



BEYOND THE BAY

A TEACHER WORKSHOP ABOUT BIRDS AND BARRIER ISLANDS

APRIL 22-23, 2016
DEFELICE MARINE CENTER
COCODRIE, LA



Beyond the Bay is a workshop designed to expose teachers to birds and coastal habitats of Louisiana through exploration of one of Louisiana's barrier islands. Barrier islands provide important breeding grounds for many species of colonial nesting and shorebirds. The islands also play a pivotal role as a staging and refueling area for migratory birds. This is an exciting opportunity to see birds in their natural coastal habitats!

Participants of this workshop will receive:

- hands-on training of lessons found in the ***BTNEP Louisiana Bird Curriculum***
- a birding trip to Trinity Island with an experienced bird watcher
- content information
- classroom resources
- free meals
- and up to 12 CLUs

No birding experience needed... only a willing mind!

Spaces Available: 12 total - spaces will be filled on a first-come-first-served basis*

*Participants will need to be in good physical condition. The birding trip to the island may require wading and 1.5 mile walk.

Registration Deadline: April 5, 2016

Workshop Fee: \$20/person - non-refundable. Payment must be received prior to the workshop.

Location: Louisiana Universities Marine Consortium (LUMCON),
DeFelice Marine Center, Cocodrie Louisiana



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WORKSHOP AGENDA

FRIDAY, APRIL 22

- 5:00 PM: PARTICIPANTS ARRIVE AT MARINE CENTER
6:00 PM: DINNER
7:00 PM: INTRODUCTION TO BARRIER ISLANDS
 HOW BIRDS USE ISLAND HABITATS
 HANDS-ON ACTIVITY FROM *LOUISIANA BIRD CURRICULUM*
8:30 PM: BREAK FOR EVENING

SATURDAY, APRIL 23

- 6:30 AM: BREAKFAST
7:30 AM: DEPART FOR BARRIER ISLAND
8:30 AM: ARRIVE AT ISLAND
12:00 PM: LUNCH
12:30 PM: DEPART ISLAND
1:30 PM: RETURN TO MARINE CENTER
2:00 PM: DISCUSSION
 DATA REPORT OUT
 HANDS-ON ACTIVITY FROM *LOUISIANA BIRD CURRICULUM*
3:00 PM: WRAP-UP, EVALUATIONS
3:30 PM - WORKSHOP ADJOURNS

For additional workshop information contact or to find out if space is available:

Murt Conover at **(985) 851-2860** or **mconover@lumcon.edu**

To register complete the registration form and return with \$20 registration by mail, fax, or email to:

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REGISTRATION FORM
REGISTRATION DEADLINE: APRIL 5, 2016

Name:	
Home Address:	
City:	
Zip:	
Email:	
Cell phone:	
School and Grade Level:	
School Parish	
I <u>currently</u> teach which subject.	<input type="radio"/> Science <input type="radio"/> Social Studies <input type="radio"/> All <input type="radio"/> Other _____
I have special food preferences:	<input type="radio"/> None <input type="radio"/> Vegetarian <input type="radio"/> Other _____
My tee shirt size is:	<input type="radio"/> S <input type="radio"/> M <input type="radio"/> L <input type="radio"/> XL <input type="radio"/> XXL
LUMCON Dorm Accommodations (April 22, Friday)	<input type="radio"/> Yes, I will stay at LUMCON the night of April 22. <i>I understand that roommates will be assigned based on space availability. My preferred roommate is _____.</i> <input type="radio"/> No, I will drive to and from the workshop both days.

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