

BAY AREA DIVERS

May 2023

General Meeting
May 31st
6:30 Social
7:30 Meeting



Via Zoom – Meeting ID: 811 8825 9365
Direct Link Available on BAD Webpage

Guest Speaker; Aaron Bouwkamp

Dive Officer, Moody Gardens Aquarium

Aaron Bouwkamp is a Dive Officer at Moody Gardens, and manages the Moody Gardens Volunteer Diver Program. Aaron is a NAUI Instructor, DAN Instructor, AAUS Scientific Diver, and NAUI Technical Diver. He received his Master of Science in Accounting from Michigan State University and has previously worked as a CPA. Since relocating from Michigan to Texas, Aaron has received a Marine Biology degree from Texas A&M University at Galveston, and works as an Instructor for Texas Scuba Adventures. He has experience with programs including the Galveston Bay Foundation Dolphin Research Program, the Gulf Center for Sea Turtle Research, as well as with sustainable business and environmental activism organizations in the Great Lakes region.



Moody Gardens Outing May 20!

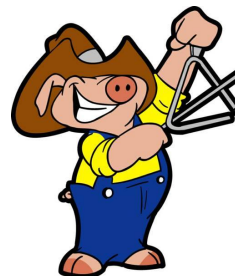
Join us on the Island to go to either the Aquarium or the new exhibits at the Discovery Pyramid. We will vote once on site. Full details on the Event Page.

Afterwards, grab a bite to eat at The Gypsy Joynt!



Mark Your Calendars:

20-May Moody Gardens Aquarium or
Discovery Pyramid Exhibit
21-May Sunday Brunch @Marais
09-June NASA NBL Tour
10-June USS Cavalla Tour @ Seawolf Park
24-June Blue Lagoon Diving



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**REMINDER! The TGCC College
Scholarship deadline is June 30th!**

Thinking Ahead

2024 is BAD's 50th Year!

We would like to celebrate in a *special*
way with **A CRUISE!**

Planning has begun. Please stay tuned
for details!



Social or Dive Event suggestions?
Share them with us!

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