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Lazy Arrow Outdoor Adventures	Ray Azbill Junior Pheasant Hunts and Santa Margarita Pink Hunt Clinic, 01/31, 02/01, 02/21, 2026	The Ray Azbill Junior Pheasant Hunts and the Santa Margarita Pink Hunt Clinic are known as some of the premier pheasant hunting programs for the state. The programs provide education seminars focusing on wildlife and fisheries management, wildlife law enforcement, hunter ethics and safety, shooting skills, game care and offer a hunting opportunity to participants to take pheasants during a live hunt.
Kevin Kreyenhagen	Game Warden Stamps	The purchases of Warden Stamps help to procure vital equipment, protective gear and training for Wildlife Officers. Once stamps have been obtained they will be distributed out to the general public in hopes of educating the importance of the “Thin Green Line”.
Giant Giant Kelp Restoration	Giant Giant Kelp Restoration in Monterey	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Build skills, workforce capacity and infrastructure in the seafood industry. 2. Restore kelp forests and biodiversity. 3. Boost fishing, food security, biodiversity, and carbon sequestration 4. Develop emerging technologies to improve kelp restoration techniques.
Carmel River Steelhead Association (CRSA)	Carmel River Lagoon Steelhead and Striped Monitoring	CRSA conducts steelhead and striped bass monitoring in the Carmel River Lagoon. One of the boats we used for these monitoring efforts is no longer serviceable. CRSA is seeking funds to purchase a new watercraft to aid in our monitoring.
International Bird Rescue	Resolving Negative Human-Wildlife Interactions in Monterey County 2026	Request renewed financial support of \$7,299 for a small portion (12.5%) of Monterey County’s share of the necessary costs of care, rehabilitation habitats, food, medicine, clinic supplies, and medical supplies for native, wild aquatic birds rescued from throughout Monterey County and transferred to us for lifesaving, temporary emergency treatment and care.
O’Neill Sea Odyssey	A Hands-on Ocean Experience and Watershed Education for Southern Monterey County Youth	O’Neill Sea Odyssey will target four (4) Southern Monterey County classes with our free, hands-on ocean education. Our comprehensive program will provide traditionally marginalized youth with the opportunity to learn about the ecosystem, and the wildlife of our region. Programs will be conducted during the Spring 2026 program season. Students will apply lessons learned with hands-on community service projects.

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Ventana Wildlife Society	Reducing condor lead exposure through GPS tracking and free non-lead ammunition distribution.	Ventana Wildlife Society will provide free non-lead ammunition to hunters and ranchers in Monterey County. Requested funds will be used to purchase non-lead ammunition for Monterey County hunters and a condor GPS transmitter for tracking movements. This project will facilitate access to non-lead ammunition and help reduce lead exposure for condors and other wildlife.
Marine Life Studies	Mobile Whale Skull Display for Education	We obtained an authentic minke whale skull, mandibles (jawbones), and additional specimens that will be showcased in a custom-built trailer featuring plexiglass windows for clear viewing. This mobile exhibit enables us to bring these remarkable specimens to schools, public outreach events, and various venues. When not on the road, it will be stationed in front of our Moss Landing facility for public viewing.
Monterey Bay Charter School	Nature Connection Supply Library	Monterey Bay Charter School seeks \$5,000 from the Monterey County Propagation Grant Fund to establish a Nature Connection Supply Library that provides outdoor education equipment and reusable supplies for equitable, hands-on learning about local wildlife and conservation.
Monterey Audubon Society	Monterey Audubon Birding Backpack Lending Program	Monterey Audubon Society seeks funding to create loanable birding backpacks, stocked with binoculars, field guides, activity books, notebooks, and pencils, for libraries and community centers throughout Monterey County. This program will expand access to wildlife education, engage families and youth in local birding, and promote long-term stewardship of local habitats.
Pacific Grove Museum of Natural History	Monterey County Habitats	Monterey County habitats featured in the PG Museum changes exhibit will be highlighted throughout fall 2026 public programs. Bilingual outreach and onsite programs, including Science Saturday reach over 6,000 people each year with information and hands-on activities focused on the cultures and natural history of Monterey County with emphasis on conservation actions.
SPCA Monterey County	SPCA Monterey County Wildlife Rescue & Rehabilitation Center	Each year, SPCA Monterey County's Wildlife Rescue & Rehabilitation Center provides care for average of 2,500 injured, orphaned, and sick wild animals from 150 different species. Every injured or orphaned wild animal's rehabilitation schedule is crafted around their unique needs and requires substantial resources. We are the only full-service wildlife rehabilitation center in Monterey County.