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- South Padre Island featured in article by [Barbara Beckly](#)
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- South Padre Island featured in article by [Charles McCool](#)
- South Padre Island featured in article by [Wherever Family](#) by Elyse Glickmann
- South Padre Island featured in blog article by [TexasDiscovered.com](#)
- South Padre Island featured in an article by [Barbara Beckley](#) (CVB Summer Media Fam 2019)
- South Padre Island featured in an article by [Melody Wren](#)
- South Padre Island featured in [ToDoAustin](#) by writer Rose di Garza
- South Padre Island featured in Canadian Travellers "[America: Yours to Discover](#)"
- 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 Reader's Choice Award for "[Best Meeting Site](#)" by ConventionSouth Magazine
- Listed on the 2019 "[Best Place in Every State to Own a Vacation Home](#)" by USA Today
- Listed on #1 the 2019 "[14 Beaches that are Better in the Fall](#)" by Readers Digest.
- Listed on the 2019 "[10 Spring Break Ideas for Families on a Budget](#)" by Trips to Discover.
- Listed on the 2019 "[Top Five Cities to Celebrate July 4th in Texas](#)" by TheHayride.com
- 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
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- 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