



# SURFING SANTAS

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## **SURFING SANTAS RETURNS TO COCOA BEACH FOR SEVENTH YEAR**

COCOA BEACH, FL - On December 24, 2015, Surfing Santos will gather to ride the waves and to share holiday fun in the sun for the seventh annual Surfing Santos event. Over 300 surfers are expected to hit the waves dressed as Santa with even more Santos skydiving onto the beach.

Surfing Santos morning festivities begin at 8:00 a.m. EST, at 2 Minuteman Causeway in Cocoa Beach, Florida. The event is free to the public and offers fun for all ages. Bring your beach chairs, your cameras, and your family.

For additional information, visit the Surfing Santos website at [www.surfingsantas.org](http://www.surfingsantas.org). Proceeds from donations and sales benefit two local non-profit organizations, Florida Surf Museum and Grind for Life.

### **About Surfing Santos / [www.surfingsantas.org](http://www.surfingsantas.org)**

In December, 2009, George Trosset went surfing dressed as Santa with his son and daughter-in-law dressed as elves. Over the past six years, the event has grown from a family day at the beach into a local community event. In 2014 the fun included nearly 300 Surfing Santos, 18 skydiving Santos, 4000 spectators, and \$20,000 in donations for local charities.

### **About Florida Surf Museum / [www.floridasurfmuseum.org](http://www.floridasurfmuseum.org)**

The Florida Surf Museum was created to preserve and document the unique history and culture of Florida surfing. The museum showcases the heritage and traditions of the surfing community through events, exhibits, and programs, highlighting Cocoa Beach as one of the premier surf towns in the world.

### **About Grind for Life / [www.grindforlife.org](http://www.grindforlife.org)**

The mission of the Grind For Life organization is to provide financial assistance to cancer patients and their families when traveling long distances to doctors and hospitals. The organization assists with lodging expenses, meals and personal needs and supports families through the course of treatment, survival, and recovery.

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