Ocean Science

## INVASION OF Café THE BODY SNATCHERS

In the Gulf of Mexico, a parasitic barnacle tunnels into mud crabs and turns them into zombie nursemaids for the parasite's offspring. Fifty years ago it invaded the mid-Atlantic, where it now infects over 70% of crabs in some areas. Join us to chat about how castrating parasites, biological invasions, and evolutionary biology collide in a real-life invasion of the body-snatchers lurking just beneath the surface.

WEDNESDAY Apr. 24, 2019 6:30-8:00 p.m.

## Tavern on the Wharf

6 Town Wharf, Plymouth, MA

Doors open at 6:00 p.m.

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Join our Facebook live stream at 6:20pm www.facebook.com/pg/WoodsHoleOcean **This is a FREE event but you must RSVP.** Food and drinks will be available for purchase.

**You must RSVP for this event:** *www.whoi.edu/oceansciencecafe* For any questions, please contact information@whoi.edu or 508-289-2252

