

SANTA BARBARA
MUSEUM
of
NATURAL
HISTORY

Founded in 1916 as the Museum of Comparative Oology — the study of bird eggs, the Santa Barbara Museum of Natural History opened on this site in 1922 and continues today as a regional research and educational institution. In 1987 the Sea Center on Stearns Wharf joined the museum to focus on our important coastal environment. This Museum is a pet-free and non-smoking campus.

