

THE SEA DIVERS

FROM AN EXECUTIVE PERSPECTIVE

The main Executive issue is addressed in the enclosed yellow flyer (for local members only).

February was the first month we held our General Meeting at Petrelli's Bar and Grill. We had a few minor problems, but Vito P will make sure that these are taken care of for our March meeting on the 2nd. We had a great turn out and comments from the group were generally positive with the feeling that we'll be much more comfortable at Petrelli's than we were at the Round Table!

Come out and support your club. See you at Petrelli's on 2 March!

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PALAU - A PREVIEW FOR 1994

In February of next year 20 Sea Divers and friends will be traveling to the South Pacific diving destinations of Truk and Palau. We've had a program on Truk and the Truk Aggressor already. So now it is time to look at what Palau has to offer.

We'll view two video tapes:

"Palau - The Enchanted Islands" and

"Lost Fleet of the Rock Islands"

Each is about 30 minutes in length and each contains a wealth of information which should entice many of you to sign up on the waitlist for the February 1994 trip.

Those of you who are signed up for the trip are encouraged to attend this meeting to see these Palau tapes. Please note the mention on page 4 regarding the announcement of a planning meeting for the Truk Palau trip (March 25 at the Serenas). Those of you who may be interested in being put on the waitlist are invited to attend that planning and informational session.

See you all on 2 March for the General Meeting at our NEW location - Petrelli's.

Dicie Sizemore Program Chairman

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WRITING FOR THE SEA DIVERS NEWSLETTER

If you would like to write an article for the newsletter or you have an idea to improve it, please write to Editor Kathi McNally, P.O. Box 2415, Redondo Beach, CA 90278, or call me at the above numbers. I am always in need of Lessons Learned articles and new graphics or cartoons. Inputs should be typed, but can be handwritten (not responsible for errors caused by illegible handwriting). Permission is given to reproduce in whole or part. Please give credit to the author and/or The Sea Divers Newsletter.

GENERAL MEETING

Held at 7:00 PM the first Tuesday of every month. A no-host social half hour precedes the meeting from 6:30 to 7:00 PM and a feature presentation follows the business portion of the meeting. The meetings are held at Petrelli's Bar & Grill, 230 North Aviation Blvd., Manhattan Beach - (310) 372-2772. Exit the San Diego Freeway (405) at Inglewood Blvd., turn left on Inglewood, right on Manhattan Beach Blvd., and left at Aviation. Look for London Towne Flower shop at the corner of Aviation and 2nd Street on the east side of Aviation. There is a parking lot behind the flower shop, street parking, and overflow parking to the north.

EXECUTIVE MEETING

Held at 7 PM on Thursday the week following the General Meeting at the Shibaraku Restaurant at King Harbor (at the corner of Harbor and Beryl, across from the Holiday Inn Crowne Plaza).

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

NAME	SIGNATURE	
ADDRESS		
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HOME PHONE ()	WORK PHONE (_)
ADDITIONAL NAME: [FAMILY MEMBERSHIP]		
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NUMBER OF DIVES LOGGED	DATE OF LAST DIVE	
Do you want your name on a dive buddy list?	J YES J NO	
Type of diving preferred: beach/boat/skin	and Albertan Section 1997	
	\$12.00 (to 6/30/93) \$18.00 (to 6/30/93)	(Annual dues are \$24 single; \$36 family)

Please make your checks payable to THE SEA DIVERS and mail to:

LOBSTER AND ABALONE TOGETHER!

14 MARCH (Sunday) **MEMBERS \$70**

SANTA BARBARA (ALL INCLUSIVE)

WILD WAVE **NON-MEMBERS \$80**

Departure: 2:00 AM

Boarding: 7:00 PM

The March dive is on the WILD WAVE to SANTA BARBARA Island and is again unusual in two ways: 1) It is the only dive charter this year where LOBSTER and ABALONE are BOTH in season; and 2) It is the only SUNDAY club charter in 1993. The WILD WAVE will depart from 22nd Street around 2:00 AM on the 14th for an early AM arrival at the Island. Won't hurt to bring along your chem-lights and dive light(s), just in case.

