

Activity Report for Ahadi, DeeOnda

February 2011

- Maintain Facebook pages for SPI & Texas Nature Tourism
- Facebook Fans 64,900 gain of 2,550 (in one month!)
- Working on logistics for the "Isle Help" program
- Working on travel writer blitz in Austin
- TTIA Unity Dinner
- Conference Call with Texas Nature Tourism Council
- Created an itinerary & hosted Maryam Sadiqqi-Canadia ; Arts & Entertainment Editor for the National Post in Canada
- Board meeting for Tip of Texas Family Outreach
- Attended Texas Hospitality Train the Trainer in Bryan/College Station
- Volunteered for Unity Dinner & Silent Auction
- Organized and hosted Texas Nature Tourism Meet & Greet
- Organized Texas Dive show for representatives from the Island
- Asked & accepted appointment to be the TACVB Education Committee Chair for 2012
- Converge on the Capital met with chief of staffs for :
 - Sen. Lucio
 - Rep. Olivera
 - Rep. Lazano
- Travel Writers & Contacts in Austin:
 - Pat Sharpe w/Texas Monthly
 - Lori Moffat & Charles Lohrmann w/ Texas Highways
 - Helen Anders w/American Statesman & Freelance
 - Bryan Frazier w/ TPWD
 - Jennifer Mathews w/ARC
 - Connie Blair w/AJR Media
 - Elizabeth Small w/TXDOT
 - Chet Garner w/ DayTripper