf facility that sits on the edge of the Pacific Coast. Play on the same holes as your favorite golfers and take in the breathtaking views of the Pacific Ocean as you play. While you are visiting, stop by Hilton La Jolla Torrey Pines for a quick bite to eat!

11480 N Torrey Pines Rd – <u>torreypinesgolfcourse.com</u>

Estimated times for activity are listed next to each experience

\$ = Experience has a cost associated with it

BALBOA STADIUM 30 Minutes

The original home of the San Diego Chargers, Balboa Stadium carries some of San Diego's richest athletic history. Currently the stadium is home to San Diego High School's athletic teams, but athletes such as Babe Ruth, Lou Gehrig, Ty Cobb, and A.J. Foyt each graced this facility throughout history.

FUN FACT: On August 28, 1965, The Beatles played their only San Diego concert here!

1570 Russ Blvd

SAN DIEGO SURFING 3 Hours

PACIFIC BEACH

Pacific Beach

A San Diego favorite in the summer. Check out one of the several different surf shops that offer rentals and lessons if you are a beginner. PRO TIP: It is locals-only near the pier.

TOURMALINE

600 Tourmaline St

Enjoy a nice, gentle wave where a lot novice and old-timer surfers tend to frequent.
Looking to rent a board? Head down to Pacific Beach and then drive or make the walk up to this peaceful beach.

LA JOLLA SHORES

La Jolla Shores

It's no wonder La Jolla means "The Jewel" – this beach is a local treasure. With warm water and calm surf, it is a local and tourist favorite. There are rentals shops a few blocks away from the beach if you need a board.

PRO TIP: Steer clear of Scripps Pier which is used as a research pier for UC San Diego.

SWAMI'S BEACH &

SELF-REALIZATION MEDITATION GARDENS

Moonlight Beach

The Beach Boys added this point break to their song "Surfin' U.S.A." Need we say more? Catch a wave and after do some soul surfing at the Meditation Gardens. Pro Tip: Advanced surfers only.

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SPORTS BARS 2 Hours

Draft – Mission Beach

3105 Ocean Front Walk – <u>draftsandiego.com</u>

710 Beach Club – Pacific Beach

710 Pacific Beach Dr – <u>710bc.com</u>

Bar One - Little Italy

1532 India St - <u>baronelittleitaly.com</u>

The Local - Gaslamp

1532 India St - thelocalsandiego.com