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WHALE ADOPTION PROJECT

Congratulations!

You are hereby invited to join Whale and Dolphin Conservation's Whale Adoption Project!

A humpback whale named Mars was adopted on your behalf.

A mother of eleven and a grandmother of six, Mars was aptly named after the Roman god of war as she bears the scars of a life well fought. If anyone questions whether humpbacks have culture, they need look no further than to Mars and her children. She has raised a family of active and fast-learning whales, which is likely why Mars is best known for her energetic behavior with her calves. She is also very gentle with her children and was once seen lifting her calf with her flipper and gently rolling him over her back. She first became a grandmother in 1998 when her daughter, Nile, became a mother herself. Like Mars, Nile is well-connected to her family and has even been seen spending time with her brothers, Seal and Putter.

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WDC is a global charity dedicated to the conservation and welfare of all whales, dolphins and porpoises. In addition to providing you with a personal connection to an individual humpback whale, our Whale Adoption Project helps to ensure a safe future for all the magnificent animals we strive to protect.

WDC derives over 90% of their funding from private support and dedicates an average of 85 centers per dollar raised to programs that impact change.