#### **APRIL 2017**

## CHECKOUT DIVE

WHEN: APRIL 22ND 10 AM

WHERE: 288 LAKE

4800 SCHURMIER RD. HOUSTON, TX 77048

713.870.3049

### PRICE AND INCLUSIONS...

**Event Coordinator:** Dave Pichler

Cost: \$17 per person – cash only.

\$7 Spectator Fee

\$10 Air Fill \$15 Nitrox Fill

The spring/aquifer fed water at 288 Lake is naturally filtered; having travelled through many layers of sandstone and sand layers. Visibility can range from 4 – 25 feet.

Must be Certified divers, with proof of certification.

Go to the website:

http://288lake.net/scuba-diving/

Print and complete your Water Facility Waiver and bring with you to the event!

The club will provide Hot Dogs and Hamburgers.
Sign up sheets will be available at the March General BAD meeting for sides, condiments, desserts, etc.

## SAVE THE DATES

Monthly Meetings
7pm SOCIAL, 7:30 MTG
Last Wed, Jan-Oct
(and 5th Wed in November)
Our *March* Guest Speaker is our
very own, Ray Miessler! Ray will be
speaking on Diver Safety to get us
all ready for a safe and fun 2017
dive season.

## BAD BOARD MEETINGS, 6:30PM

1<sup>ST</sup> TUESDAY Every Month Public and BAD Members are welcome to join us as we discuss and vote on club business

Due to schedule conflicts, July will be on the 11<sup>th.</sup> We will meet at :

Gina's Italian Kitchen & Pizzeria 129 W. Parkwood Ave Friendswood, TX 77546

## SPECIAL EVENTS

4/22 Equip Checkout Dive, 288 Lake

5/7-14 BAD Caribbean Cruise 5/26-29 Balmorhea State Park/Dive 6/10-11 Blue Lagoon Campout/Dive 6/24 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Summer Solstice 10/7 BAD Scuba Market

# MORE GREAT EVENTS TO COME!

Have any social events in mind? Share them with us!

www.bayareadivers.org
www.facebook.com/groups/bayareadivers/

# There's a lot going on in May!

5/1-5/14 BAD Carribean Cruise Mexico, Jamaica and Grand Cayman

If you are interested, this is a "LAST CALL!" Time is running out!

See Mei Hwa for details

5/26-5/29 Balmorhea State Park Camping & Diving

\$30 for the whole weekend of camping & diving. (that includes daily park entry fee)

Bring C card and completed release forms. There is a dive shop just outside of the park for air fills~\$10 CASH and bottles must have current inspection.

Site has water, electricity, pit, grill, shade area and table

See Libby for details & meal sign up sheet. Payment due by the April BAD General Meeting to secure your spot.

## **BAD MUGS**

If you are interested in a Bay Area Diver coffee mug, please see Gary Fesler. He has an 'example' and pre-order forms. We are also looking into Hats, Shirts, and koozies as additional merchandise options. Please let us know if there is something specific you are interested in.

## BAD SCUBA MARKET

The Market is set for October 7<sup>th</sup>. We will have a variety of vendors, seminars/expos, food trucks, etc.

If you have ideas or want to get involved with one of the committees, please see Doreen or Libby.

Remember to bring your consignments ~ Free for Members!

## **MEMBERSHIP**

If you have not paid your 2017 dues, please see Cindy Romano, Jackie Kamholz or Shelby Dill for a form. It is \$20 annually per individual or \$30 annually per family. This can be paid by cash, check, paypal or credit card.