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Found Treasures: Santa Cruz Sea Dubs Grub

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The SC Warriors season is now underway. (Photo: Mark C. Anderson)

November 17, 2023 – Talk about a strong start. A week ago, on opening night of the 2023-24 season, to launch their second decade in existence, the Santa Cruz Warriors rattled off the first 14 points of the game.

Two different Warriors both notched 12 in the first quarter alone, on the way to a 40-point opening period and a 125-114 blowtorching of the Stockton Kings.

But this is an epicurean column, not an athletic one, even if I ocasionally wiggle in some Oakland A's helmet nachos; bacon-wrapped hotdogs and E-40 burritos in and around Golden State Warriors playoff wins; and San Francisco 49ers inspired beer pairings.

Fortunately both the Santa Cruz Warriors organization and "Sea Dubs" staff are making some inspired foodrelated plays.

The organization just announced it's re-upping the Swishes for Dishes initiative for the 2023-24 season: In an effort to combat food insecurity throughout the Central Coast, 10 meals will be donated to Second Harvest Food Bank of Santa Cruz County for each point the S.C. Warriors score this season.

That means the Dubs blistering start netted 140 meals in roughly three minutes. And brought new meaning to "bank shots."

Team staff, meanwhile, helped coach Edible on where to eat and drink around Kaiser Permanente Arena.

Inspired by their recommendations, here are your starting five spots for food and drink on game night—the Wave City Warriors play NBA G League Ignite tonight (Nov. 17) at 7pm.

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