



RECENT MEDIA COVERAGE

South Padre Island In the News

SOUTH PADRE ISLAND NEWS COVERAGE

- Southern Wave featured on [The Texas Bucket List](#)
- Ceviche Ceviche featured on [The Texas Bucket List](#)
- Sea Turtle, Inc featured on [The Texas Bucket List](#)
- South Padre Island Among [Best Weekend Getaways for Easter](#) by Trips to Discover
- Listed on the "[13 Best Places to See Dolphins in the Wild](#)" by Readers Digest Online
- "[The Best Things To Do On Spring Break In Texas Will Make You Want To Book A One-Way Ticket](#)" by Elite Daily
- "[Spring Break Beaches Crack Down](#)" by cnn.com
- "[Snowbird Getaway: The Magic of South Padre Island](#)" by Canadian travel writer Beth Polluck (SPI hosted Dec. 2018)
- "[The Best Spring Break Destinations For 2019 Will Make You Want To Book A One-Way Flight](#)" by Elite Daily
- Texas travel writer Beverly Burmeier posted our Family Spring Break news release on her [blog](#)
- SPI Birding & Nature Center featured in 2018 "[5 Magnificent Nature Road Trips to Experience the Wilds of Texas](#)" article by Culture Map Austin.
- Sea Turtle, Inc featured in 2018 "[Best of Day Trips](#)" article in Austin Chronicle.
- South Padre Island featured in "[Bounty of Beaches](#)" article in Oklahoma's 405 Magazine.
- Isla Grand Beach Resort names one of "[The 5 Best Resorts in Texas](#)" by Alltherooms.com
- [Fins 2 Feathers](#) featured on San Antonio's Daytime@Nine show (Fox)
- Clayton's Beach Bar named one of "[The 21 Best Beach Bars in America](#)" by Thrillist.
- South Padre Island story featured in 2018 Special Edition of [Canadian Travellers "America: Yours to Discover"](#)
- Sea Turtle Inc featured in the June 2018 Issue of Texas Parks & Wildlife "[Editor's Letter](#)" for Sea Turtle Inc.'s conservation efforts and details a recent turtle hatchling release
- B&S Kites featured in the "[The Ultimate Texas Summer Bucket List](#)" for kite flying in Texas Highways Magazine



SOUTH PADRE ISLAND ACCOLADES

- Listed on the 2019 [“One of the Best Family Vacations in Texas”](#) by Trips to Discover
- Listed on the 2019 [“9 Destinations You Must Experience During the Off-Season”](#) by Expedia-AARP.
- Listed on the 2019 [“Best Family Vacations for Spring Break”](#) by Trips to Discover
- Listed on the 2019 [“Top 5 Places to Go for Spring Break”](#) by hercampus.com
- Listed on the 2019 [“6 Spring Break Getaways That Don’t Require a Passport”](#) by The EveryGirl
- Listed on the 2019 [“Your Guide To The World’s Most \(In\)Famous Spring Break Destinations”](#) by UPPROX
- Listed on the 2019 [“The Best Things To Do On Spring Break In Texas Will Make You Want To Book A One-Way Ticket”](#) by Elite Daily
- Listed on the 2019 [“Best US Spring Break Destinations”](#) by Travel+Leisure on MSN.com
- Listed on the 2019 [“Temple’s Top 5 Valentine’s Day Getaways”](#) by Temple Display, LTD.
- Listed on the 2019 [“Most Desired Valentine’s Day Romantic Getaway”](#) by eTurboNews.com
- Listed on the 2019 [“The Top 5 Romantic Getaways in Texas for 2019”](#) by Skyscanner.com
- Listed on the 2019 [“The Best US Weekend Getaway Destinations With Royal Holiday”](#) on www.aworldoftravel.com
- Listed on the 2019 [“29 Islands You need to Visit in 2019”](#) by MSN.com