Aside from LOBSTER and ABALONE, SANTA BARBARA offers just about every element for diving. The multiplicity of reefs, walls, arches and canyons provide superior opportunities for PHOTOGRAPHY and VIDEO. Add to that the extensive variety of sea life and typically great visibilty and you've got the best of diving. Some of the larger FISH inhabit the environs -- so you spear hungry types will not be disappointed.

The trip is suitable for all skill levels and should provide some great diving!!! At \$70 all inclusive (air and food -including our typical steak barbeque!) it's a REAL steal. A call to (310) 370-1657 will sign you up. MARK YOUR CALENDAR!!! Bunks will be preassigned on a FIRST PAY/SPACE AVAILABLE basis.

LEGISLATIVE NEWS

Los Angeles divers can breathe a sigh of relief now regarding the four new ecological reserves to be established as a result of the Gill Net Ban Initiative of 1990. The DFG has reduced the list of candidate sites down to 6, with none in Ventura, Los Angeles or Orange counties. The nearest locations are in San Luis Obispo County and off Camp Pendelton. The selection of the actual 4 sites will be done by this fall after a series of public hearings.

By now everyone should be aware that the boat "user fee" tax was repealed last fall. Boats over 21 feet are still legally required to purchase stickers for 1993 if operated in any waters where the U.S. Coast Guard maintains a presence.

Phil Bergeron

WORLD CLASS DIVING - RIGHT HERE

10 APRIL 1993 (Saturday)

FARNSWORTH BANKS/CATALINA

CHARISMA

MEMBERS \$65

(ALL INCLUSIVE)

NON-MEMBERS \$75

Boarding: 5:00 AM

Departure: 6:00 AM

The "new" CHARISMA will take us from 22nd Street to Farnsworth BANKS and other pinnacles and reefs on the back and front side of CATALINA. This dive proved very popular last year, so we are repeating in 1993 in lieu of our normal cycle of two years.

FARNSWORTH BANKS is on the backside of CATALINA about 1.3 miles off Ben Western Point. The Banks are about 1100 yards by 600 yards, with the shallowest pinnacles at 55 to 70 feet. The spectacular walls descend to over 100 feet. FARNSWORTH is famous for its now protected unique coral which is the deep purpoe color contrasting with other colonies of coral, such as at SANTA BARBARA, which tend to be pink, red or orange. Some of the colonies of coral are over 15 inces in diameter, and the whole visual effect adds immeasurably to the beauty of FARNSWORTH, both to the eye and the lens of your camera, still PHOTO and/or VIDEO. Large FISH, which are not protected, inhabit the area so you spear folks should collect a nice bounty.

This is a spectacular dive and under perfect conditions can be dived by intermediate and above. Under less than perfect conditions, this is an advanced dive. However, following the FARNSWORTH dive we will proceed to at least three other shallower pinnacles or reefs, suitable for all skill levels (especially you folks who have not been diving through the winter!), around the West End of CATALINA. Although not as abundant as on the other islands, SCALLOPS and ABALONE are available to the persistent gameperson.

As is now typical of all Sea Divers charters, the trip includes air, food, snacks, beverages, and possibly an award or two to keep things interesting on board! Call Kathi (McNally) at (310) 370-1657 for immediate signup. FARNSWORTH is the closest world class dive to 22nd Street. COME ALONG -- CHECK OUT OUR ALL INCLUSVE PRICES AGAINST ANYONE!!!

JUST NINE YEARS AGO ...

