Steinhart Aquarium Scavenger Hunt!

Steinhart Aquarium has changed a lot since opening in 1923—can you find these features from the original aquarium and these animals that call the aquarium home today?

Though Steinhart Aquarium previously homed a colony of American Alligators, Claude is an Academy first with albinism. His swamp habitat is surrounded by the bronze seahorse railing preserved from

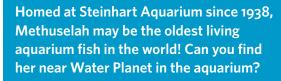






the original Steinhart swamp.

Steinhart Aquarium has had an African penguin colony since 1983! These endangered birds are part of a Species Survival Plan with other penguin colonies around the U.S. Can you find them in African Hall?







As you step within the Twilight Zone, a flash of green signals the presence of the Flashlight Fish. Steinhart Aquarium was the first public aquarium to display these bioluminescent beauties.

Check out all the gear on the model Twilight Zone diver—researching and collecting aquatic animals is not easy! In ongoing research expeditions, Academy divers sometimes descend hundreds of meters to make observations and use specialized equipment like the rebreather.





Near the elevators on the mezzanine level of the aquarium sits a famous Steinhart animal: the two-headed gopher snake. Can you find other relics from the original aquarium nearby? You may also spot the bronze doors and walrus cast sculpture from the original aquarium.

Originally located at the entrance to Steinhart Aquarium, these sea lion sculptures welcomed visitors to the aquarium. Created by Italian-American sculptor Beniamino Bufano, these sculptures can now be found in Wander Woods in the East Garden.





Keep an eye out for beautiful rock and ceramic tile depictions of aquarium animals. Guillermo "Bill" Wagner Granizo created more than 30 original ceramic art pieces for the old Academy building, some of which have been salvaged and reinstalled in the current building.



