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WHALES on the BRINK

Stories from the Rice's Whale Discovery and Right Whale Tales

Please join the Smithsonian National Museum of Natural History, NOAA Fisheries, the Marine Mammal Commission, and partners to celebrate:

- Rice's whales (*Balaenoptera ricei*)
- North Pacific right whales (*Eubalaena japonica*)
- North Atlantic right whales (*Eubalaena glacialis*)



**... and the 50th Anniversary of the
Endangered Species Act of 1973**

**Thursday,
November 16,
2023**

**8:30 am –
5:00 pm**

Baird Auditorium,
Smithsonian
National Museum
of Natural History,
Washington, DC

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