John Mowrey was the club President; Bill Garrett, Vice President; Bob McSeveney, Treasurer; and Debbie Prosser, Secretary. General Meetings were held at Beach Bum Burt's and the Executive Meeting was at the home of Jim Brown in Redondo Beach. The month's boat dive was to San Nicolas on the WILD WAVE at \$48 (non-inclusive). There was a planned eat-in at the "Mueller Mansion," with with all kinds of "added highlights" – great looking list! Also planned was a dive in the shark tank at Marineland in Palos Verdes – cage included at \$17!?! As usual, the President was pleading for people to pay their dues for 1984! The newsletter was gray – presumably as a result.



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TRUK AND PALAU UPDATE #10

For those of us signed up for and anticipating the big trip to Truk and Palau, time is really whipping by. It's now less than one year away and it's time to get down to some serious planning. We are holding our first get together on 25 March 1993, 7:00 PM, at Barbara and David Serena's home, 2200 Pullman Lane, Redondo Beach.

Items to be discussed include flight options (routes, fares, frequent flyer possibilities; etc.); available information on Truk and Palau (articles; flyers, books, charts, etc.); considerations on deep diving; equipment lists and spare/backup equipment and just to get together to swap ideas. Our travel agent will be in attendance

Those signed up and on the wait list will be contacted regarding the meeting; others who may be interested are welcome, but please call Barbara Serena at (310) 318-5362 so that we know how many plan to attend.





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SUCH A NICE DAY IN FEBRUARY

The weather in 1993 has gone from spectacular to real, real wet and windy so we approached our 13 February charter on the WILD WAVE to San Nicolas with our fingers crossed -- we won -- it was just beautiful!!

All of our divers EVENTUALLY found the new location for the WILD WAVE at Cabrillo Marina (Landing). Steve K had the best story to tell which is printed on page 6. Joel I slipped out of the dock almost exactly on the 12:01 AM departure time, arriving and anchoring off San Nicolas at 5:45 AM. Night dive? . . . not to be, the water was "muddy," ugly, real real ugly. We rode out the next 45 minutes waiting for light to find cleaner water. Deeper was much better and our first spot was in 80 feet of "cool" 53 degree water, calm, no current, and surprisingly good visibility at around 50 feet.

Saw some, played with some, got none — others had much the same experience, but three bugs were nabbed and introduced to boat cruising. We moved further west west along the north side of San Nicolas flirting heavily with the navy's restricted alpha zone. Damn the torpedoes!!

The second spot was much the same except water depth was shallower at 60 feet. One or two bugs were the order. The "fish gang" were at it again spearing all kinds of medium to large species – way to go if the bugs aren't biting. Donna E (bug mistress) suggested a trip in shallow and Joel I anchored in about 35 feet of low (2–5 foot) visibility "stuff." Nice try, no cigar — most abandoned the dive in less than 15 minutes. Two, including Donna E, found a bug apiece. We did good and found the boat!!

Back deeper! The fourth dive was in about 45 feet of 30-40 foot visibility water adjacent to a spectacular reef structure which supported some REALLY big fish. Also noted were a large 19th century style anchor – sailing ship style – and "miles" of 6" diameter stranded cable almost big enough to hold the world together!

A short move east put us over another superb reef – again replete with a very large anchor probably from a large navy cruiser or battlewagon. Bugs continued in short supply. The day turned out to be extremely pleasant with warm sun, calm ocean and no wind. The diving was nice but obviously non-productive of lobster. The "fish guys" did very well and were cleaning for some time on the way back.

We left the island at about 12:50 PM taking about 5 minutes longer to reach Cabrillo than the trip out. We had our usual steak affair and most divers followed up with at least a short nap. Arrival at Berth 31 was like a homecoming with Mikey P greeting everyone and John P helping with dock lines! Nice day out!

We held back on the awards. Two boobies of note, however. Steve K's odyssey in the dark Friday evening and Kathy D's self-inflicted hang up in a tank bungy between dives. Two injuries of note: Roxie, Paul K's girlfriend, stepped into the open hatch in the galley gashing her lower leg – Paul thought she was down there helping ??! – and we sincerely hope everything healed OK. Kathi Mc who tried to tear her right off on the car window as we were preparing to leave the parking lot. See you in March at Santa Barbara Island, for more fun and frolicks.

