

**8th annual LA Harbor International Film Festival (LAHIFF)
April 14-17, 2011**

"To create a cinematic bridge between the people of the region and the people of the world."

Opening Night – Thursday, April April 14

Port of Los Angeles (POLA) premiere

Sponsored by Councilwoman Janice Hahn, the Italian American Museum Los Angeles & the Los Angeles Maritime Museum

“Joe’s Sea”(Il mare di Joe)

Joe’s Sea (*Il mare di Joe*, 2009, co-produced by ANFE Sicily, Italy; 58 min.) directed by Enzo Incontro, has earned the director prestigious awards, and accolades.

The film takes the viewer from Sicily, to California to Alaska on the trail of legendary fishermen Joe Bonanno who left the Sicilian island of Marettimo during the last century and emigrated to America seeking more opportunity and better future for his family. His story represents an entire epoch of many who re-built their lives thanks to the flourishing fishing industry that was at its peak on the west coast of the United States from 1930s to 1950s. (Some Italian language, English narration). Note: Mr. Bonanno is invited and hoping to attend as the honored guest of the LAHIFF.

Exclusive One Time Screening Only

Thursday, April 14 – 7:30 p.m.

Warner Grand Theatre (WGT)

(A facility of the City of Los Angeles Department of Cultural Affairs)
478 W. 6th St., San Pedro, California 90731

Ticket price: \$15

Advance purchase by April 8th \$10 - mail check or m.o. payable to “LAHIFF”

c/o Joe Buscaino
1536 W. 25th St., #245
San Pedro, CA 90732

Online purchases from April 1st at www.warnergrand.org

***Advance Purchase Tickets will be at “Will Call” from 6 p.m. day of screening.**

Tickets on sale at WGT Box Office evening of screening at 6 p.m.

“Sacred Grounds at the WGT” concession stand serves popcorn, candy, soda, coffee, beer & wine at all screenings.

Before or after the movie enjoy the cuisine of the LAHIFF Epicurean Sponsors:

Ports O’Call Restaurant, Niko’s Pizzeria, The Whale & Ale, Raffaello’s, San Pedro Brewing Company, San Pedro Fish Market, Think Café, J. Trani’s Ristorante, The Sandwich Saloon, Trusella’s, or one of the many other fine restaurants of San Pedro

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