BAY AREA DIVERS May 2024

General Meeting May 29, 2024 6:30 Social 7:30 Meeting

1829 Broadway Street Pearland, TX 77581

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Via Zoom – Meeting ID: 867 7029 6433 Direct Link Available on BAD Webpage Social or Dive Event suggestions?

Share them with us!

May Guest Speaker; Laura Picariello

Program Director, Sustainable Fisheries & Aquaculture! Texas Sea Grant @ Texas A&M University

Laura's primary focus in her role at Texas Sea Grant is helping commercial and recreational fishing communities understand and utilize the latest in fisheries technology, research and management to develop applicable solutions to problems facing their communities. Picariello currently works with the Texas shrimp industry, helping fishermen with the proper installation, use and maintenance of turtle excluder devices (TEDs) and bycatch reduction devices (BRDs) to minimize impacts on other species.



May Member Door Prize!!

Texas Scuba Adventures gift card! <u>Paid Members</u> get 1 raffle ticket

Mark Your Calendars:

APRIL

- 24 Monthly General Meeting
- 27 Spring Equipment Check out Dive

MAY

- 8 BAD Board of Directors Meeting
- 18 BAD Dives! @Scuba Ranch
- 25 Brunch @ Marais 11:30AM
- 29 Monthly General Meeting Texas Sea Grant

JUNE

- 08 Texas Tails Distillery Tour & Lunch Nearby
- 12 BAD Board of Directors Meeting
- 26 Monthly General Meeting Speaker TBD
- 28 Valhalla Missile Silo Dive w/Scuba Junkies

JULY

10 BAD Board of Directors Meeting

31 Monthly General Meeting - Speaker TBD TBD - *Scuba, Shoot and Scarf!* A combined dive & social event where guns are welcome.

AUGUST

- 14 BAD Board of Directors Meeting
- 24 BAD Dives!! Scuba Poker @ Mammoth
- 28 Monthly General Meeting Speaker TBD

SEPTEMBER

- 11 BAD Board of Directors Meeting
- 25 Monthly General Meeting Speaker TBD

OCTOBER

- 9 BAD Board of Directors Meeting
- 12 Underwater Pumpkin Carving Details TBD
- 26 Kirk's Birthday Bash! Details TBD
- 30 Monthly General Meeting Speaker TBD

NOVEMBER

TBD BAD Board of Directors Meeting TBD Monthly General Meeting - NOAA

DECEMBER

7 BAD Cruise's!! - Carnival Jubilee TBD BAD Board of Directors Meeting TBD BAD Holiday Party No Monthly Meeting - Happy Holidays!!!

Spring Check Out Dive & Annual Regulator Check! Mammoth Lake; April 27th 9:30AM

We will be at <u>Thunder Bay Pavilion</u>, furthest away from the entrance around the lake.

Dave will be checking regulators for club members! (Does NOT replace annual maintenance) Mention you are with Bay Area Divers when you check in. RV Spots & Rental Gear Available! Divers -- \$23.00 per person. Non Divers - \$5.00 per person. Tanks must be RESERVED www.divemammoth.com to fill out the REQUIRED annual waiver. 330 North Dixie Dr Bldg F, Lake Jackson, Texas 77566 (979) 288-6118



We are on Discord!

(And are learning to use this new tool.) If you would like an invite please let a board member know!

Scuba Ranch Trip!

May 18th - 10:30am-3:30pm 8131 CR 346 Terrell, TX 75161

Stay Current & Get that monthly dive in! Waiver MUST BE SIGNED before entry. https://thescubaranch.com

The CLUB will provide Sandwiches for lunch. Please bring an item to share.

Diver Fee \$25, Non Diver \$10. Tank Fills \$10 Rental Gear and Tank Fills Available. Vets Use code "SiscoLovesVeterans" for 10% off park entry! Must show proof of veteran status at check-in.



Lunch @ Marais May 25th - 11:30 AM 2015 FM 517 Rd E, Dickinson, TX 77539



Prime Steaks, Fresh Seafood, Cajun Influenced cuisine, fine wines & spirits and much more.

Something for everyone's tastes and budget! www.maraistx.com

Dive Travel Tales!

Share your adventures with our membership officer, Julie so we can share information about what you did/liked and build up a club database for members to save them research time!