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**TRANSPARENTSEA VOYAGE - LAUNCHES FILM DEBUT
ACROSS THE PACIFIC IN MARCH 2014**

A modern voyage with ancient creatures focusing attention on coastal environmental issues

“A beautiful and inspirational film and can't wait for the soundtrack!” – Common Ground
“A stunning visual work from one of the top emerging documentary film directors” – AmDocs

Byron Bay, Australia (March 25th 2014) Saltwater Collective, in association with Surfers for Cetaceans, is proud to announce the documentary *“The Transparentsea Voyage”* screened to a sold out audience at the film's world premier in the heart of the ocean conservationist territory, Byron Bay Australia March 23rd 2014. The benefit screening in support of Surfers for Cetaceans was kicked off by a live musical performance by The Band of Frequencies and special guest, professional surfer Dave Rastovich. Those in attendance also got a chance to participate in a Q and A with the cast and crew about the social and environmental issues raised in the film.

The documentary highlights the efforts of a group of gifted athletes, musicians, celebrities and artists on a campaign aimed at focusing attention on **coastal environmental issues**. Witness the journey unfold, through the creation of song as this “behind the music” look at focused activism reveals how the eclectic group of individuals makes a heartfelt connection to the California coastline through creativity and education.

"The passion and creative prowess I witnessed from the characters we documented in this film was very inspiring says Producer/Director, Justin Krumb. Telling their story has become my own passion as I feel a certain responsibility to show the world how special and talented these individuals are. Benefit screenings and festival premiers are a great way to do that."

With the film's world premier a rousing success, the crew then travels the length of the Pacific for the **North American Premier** as an official selection at *AmDocs, The American Documentary Film Festival*, **Saturday March 29th at 4:30pm at Camelot Theatres (2300 E. Baristo Road, Palm Springs, CA 92262)**

Tickets are available at <http://www.showclix.com/event/3814011>

Experience the voyage from start to finish as the crew traced the southern migration of the California Grey & Blue Whale from Santa Barbara to San Diego in five sailing kayaks. It all started with a goal of engaging key coastal communities and ended with a big helping of self-discovery for everyone involved...

Starring: Dave Rastovich, Shannon “Sol” Carroll, Oj Newcomb and Howie Cooke with special appearances by Angus Stone, Isabel Lucas, Chris Del Moro, Lauren Hill, Hayden Panettiere, Will Conner, Catherine Clarke, Hilton Dawe, Rusty Miller and Al Hicks.

The filmmakers have created a successful and loyal following through the film's social media sites, including Facebook <https://www.facebook.com/transparentseavoyagemovie>
Film's website <http://www.transparentseamovie.com>
Download the soundtrack <http://transparentseavoyage.bandcamp.com>

EPK available here: <http://transparentseamovie.com/media.php>
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The Saltwater Collective is a group of award-winning artists, filmmakers, designers and athletes that are committed to creating awareness—through thoughtful, entertaining documentaries and various media—of the

imperiled state of the world's oceans and cultures. At the same time we seek to explore and highlight possible solutions. We view each project as a singular event, transmitting its unique message and feel.

Surfers for Cetaceans is committed to activating ocean-minded people everywhere to support the conservation and protection of whales, dolphins and marine life. It's through compassion, awareness, education, media and dedicated interventions that we will accomplish this goal. We seek to be a human voice for and defender of cetaceans worldwide. www.s4cglobal.org