



General Meeting

12-7-21

Animal of the Week: Crown-of-Thorns Starfish (*Acanthaster planci*)

- One of the largest starfish in the world
- Preys on stony coral polyps-really bad for coral reefs
- Spines are venomous
 - Contain saponins
 - Causes a sharp stinging pain in humans, swelling can last for weeks, spines may need to be surgically removed





Opportunities in Zoology!

- Join AZA!
 - Resume builder
 - Job postings
 - Connect with zoos all over the world
 - Get the Connect Magazine
- Keep an eye out for job boards and IBIO emails
- Talk to professors about research opportunities, ULA positions, etc.
- Summer internships are beginning to open up!



Bracelets to save the sharks!

- Buy bracelets for holiday gifts!
- It is the giving season, why not sport a bracelet that gives back to shark restoration?
- Taking orders now!

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THE
SHARKS**

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Tonight: Holiday Party