SAN NICOLAS QUOTES . . .

- "... she figures you're all nuts?"
- "You don't have to complete the 'Hall of Foam' tonight."
- "You don't have to drink it, you just have to buy it."
- "He's all neat and tidy now."
- "You mean sloshing scotch around my teeth is no substitute for flossing?"
- "I'll bet a guy of your age has to beg all the time."
- "I don't think Art can take it."
- "Quit mixing beers this is not an experiment."
- "It's not the amount of hair, it's whose hair."
- "Not so deep I don't hear that too often."
- "I'm sorry I missed that."
- "Dacey really pissed her off."
- "Are you going to wear the leather mini?"

- "That didn't suck, it really sucked."
- "Just shows blind people can dive."
- "Another great swim fest."
- "Stay off the reef, it's REAL dirty where the waves break!!!!"
- "We kept bumping masks and making kissing noises."
- "You won't catch bugs on the boat."
- "What were you doing in there, shaving your legs?
- "Oh, good. Now I can take you down off that pedestal I have you on and get you back in the gutter with the rest of us."
- "Maybe we're anchored over a volcano. "
- "Good job we didn't bring ice -- we'd have had no room."
- "I quit."
- "Auto's running the boat can't trust those Germans."
- "How's this get so hard?"
- "Three bugs. You guys are embarrasing me."
- "Keep it quiet. The president's sleeping."

A NOT SO STEALTHY APPROACH

.... (by STEVE KAVANAUGH)

It was a dark and stormy night — well, it wasn't really stormy, but it was dark, REAL dark. I had gotten off to a late start from home, what with the darkness and all, and made my way down to the Cabrillo Landing to catch a hop on the WILD WAVE. The map directions looked pretty easy so I didn't pay much mind to the time, after all I could find the WAVE at 22nd Street Landing with my eyes closed. How hard could it be to find her at Cabrillo? But then it was dark, REAL dark.

The clock was ticking past 11:15 when I pulled in to the Landing. Lots of nice boats I thought, REAL nice, but where wa the WAVE? The map said she should be docked close to the bar, but where was her familiar silhouette? Of course, it wa dark, REAL dark. I cornered a passing youth. "The wild what?" he responded. No help there. The bar still looked alive so I bent the ear of the barkeep. "Sure," he said. "She's right down there, the one with the lights on." Sure enough, there was a dimly lit boat where the guy (I think his name was Joe — barkeeps are always named Joe) pointed. It didn't look like the WAVE from the front, but maybe they'd done some work, A LOTTA WORK, since I'd last been on her. But then it was dark, REAL dark.

I thanked Joe and made my way back to the car. It was a short walk to the boat Joe had pointed out so I grabbed a bundle and headed off. The tank felt good on my back, like an old friend. The large handle of the camera case made for easy carrying. I'd put off the belt and dive bag til the next load. No hurry, how much time could it take to unload and repark the car before midnight?

The clock was slipping past 11:30 by the time I hit the first gate. These are BIG gates, I thought, REAL big. I closed the gate after me and looked to where Joe had pointed. The boats to my left still didn't look like the WAVE, and where were all the bright lights? "Who knows," I thought, maybe they have some special rules at this marina. That gate to my left was open so I stepped through. Something still didn't look right, but maybe she was on the other side of this big one. I held on to the gate as I stepped through and pulled it after me. As the gate closed I heard a loud snap - that's funny I thought, that other gate didn't latch. I pressed on the gate - LOCKED. I tried again, no results. I couldn't believe it, I was locked in. But wait, that can't be true. I looked again at the gate -- in the darkness I saw only the outside knob. There's no inside knob I thought. I reached through the bars -- no good.

