## **OPTION 1- HISTORY OF SCA TRIVIA**

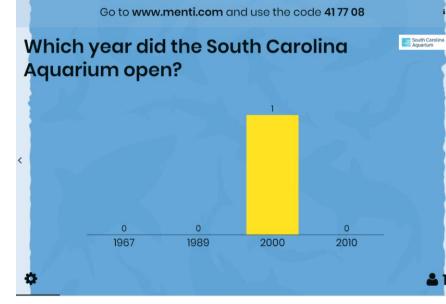


Welcome Guests/ Members

Give info for logging into game

Get to know audience

Introduce Diver

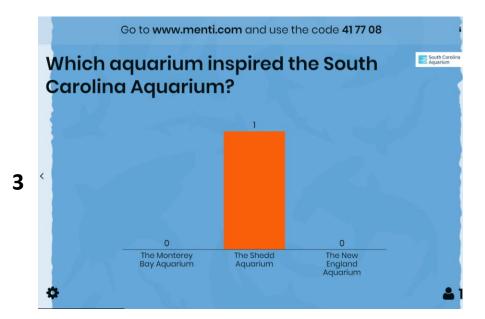


While audience is answering, ask diver how long they have been a diver at SCA.

Answers will vary, divers may share their favorite part of diving at SCA.

Confirm that SCA opened in 2000.

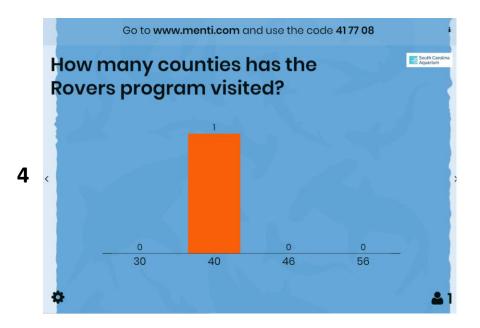
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While audience is answering, ask diver if they have always lived in Charleston.

#### Answers will vary.

Confirm that the South Carolina Aquarium project was started in 1983 when Mayor Joseph P. Riley Jr. returned from a visit to the Shedd Aquarium in Chicago.

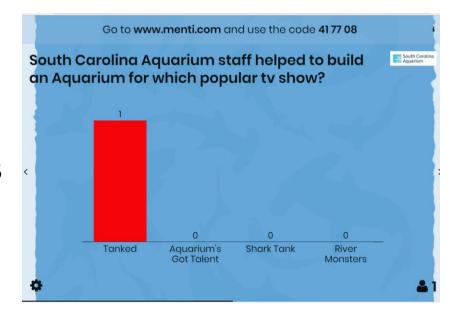


# While Audience is answering, ask diver what the Rovers program is.

Diver- The Rovers Program is the aquarium's outreach program. Staff bring animals and lessons to classrooms across the state.

### Confirm that the answer is 40.

Educator- The Rovers program started in 2008. To date, educators have traveled to 40 of the 46 counties in South Carolina.

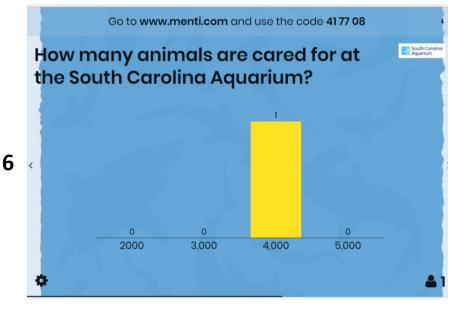


While audience is answering, ask diver about the dimensions of the GOT.

*Diver- 42 feet, 385,000 gallons, 18 inches of acrylic* 

#### Confirm that Answer is Tanked.

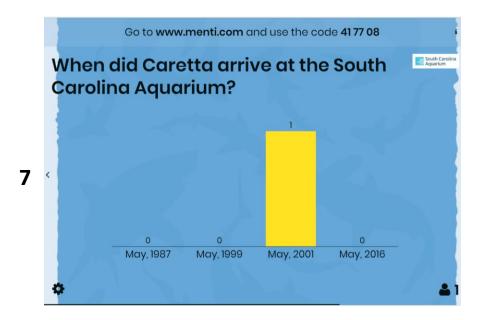
Educator- In 2014, staff built freshwater aquarium for Horry County Museum that was featured on show.

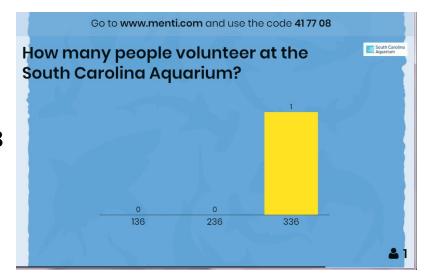


While audience is answering, ask diver how many animals are in the GOT.

Diver- 550 animals, 40 native species

Confirm that answer changes seasonally, but is between 4,000 and 6,000 animals.





# While audience is answering, ask diver to share how Caretta is fed.

Diver- 220 pound, 31 year old loggerhead sea turtle swims into large crate lowered into water. She's pulled out of the water and fed things like mackerel, salmon, and lettuce.

### Confirm that answer is May, 2001.

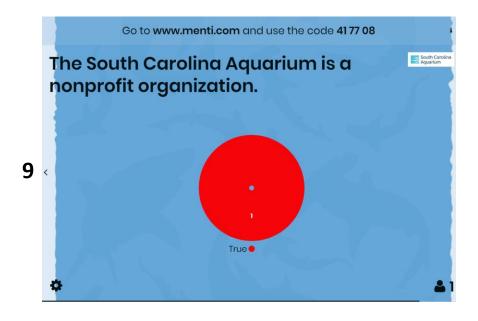
Educator- We received Caretta from an Aquarium in Quebec. Caretta was hatched on a beach in Florida, and taken home to Canada by beachgoers. Because of how she was raised in human care, Caretta is not a candidate for release.

# While audience is answering, ask diver about salary.

Diver-we are volunteers supporting the aquarium's mission by donating our time to care for the animals, clean the tank, and educate visitors.

### Confirm that the answer is 336.

Educator- Volunteers assist with everything from animal husbandry to education. As a nonprofit, we couldn't do what we do without them. Thank a volunteer while you're visiting today!



Conclude your show by thanking guests for contributing to our mission.

Thank you, audience, for coming in to learn more about the South Carolina Aquarium. Again, we are a non-profit organization, so your ticket price also goes right back into caring for these animals and providing free, open access events for our community like our free structured school program.



Announce the next show, time, and location.