

## Winter Wedding Showcase

*She said "yes"!* So you got the ring and set the date. Everything else you will need to tie the knot can be found at the First Annual Winter Wedding Showcase at the Oklahoma Aquarium. From the dress and flowers to the food and music, this is *the* event for every bride and groom planning the wedding of their dreams. Get ideas and book businesses for your special day. Then, snuggle up with your sweetie on a carriage ride over to RiverWalk! Eat at one of the fabulous restaurants and shop till you drop.

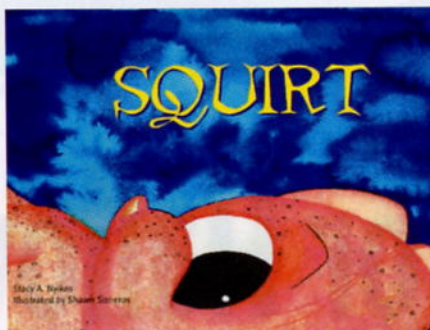
Discount overnight accommodations are available at the Aquarium Inn and Suites. Event hours are Saturday, January 7, 2006 from 5:00-9:00 and Sunday, January 8, 2006 from 12:00 to 4:00. Brides and Grooms receive discounted admission of \$10 each.

## Fishmas Festival

Plans are underway for the first annual *Fishmas Festival*. Formerly the Twelve Days of Fishmas, this now one-day event is *the* ticket for holiday family fun. Enjoy entertainment, arts-n-crafts, games and goodies on Saturday, December 17 from 10:00 am to 6:00 pm at the

Oklahoma Aquarium. Get your picture taken with *Santa Shipley*, make ornaments and register for hourly "sur-prizes"!

## Fall Squirt Drawing Contest



Author and Illustrator of *Squirt*, featured picture book of the Aquarium, are visiting schools around Tulsa this Fall introducing children to the curious characteristics and vivid imagination of one very colorful squid named Squirt. Children at the schools visited are automatically eligible to take place in the Drawing Contest. Citywide first prize is a sleep-over at the Aquarium, second prize is a birthday party, and third prize is a youth membership for a year. So make sure your school is signed up for an author/illustrator visit. If not, contact Stonehorse Publishing, 918.409.4063. Who knows, your picture may win you a night with the fishes!

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under 3 will be free, and our valued members will receive a \$2 discount with a valid Aquarium membership ID On Saturday, October 29, guests will pay general admission prices, yet will enjoy all that HallowMarine has to offer and many extras as well!

HallowMarine has been a huge success greatly due to the help that we receive from our generous merchants and businesses who participate with our trick-or-treat trail. We are still accepting registration for candy stations for this event. If your business would like to participate, please contact Macy Jiles at (918) 528-1512 or Phil Tate at (918) 528-1506. Feel free to call for any additional information or questions as well. We'll be seeing ye' at HallowMarine, me Hearties!

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## AquaTots

The preschoolers have voted and the results are in: AquaTots at the Oklahoma Aquarium is a huge success! In response to the rapidly increasing interest in the program, the Education Department is excited to add an additional day of AquaTots each month. On the second and fourth Wednesday of each month, children ages 3-6 flock to the Oklahoma Aquarium with their parents, grandparents, or caregivers for an amazing hour-long AquaTots adventure. Every month of AquaTots boasts a different theme, complete with songs, stories, puppet shows, crafts, or games. Join us for the next session of AquaTots and discover what all the excitement is about.

### Dates and Times:

AquaTots is held on the **second and fourth Wednesday of each month**. The program is offered at 9:00am and repeated at 2:00pm.

**October 12 or 26, 2005**  
Jiggly Jellies

**November 9 or 23, 2005**  
Lizards, Frogs, and Pollywogs

**December 14 or 28, 2005**  
Penguins and Puffins

**January 11 or 25, 2006**  
Fabulous Flamingos

**February 8 or 22, 2006**  
Pinniped Palooza

**March 8 or 22, 2006**  
Totally Turtles

Admission is \$15.00 for each adult and child pair, \$7.00 for each additional child, and \$8.00 for each additional adult. Payment is due on the day of the event and **pre-registration is required**. Spaces are limited and fill quickly, so call early to reserve your spot in AquaTots. For more information or to register, contact Alicia by phone at (918) 528-1509 or by e-mail at [agilleean@okaquarium.org](mailto:agilleean@okaquarium.org). We hope to sea you soon!