Dear Campers, Parents, and Friends,
I hope you and yours are staying safe and healthy in these unprecedented times. It is with a very heavy heart that we announce the Sea Star Base Galveston Board of Directors has made the difficult decision to cancel the 2020 Summer Camp and Program Season.

On a personal note,
As a former camper and camp counselor, I understand the important role Sea Star Base Galveston (SSBG) plays in the lives of so many who participate in our camps and programs. It is a place to reconnect by disconnecting. A place to explore, learn, and discover. A place of safety and sanctuary. With that in mind, my team has worked diligently to determine if there was a way to open safely, while also offering a true, full camp experience.

After much consideration, planning, and consultation with experts, parents, and others, it was decided that in light of the continued evolution of the pandemic, SSBG summer camp would not be the fun and enriching camp experience which people have come to expect. Our camp is built on the principles of diversity and inclusion and that would have been difficult this summer in light of social distancing and the like.

This is heartbreaking for all of us. The directors have been diligently planning for a summer to remember, and our counselors were excited about seeing returning campers as well as the new kiddos.

We are confident we will get through this stronger, and more resilient, than ever. As I am writing this message we are already planning for next summer as well as our Spring Break camp.

Everyone at SSBG hopes you continue to stay safe and healthy.

Until we meet again,

Billy McKemey
Camp Director