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Flint RiverQuarium Next Third Thursday is July 21!

In celebration of the longer, lazier days of summer, the Flint RiverQuarium is bringing back the popular Third Thursdays program. In May, June and July, visitors can enjoy the RiverQuarium and a movie in the Imagination Theater for only \$5 on the third Thursday of each month from 5-8 pm.

The next Third Thursday will be held July 21. The RiverQuarium's special guest will be Ben Scott of Seaview Aquariums. Scott will present two entertaining 20-30 minute programs at 6 p.m. and 7 p.m. His presentations will feature sea creatures and a touch tank for closer looks and hands-on fun.

Children can learn how the clown fish and sea anemone live together with the evening's featured craft, and then go and find the sea anemone in the RiverQuarium's hatchery room.

The film currently showing at the Imagination Theater is *Sea Monsters: A Prehistoric Adventure*. Through ultra-realistic computer animation the movie travels back to the Late Cretaceous, when the sea was dominated by giant marine reptiles, some as large as present-day whales. Show times are 6 p.m. and 7 p.m.

The gift shop will offer a 15% discount, and Aquadopt personalized tiles will be available for a discounted price of \$15.

The Flint RiverQuarium is southwest Georgia's premier aquarium, featuring more than 1,000 animals that call the Flint River watershed home. The Flint RiverQuarium is located at 101 Pine Avenue in downtown Albany, Georgia. Regular operating hours are Monday-Friday 9 a.m.-5 p.m.; Saturday 10 a.m.-6 p.m.; Sunday 1 p.m.-5 p.m.

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