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Orphaned armadillo



River otters

## B.A.W.R.

## Our Mission

Bay Area Wildlife Rehabilitation (BAWR) is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization established to care for injured and orphaned native Texas wildlife in the Clear Lake, TX and surrounding areas. These animals are cared for (in accordance with guidelines set by Texas Parks & Wildlife and the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service) until they can be returned to their native habitat.



## Requirements

BAWR volunteers are experienced in caring for injuries and illnesses in Texas wildlife and releasing rehabilitated animals back into the wild. BAWR rehabilitators attend classes and network between several nationwide wildlife groups in order to keep current with the latest developments related to wildlife rehabilitation. BAWR is only able to care for these animals through public and corporate donations. This includes care and husbandry of the animals (including species-specific foods, housing, medication, veterinarian care and backup feeding after release). BAWR rehabilitators are all volunteers—there is no paid staff, and no facility overhead expense.



Young Mockingbirds

## Volunteer

BAWR offers volunteer opportunities for organizations such as industry, schools, scout groups, and churches. Several scouts have earned their Eagle Scout rank by building cages for BAWR. Many students acquire community hours by helping us with daily chores or repairs. Several industries will also match their employees' donations of hours or funds to non-profit organizations.

## Education

Each year, BAWR volunteers present educational wildlife lectures for local schools, Boy and Girl Scout troops, garden clubs, churches and other community organizations. Our educational screech owl, "Walker", accompanies many of these wildlife presentations. BAWR has also created a Children's Wildlife Activity Book which we distribute to teachers, industry representatives, and various other organizations. This book is made possible through generous, local corporate and individual donations.



BAWR's educational screech owl, Walker.



Barn Owl Nestlings

## Community Services

BAWR volunteers also partner with local environmental organizations, such as Youth Educational Support Services' BaySmart Program – a waterborne class which provides educational field-trips concerning wildlife and environmental issues along our local waterways.

*Returning our native Texas wildlife back to their prairies, skies and waters—always, the ultimate goal.*



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