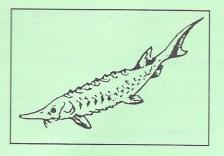
Now I was starting to sweat. The WAVE was obviously somewhere else, maybe close, but this gate was standing in my way. And the time was ticking away. I looked again at the gate — if I climbed up it I could toss my tank and camera over and reach through and catch them. It worked — now all I needed was to climb over and find the WAVE before midnight. I started climbing. I was gonna make it. But then a sound from the dark distracted me. "What are you doing?" it said. "What?" I said as I turned and slipped back down the gate. "What are you doing?" the voice said again. Now I saw him, a dark figure, REAL dark, on the dimly lit boat to my left. "I got locked in," I replied. "I'm trying to find the WILD WAVE and I got locked in behind this gate," I explained.

"Why don't you try the knob?" he replied somewhat sarcastically. I looked back at the gate there in the dark recesses of a tube extending from where the inside knob should have been was — the inside knob. I reached for it and turned it and walked out into the dark, DARK night.

(Editor's note: If you thought this ended abruptly, it did! Steve ran out of paper!)



Seconds later, Mrs. Norton was covered with ink.



Dear Krabby

Dear Krabby,

When I've been out on dive boats I've noticed that the divers use several different methods for filleting fish. What do you think is the quickest, simplest method?

Floundering Filleter

Dear F2,

My favorite method simply involves walking up to one of the crew and asking in my best bimbo voice, "Would you...could you...PLEASE clean my fish for me??" Of course, this requires a small amount of groveling on my part. But hey, it's a small price to pay to get my fish cleaned fast and as a bonus I don't smell like warmed over fish guts when it's done. No muss, no fuss.

Dear Krabby,

My wife and I have a long running argument over the advantages and disadvantages of the different types of SCUBA tanks. We figured we'd let you cast the deciding vote, so what is your favorite type of tank?

Alum Alice & Steely Sam

Dear AASS, A full one.

Dear Krabby,

I'm a newly certified diver and I'm still quite a bit apprehensive about seeing a shark underwater. What's the first thing I should do if I encounter a big man eating shark?

Great White Lunch?

Dear Sharkbait, Stab your buddy.

Dear Krabby,

In your picture in last months column you looked a lot younger, have you been dying your hair?

Curly

Dear Shemp,

Are you sure it was my column you were reading? This isn't exactly a cosmetologists column but I guess a sharp eyed reader like yourself couldn't fail to miss some minor differences in my photos from month to month. Actually, those photos aren't of me at all. They're all of my evil twin. I'm much taller, thinner and have bigger breasts.

Dear Krabby,

What is a snorkel for?

Suckin' the Sea

Dear Sea Sucker,

I've found if you glue them to a piece of driftwood they make a pretty damn cute bud vase.

Dear Krabby,

What do you think about mixed gas diving?

 $N_2 \setminus O_2$

Dear R2D2.

I found that it's easiest for me to avoid it by not eating a big greasy breakfast and bypassing those bean burritos at lunch.

Send your questions to "Dear Krabby", c/o The Sea Divers, P.O. Box 2415, Redondo Beach, CA 90278

PRESIDENT'S AWARDS - 1992

It is the arduous, honorous and hazardous task of the club President to make the following annual awards for 1992:

1) SKIPPER Bill Magee/Mike Roach - PEACE

For varous and sundry heavy duty runs in awful seas and weather, especially the run

at San Miguel in September.

(1991 - Joel Ingram - WILD WAVE)

2) QUOTES Kathy Dacey

Mind like a steel trap, doesn't miss an opportunity. Sometimes tends to the crude,

but cute.

(1991 - Kathy Dacey (!) / John Delaney)

3) BOOBIE John Delaney

A few real beauties separated John from the other contenders!

(1991 - Bob Stivers)

4) DIVER Kathy Dacey

Supported just about every dive, has become an ace on bugs.

