



# NEWS FROM The "Get Wet" Club

## November, 2011

**November 16th, 2011 - General Meeting**

Social starts at 7pm - Meeting at 7:30pm

**Mario's Flying Pizza & Italian Restaurant**  
**618 West NASA Rd. 1, Webster, TX**

**Speaker of the Month** — PJ Campagna  
PJ will be talking about her travels

Please do not forget that we are having elections!

**This should be very interesting and Helpful MEETING!**

**Don't miss this one!**

### The BAD Calendar

#### November

- 1 BAD BOD Meeting
- FREE Marine Recreation Community
- 2 Workshop- Galveston
- 12 Anniversary Party-Luau Theme
- Elections- Speaker--PJ Champagna-
- 16 Muk Diving**
- 24 *Happy Thanksgiving*** 

#### December

- 6 BAD BOD Meeting
- 25 *Merry Christmas*** 

**2012**

#### January

- 1 *Happy New Year*** 
- 3 BAD BOD Meeting
- BAD General Membership Meeting --
- 25 TBA**

#### February

- 7 BAD BOD Meeting
- BAD General Membership Meeting --
- 29 TBA**

WEBSITE: [www.bayareadivers.org](http://www.bayareadivers.org)

Have an event you want to lead,  
contact the Board for



### November



Bobby Tyler	1	Dennis Camp	13
Renee Bolen	2	Steven Crump	13
Sylvia Resch	3	Kelly Whitley	15
Justin Williams	4	Samantha Jenkins	18
Max Beckham	4	David Romano	20
Rafe Zamora	4	Seldon Crump	21
Skip Evans	4	David Mauk	24
Jan Warkman	5	Tanya Gorguraki	24
Kim Saldivar	5	Kevin King	27
Joel Beckham	6	Shon Corrier	30
Mozelle Dwire	9	Thomas Rigolo	30
Cindy Romano	9		

### COME VISIT and DIVE WITH YOUR FRIENDS and NEIGHBORS

Bay Area Divers meet at **Mario's** 618 W NASA Rd 1, Webster, TX 77598 at 7:00 pm the last Wednesday of each month (except November & December).

**GUESTS ARE ALWAYS WELCOME!**

Deadline for article submission for next month is:

**December 11th, 2011** E-Mail [caladyfish@yahoo.com](mailto:caladyfish@yahoo.com)

# PRESIDENT'S CORNER



Dear BADDies,

We had a great turnout for our 37<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Party at Monument Inn on Nov. 12<sup>th</sup>. It was great to see both new members and longtime members getting together, socializing, and celebrating the great year we have had! Thank you to everyone that join in on the luau theme and wore your tropical best and leis!

Due to the money we have raised through our monthly 50/50 drawings throughout the year, we were able to give (3) \$200 gifts certificates for our participation drawing! Congratulations to Mickie Evans, Adam Seely, and myself for winning those gift certificates! Also we would like to thank Dennis Camp for donating the 5 day/4 night land package trip.

Congratulations to everyone nominated for Divers of the Year! The nominees were Dave Lieb, Patrick Newman, Ja Van Pruett, Cindy Romano, David Romano, Capt Randy Widaman, and myself. The membership voted me as Diver of the Year and awarded me the trophy. Thank you so much for honoring me as it has been a pleasure this past year organizing events for the members and leading the wonderful board of directors you all elected. I simply couldn't have done any of it without the support of the board members and other key volunteers. They are my heroes!

This month the monthly general membership meeting has been moved up to this **Wednesday, November 16<sup>th</sup>**! Please come out and show your support for the

will also be voting on updates to the club bylaws to help guide the board to manage the club for coming years.

**MARK YOUR CALENDARS! Next year's SCUBA Divers Market is October 13<sup>th</sup>, 2012!** Plan to volunteer and join in the fun!! We will start advertising and marketing the divers market after the new year!

So plan to Dive Safely,  
*Doreen Wells*  
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**You should have been there!**



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## BAD BOARD (BOD) MEETING

Meetings **ARE OPEN TO All**, so come on out and join us for our next meeting **TUESDAY December 6th 2011** at 7:00 PM at **La Brisa**, 501 North Wesley Drive (behind Sudie's at exit 28 on I45) League City, TX . Everyone is encouraged to attend as we appreciate **everyone's participation and your input**. Come earlier if you would like to eat and visit with some of us prior to the meeting.

# New Members



New Members- Carroll Grove; David Brinkley; Judith Jackson; Dave & Lori Lieb;  
Dahna Proctor; Marc Susan Reiter

## Member of the Month October



Tami Thomas

Tami, is an Advanced Open Water Diver since 2007. She would like to become a Dive Master. She joined BAD in 2007. Tami, always wanted to be a diver.

## Mark Your Calendar

**Divers Market  
October 13, 2012**

*The weekend after Trashfest*

## Sad News

Two of our members  
lost their loved ones

Steve Crump — lost his uncle and Mother in October.

Seldon Crump — lost her cousin November.

Our condolences to all of your families and friends.

## THANK YOU! DENNIS CAMP

Wednesday - Oct. 26, 2011

At the last General Meeting:

I hope you did not miss this **Very  
informative meeting**  
to help take care of gear meeting.

### Bay Area Divers

In Association with Save Our Leatherback Turtles Organization

**\$\$ Club Fund Raising Project \$\$**  
**"Turning Energy into Income"**

[www.BayAreaDivers.IgniteInc.biz](http://www.BayAreaDivers.IgniteInc.biz)

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*Dive Smart!*  
**Dive Safe!**  
*Dive Happy!*

# **Editors Contest Winners 2011**

**Articles Award—For the most articles turned in/or written for Publication as well as being printed: The winner receives a **\$25.00 Gift Certificate to Restaurant of their choice.****

**1st Place Jim Ward — 25 articles**  
**2nd Place Ja Van Pruett — 21 articles**  
**3rd Place Dennis Camp — 10 articles**

**Activity Award—For having your name or picture in newsletter the most: The winner receives his **Membership for 2011** paid for by Club.**

**1st Place Seldon Crump — 25 times**  
**2nd Place Jim McConville — 20 times**  
**2nd Place Mozelle Dwire — 20 times**