

It's your event.  
Make waves.

## The Perfect Waterfront Venue

With expansive waterfront views and an ideal downtown Charleston location, the Aquarium will exceed all of your expectations for corporate entertaining. Host an after-hours party to express appreciation or entertain clients with a soiree to remember.



# South Carolina Aquarium Special Events Office

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# EVENTS

# Aquarium Galleries and Harbor Overlook

With sweeping views of the Charleston Harbor, the Aquarium's dynamic floor plan enables creative placement of food stations, bar service, dance floors or even a stage.



# Venue Rental Rates

## Spring and Fall

*March, April, May, September, October, November*

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday	\$3,500
Thursday, Sunday	\$5,000
Friday	\$6,000
Saturday	\$7,000

## Summer and Winter

*June, July, August, December, January, February*

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday	\$3,500
Thursday, Sunday	\$4,500
Friday	\$5,500
Saturday	\$6,500

- Venue rentals include four hours of event time during evening hours, after the Aquarium closes to the public.
- Rentals include access to the Aquarium's indoor exhibits and the outdoor Harbor Overlook.
- All rentals require a 50% reservation deposit and a \$500 refundable security deposit.
- Event liability insurance is required.

*Please inquire about holiday weekend rates.*



D Y N A M I C

## Unique Activities

Marvel at experiences you won't find anywhere else. Treat your guests to up-close animal encounters or divers displaying a special message from inside the tanks.

### **ROAMING ANIMAL ENCOUNTERS – \$225**

Let a member of our education team greet your guests with special animal attendees like juvenile American alligators, tortoises and snakes.

### **THE SHALLOWS STINGRAY TOUCH TANK – \$500**

Come fingers to fins with rays at this unique outdoor touch tank adjacent to the Harbor Overlook.

### **TANK DIVER WITH CUSTOM SIGN – \$900**

Our scuba divers can share your tailored message from inside the Great Ocean Tank or the Carolina Seas tank. A perfect photo opportunity for guests!



*Restrictions may apply; Please inquire for full details.*

# EXPERIENCE

# Package Your Experiences

To ease in your event planning, we've packaged some of our clients' favorite experiences.

## PACKAGE A – \$600

- The Shallows (one hour)
- Animal Encounters (30 minutes)
- Indoor Touch Tank\* (30 minutes)

## PACKAGE B – \$1,200

- All experiences in Package A
- A diver in Carolina Seas or the Great Ocean Tank with optional custom underwater sign (30 minutes)

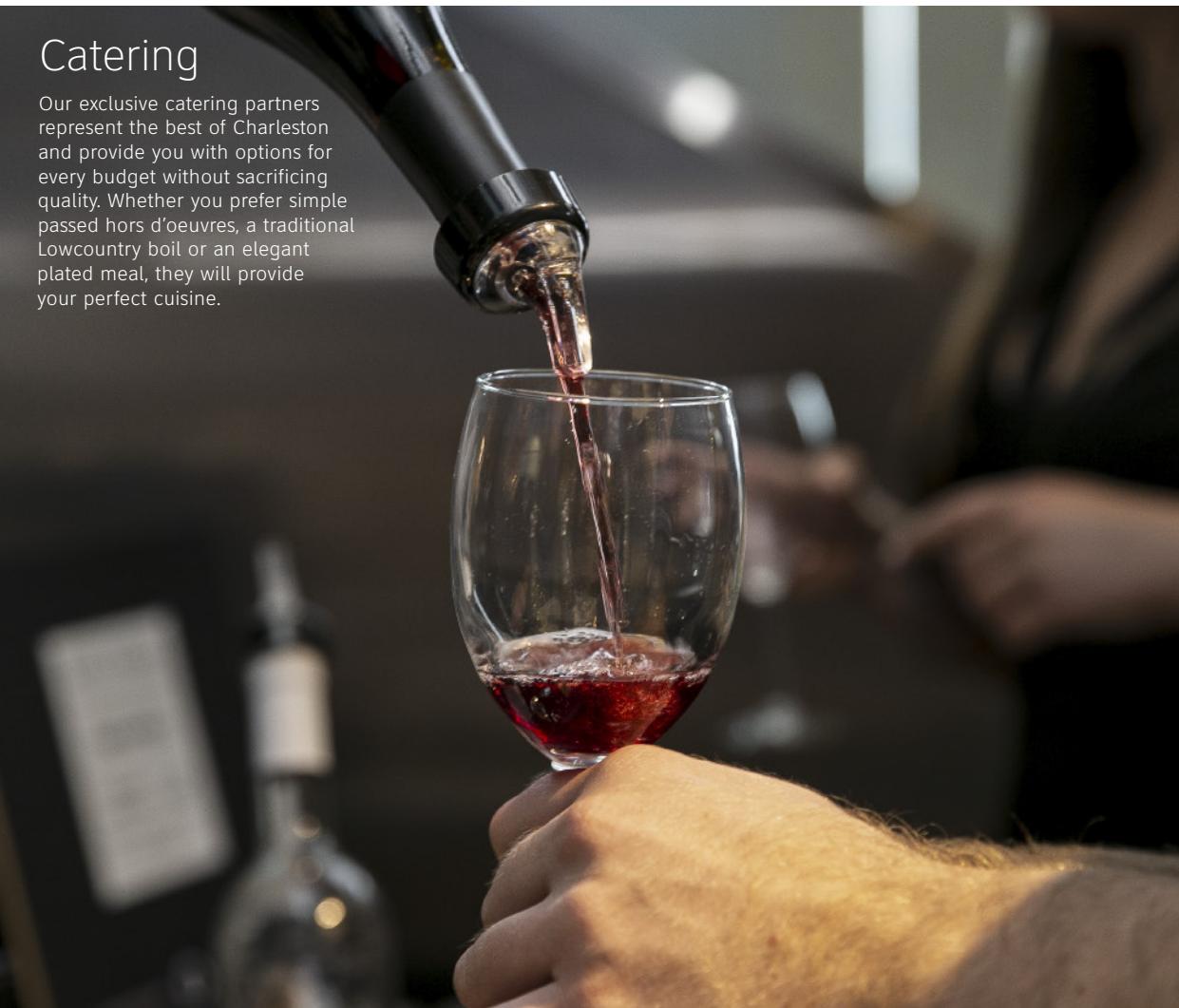
*\*Exclusively available within a package*



