



**GALVESTON CHAPTER
24th Annual Fundraiser
Saturday August 6th, 2016
Moody Gardens Convention Center
5:30 PM- 10:30 PM**

June 28, 2016

Dear CCA Friend and Supporter,

The Coastal Conservation Association (CCA) is a non-profit organization dedicated to the protection of our coastal resources. Formed in 1977, CCA and its state chapters have grown with over 90,000 members nationwide. CCA Texas is the largest state chapter with approximately 50,000 members in 57 local chapters from Midland to South Padre. CCA has become the largest marine conservation association of its kind in the United States. CCA Texas has funded over \$1,700,000 in projects in the past five years, including Nearshore Artificial Reefing, Habitat and Seagrass Protection and Marsh Restoration. CCA Texas has also funded hundreds of thousands of dollars for law enforcement equipment. CCA Texas, partnered with TPWD, was recently approved for a \$3.2 million Galveston Bay Oyster Restoration project through Coastal Impact Assistance Program (CIAP). CCA pledged an additional \$500,000 to this massive 100-acre restoration project in East Galveston Bay. Our goal is to conserve, promote, and enhance the present and future availability of our coastal resources for the benefit of the general public.

The majority of CCA's annual funds are raised through the banquet system. A large part of the success of each CCA banquet depends heavily on extending sponsorship opportunities to support the event. Our Galveston Chapter of CCA Texas is already underway in planning our 24th annual banquet to take place at the Moody Garden Convention Center on Saturday, August 6th, 2016. We thank all of those who have participated as sponsors in the past and would like to ask for your support again this year.

Because our dinner and auction attracts people from Galveston County and surrounding areas, it offers a unique opportunity for sponsors to put their names in front of potential local patrons. As a sponsor your name will be highlighted in our events program. Any contribution you could make would be greatly appreciated and certainly is in support of a worthwhile effort.

If you wish to make a donation or purchase a sponsorship, banquet table or tickets, please see the attached information and contact one of us to discuss. Through your generosity, we will assure future generations that the Texas Gulf Coast will remain a great place to live, work and play.

Best Regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Ken Ellis".

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Ticket and Table Order Form

\$2500 Sponsor REDFISH Table

- Premium Seating Table for 10 • 10 CCA Memberships • Special Table gifts • Conservation table favors
- Live Auction Item Sponsor • Banquet sponsor recognition in program** • Full Page ad in program **
- Company Logo listed on CCA Galveston Web page • Special Recognition in CCA Currents Newsletter Article
- \$300 worth of \$5 raffle tickets

TABLE SIGN TO READ _____

\$1500 Sponsor TROUT Table

- Preferred Seating Table for 10 • 10 CCA Memberships • Table gift • Conservation table favors
- Live Auction Item Sponsor • Banquet sponsor recognition in program** • Full Page ad in program **
- \$100 worth of \$5 raffle tickets

TABLE SIGN TO READ _____

\$1000 Sponsor FLOUNDER Table

- Reserved Table for 10 • 10 CCA Memberships • Table Gift • Conservation Table Favors

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Single Dinner Ticket \$75

- 1 CCA Membership

Exhibitor/Merchandise Booth

- \$500, OR, in kind donation for Auction • Display table & two chairs • Donor Recognition in banquet program
- 2 meal tickets (You are welcome to sell your company's merchandise at your booth)

EARLY BIRD SPECIAL:

**Tickets and Tables purchased by Tuesday, July 19th
Will be entered in a drawing for a 45 QT Yeti Cooler**

****Program Deadline:** Please E-mail Ads and Logos in JPEG file to Trieck@ccatexas.org by **Monday, JULY 25th.**

Method of Payment: (Make payable to Galveston, CCA Texas)

Credit Card: MasterCard Visa Amex Discover

Acct. #: _____ Exp. Date: _____

Name as it appears on Credit Card (please print): _____

Signature: _____

Mail My Dinner Tickets To:

Name: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: ____ Zip: _____

Telephone: _____ E-mail: _____

Please Mail This Form To:

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