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**For Immediate Release:**

**56<sup>th</sup> Annual Los Angeles Boat Show Will Anchor in the  
L.A. Convention Center February 9-12, 2012**

**LOS ANGELES, CA – December 2, 2011** - The 56<sup>th</sup> Annual Los Angeles Boat Show is set to be a spectacular event with hundreds of must see boats on display, beginning Thursday, February 9, through Sunday, February 12, 2011 at the Los Angeles Convention Center.

Presented by the Automobile Club of Southern California, the Official Watercraft Insurance Provider, the annual event is the largest and most prestigious boat show in the western United States, having drawn nearly 5 million attendees from across the nation over the last 55 years, to view the most spectacular array of boats and marine accessories available under one roof.

“This year’s show will feature everything from affordable family-oriented boats, to the most luxurious motor yachts, speed boats, fishing boats, family cruisers and more,” said Dave Geoffroy, Executive Director of the Southern California Marine Association (SCMA), the show’s organizers. “This Year’s four-day show also promises to be jam-packed with fun and activities for the whole family”.

Highlights of the Los Angeles Boat Show will include:

- More boats, more brands and best prices of the year
- Special displays of fishing boats, cruisers, performance sport boats, sailboats, Pontoons, luxury yachts, inflatables, personal watercraft and more
- Geared to boaters and their families and those interested in getting started in boating and water sports

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- Jack Dagger Knife Throwing Show

A World Champion and member of the International Knife Throwers Hall of Fame, Jack Dagger will amaze you with knife Throwing stunts and performances Friday at 3:00, 5:00 & 7:00; Saturday 1:00, 5:00 & 7:00 and Sunday 11:00, 1:00 & 3:00  
[www.jackdagger.com](http://www.jackdagger.com)

- Bubble Rollers Water Balls

Kids of all ages can walk, run, jump and roll on the water without getting wet in a 6 foot human hamster ball on an indoor pond.

- Jeremy Vanschoonhoven's Stunt Bike Rider.

Five-time National Champion Bike Trials rider and a finalist from NBC's hit reality show America's Got Talent!™, Jeremy has performed everywhere from Caesar's Palace in Vegas, to New York City's famous Beacon Theater to China. Jeremy will amaze you with his bike stunts while encouraging encouraging kids to live tobacco and drug free, and to wear helmets when riding. Performances will be Thursday & Friday at 2:00, 4:00 & 6:00 and Saturday 11:00, 3:00 & 6:00  
[www.jeremyvanschoonhoven.com](http://www.jeremyvanschoonhoven.com)

- Hooters Wing-Eating contest. Day and Times to be announced.

- Show Hours:

Thursday/Friday 12pm-9pm, Saturday 10am- 9pm, Sunday 10am-6pm

- Admission:

Adults \$12/ Children 12 & Under free.

Show your Auto Club Membership Card to save 50% off admission- Weekdays only

- Tickets and details at [LosAngelesBoatShow.com](http://LosAngelesBoatShow.com)

The Los Angeles Convention Center is located at 1201 S. Figueroa Street. The four-day show will open Thursday and Friday from Noon to 9:00 p.m., Saturday 10:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m., and Sunday 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Admission prices are \$12.00 for adults, with children 12 years or under, free. For more information call 714-633-7581, or visit [www.losangelesboatshow.com](http://www.losangelesboatshow.com)

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