# EXPERIENCE

## Catering

Our exclusive catering partners represent the best of Charleston and provide you with options for every budget without sacrificing quality. Whether you prefer simple passed hors d'oeuvres, a traditional Lowcountry boil or an elegant plated meal, they will provide your perfect cuisine.



# Catering Partners

## ROSEMARY & RYE CATERING

(843) 834-4845

[rosemaryandryecatering.com](http://rosemaryandryecatering.com)

## CRU CATERING

(843) 534-2433

[crucatering.com](http://crucatering.com)

## DUVALL CATERING & EVENT DESIGN

(843) 763-9222

[duvallevents.com](http://duvallevents.com)

## SALTHOUSE CATERING

(843) 577-7847

[salthousecatering.com](http://salthousecatering.com)

## CAROLIMA'S LOWCOUNTRY CUISINE

(843) 900-4467

[carolimas.com](http://carolimas.com)



# Bar Partner

## SPIKE BAR SERVICE

(843) 766-3366

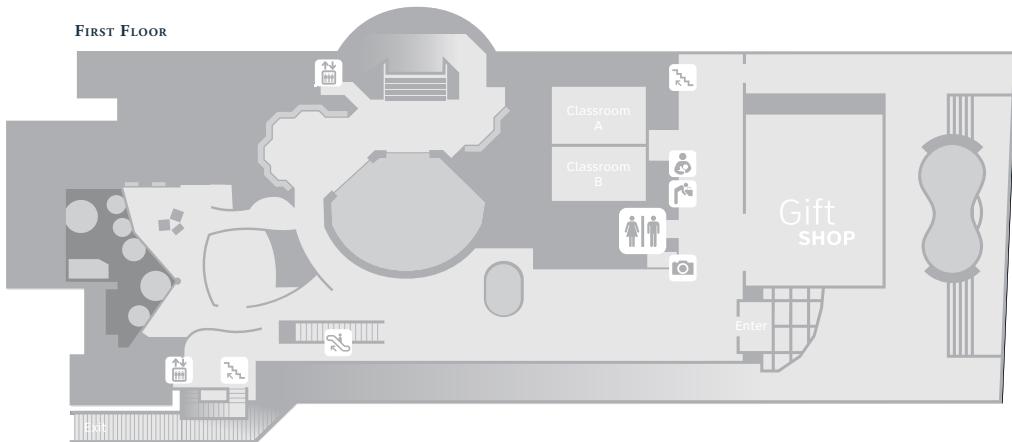
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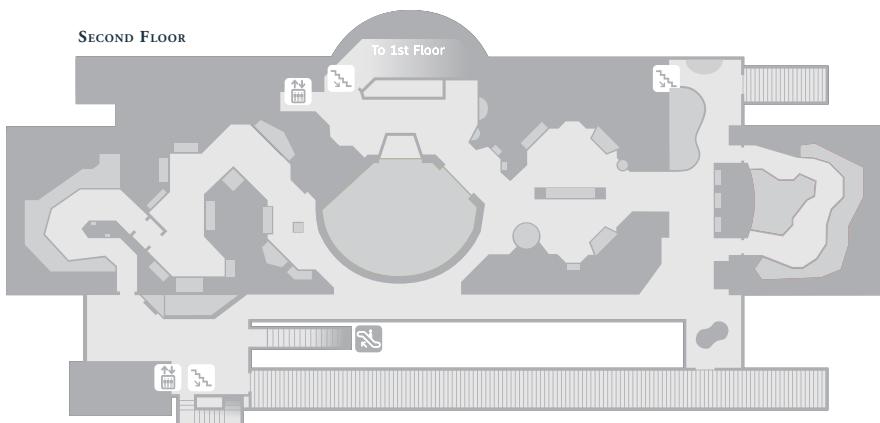
*Catering partners may add a 15% commission charge on services, a fee paid to the South Carolina Aquarium, a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization. These proceeds enable us to further our conservation and education efforts.*

# G R E A T   F O O D

FIRST FLOOR



SECOND FLOOR



FLOOR PLAN

## Aquarium Galleries Specs

### SPECS

Square Feet	6,985 (first floor) 6,570 (second floor)
Ceiling Height	13 feet up to 30 feet.
Seated Capacity	200
Standing Capacity	800



## Harbor Overlook Specs

### SPECS

Square Feet	1,925 square feet
Dimensions	55 feet by 35 feet
Seated Capacity	100
Standing Capacity	200

# DETAILS

