OPEN HOUSE AUGUST 22, 2006

Stellwagen Bank National Marine Sanctuary

175 Edward Foster Road, Scituate, MA (First Cliff)



View the sanctuary's new state-of-the-art Research Vessel AUK

DATE: Tuesday, August 22, 2006

TIME: 4:00pm - 7:00pm

COST: FREE

LOCATION: Sanctuary

Headquarters,

175 Edward Foster Road,

Scituate, Mass.

- * Talk with sanctuary staff about on-going research, education and resource conservation programs
- * Watch videos from seafloor habitats and shipwreck sites
- * Explore maritime heritage and whale watching through touchscreen kiosks

- * View the newest addition to the NOAA fleet -- the sanctuary's state-of-the-art Research Vessel AUK
- * Visit the headquarters facility with innovative geothermal heating and cooling system
- * Find out how you can become a steward of our marine resources

PARKING:

Visitors are asked to park at the Cole Parkway parking lot (behind Front Street along the harbor). Shuttles (water taxi and bus) will be available throughout the hours of the Open House to and from the parking lot. Handicapped parking spaces are located at the headquarters.



Learn about recent whale behavior research missions



View images from shipwrecks located on the sanctuary seafloor







The facility at 175 Edward Foster Road, formerly a Coast Guard Station, now houses the offices of the Gerry E. Studds Stellwagen Bank National Marine Sanctuary.