- Listed on the 2019 [“15 Spring Break Destinations You Need to Visit in 2019”](#) by Society19
- Listed on the 2018 [“20 Small Towns Perfect for a Winter Getaway”](#) by [House Method](#)
- Listed on the 2018 [“17 Best Winter Beach Vacations for Sun Seekers”](#) by TripAdvisor
- Ranked #1 on the 2018 [“15 Best Winter Vacations In The US”](#) by Society19.com
- Ranked #4 on the 2018 [“15 Best Surf Destinations in America for All Skill Levels” Where to “Hang Ten” on Your Beach Getaway”](#) by TripAdvisor
- Listed on the 2018 [“Best Places to Learn to Surf”](#) by TravelChannel.com
- Listed on the 2018 [“Best Places to Celebrate Your Dirty 30 Birthday”](#) by Expedia.ca
- Listed on the 2018 [“Best Beaches in U.S. for Celebrating July 4th”](#) by Travel + Leisure
- Ranked #1 on the 2018 [15 Amazing Island Getaways – in America!](#) by Southern Living Magazine
- Ranked #11 on the 2018 [“15 Best Places to Vacation in Texas”](#) by TripAdvisor
- Listed on the 2018 [“8 Best Summer Vacation Destinations in Texas”](#) by Trips to Discover
- Listed on the 2018 [“Best New Tourist Attractions in USA”](#) featuring Sea Turtle, Inc by LoveExploring.com
- Ranked #2 on the 2018 [“Best Texas Beach”](#) by USA TODAY’s 10Best Reader’s Choice Award
- Listed on the 2018 [“The South’s Best Beaches”](#) by Southern Living Magazine
- Listed on the 2018 [“15 Best Spring Break Destinations”](#) by CarRentals.com
- Ranked #2 on the 2018 [“9 Best Coastal Cities to Visit in Texas”](#) by Trips to Discover
- Listed on the 2018 [“9 Best Surf Spots in Texas”](#) by Trips to Discover
- Listed on the 2018 [“25 Best Wreck Diving Spots in the United States”](#) by Scuba Diving Online
- Listed on the 2018 [“Vacation in the Hottest Spots in Texas”](#) by Patch.com
- Listed on the 2018 [“15 Best Vacation Spots When You Earn the Median Income”](#) by GOBankingRates.com
- Ranked #3 on the 2018 [“10 Best Dolphin Sighting Destinations in North America”](#) by Travel Channel
- Ranked #3 on the 2018 [“Best Place to Rent a Summer Beach House with Friends”](#) by TripAdvisor
- Ranked #6 on the 2018 [“8 Best Spring Break Party Destinations”](#) by ABC News
- Listed on the 2018 [“10 Best Places in Texas to Visit on Spring Break”](#) by Trips to Discover
- Listed on the 2018 [“Best Places to Visit in Texas”](#) by U.S. News & Report



- Listed on the 2018 ["18 Places to Go in Texas"](#) featuring South Padre Island and Sea Turtle, Inc. by Texas Highways
- Ranked #1 for Best Beach Vacation in ["Top American Trips 2018"](#) by Canadian Traveller
- Listed on the 2018 ["World's Greatest Kiteboarding Spots"](#) by National Geographic
- One of "America's Top 10 Winter Beach Escapes" by International Business Times
- "Best Affordable U.S. Vacation" and "Best Family Beach" by U.S. News & World Report
- "Top Five Vacation Rental Spot" by TripAdvisor
- World's "Top 30 Island Beaches" by Conde Nast Traveler Magazine
- "Top 10 U.S. Beaches" by Men's Fitness and Women's Day Magazines
- "Best Beach in Texas" by GoTexas.About.com
- "Top 10 Spring Break Stop" by U.S. News and World Report
- Top "Wallet-Friendly Spring Break Destination" by Travel and Leisure
- One of "America's Beautiful Beaches" by USA Today Travel
- "Top 10 Most Popular Spring Break Destination" by USA Today
- "Top 5 Texas Coast Spots" by SA Current
- Listed on the 2016 Texas Travel Bucket List by Texas Monthly