(1991 - Pete Kenefick)

5) EXEC Kathi McNally

"Ms. Everything" to this club - without her I/we are history.

(1991 - Kathi McNally)

6) ALL AROUND David and Barbara Serena

Outstadning contribution and planning for the 1st Annual King Harbor Clean-Up

plus other Executive support (1991 - Ken and Dicie Sizemore)

Tough choices - and I personally thank all of you, especially the Execs for a great year of diving, fun and socializing. If anyone requires further explanation of the above call 1-800-555-5555!!!

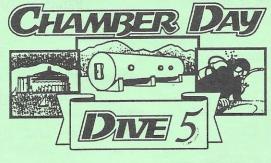
CLEAN-UP EFFORT FOR SOUTHERN **CALIFORNIA**

Sport Chalet and American Oceans Campaign have teamed up in preparation for a series of underwater beach cleanups for Southern California SCUBA divers. They plan to devote every Saturday in the month of April 1993 to 'diving for trash.' The month long event begins at Mission Bay on 3 April. The following week divers will dive at the Newport Beach Pier on 10 April. On 17 April they will dive the Malibu Pier. A dive in Ventura County is planned for 24 April.

Interested divers should contact the Dive Department at Sport Chalet (310) 657-3210 or Coreen Larson at AOC at (310) 576-6162.

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Support the Catalina Hyperbaric Chamber so it Will Be There If and When You Need It



May 19, 1993

Call (310) 370-1657 to make reservations.

A Day of Diving, Fun, and Support of a Very Worthy Cause

Wednesday, May 19, has been selected as the date for Chamber Day '93, the fifth annual fund raiser to benefit the hyperbaric chamber operating at the Isthmus on Catalina Island. Last year, over 400 divers participated raising almost \$15,000 for the Chamber. Organizers anticipate an even bigger turn out this year.

Hyperbaric chambers are the only means of treating embolism and bends, two life-threatening maladies that can affect divers. Because of the high amount of diving done in Southern California, the Catalina Hyperbaric Chamber is very active. And even though Los Angeles County funds one-third of the chamber's costs, the fact is that two-thirds of the chamber's budget must come from other sources.

Chamber Day was conceived as a way for recreational divers to have fun diving and make a financial contribution to the Catalina Hyperbaric Chamber at the same time. The dive charter boats operating out of San Pedro donate their time and services for the day, and divers pay to dive aboard one of the participating boats. The divers get a chance to dive Catalina for the day and also get a walking tour of the chamber facilities along with a commemoa warking total of the chamber-tachine along wina a commenter-rative "Chamber Day '93" t-shirt. All the money raised from the event goes to support the Catalina Hyperbaric Chamber. Chamber Day '93 will cost \$59, which includes a day of diving and the commemorative t-shirt.

The Sea Divers will be using the Wild Wave again this year. Sign up early and support this worthwhile event!

ALLEN'S LAMENT (Sung to the tune of RESPECT*)

What I want
I know you've got it
What I need
I know I'll get it
All I'm asking
Is for a little lobster to take home
(just a little one, just a little one)
When I go home
(just a little one, just a little one)

I ain't gonna grab it wrong
'Cuz he'll be gone
Ain't gonna grab it wrong
'Cuz I want one
All I'm asking
Is for a little lobster to bring home
(just a little one, just a little one)
Baby, to bring home
(just a little one, just a little one)

I've about given this
All of my money
And all I ask is
Like any dummy
To catch me a lobster to take home
(just a, just a, just a)
(just a, just a, just a)
Hey baby, a bug to bring home
(just a little one, just a little one)

OOOH, that bug'll be Sweeter than honey And don't laugh 'Cuz it ain't funny All I want to do for me Is grab me one to take home (he, he, he, he, he, he, he) Yeah baby, grab me a keeper To bring home..now (just a little one, just a little one)

L-O-B-S-T-E-R
I know where they are
L-O-B-S-T-E-R
But they're always a bit too far
(sock it to 'em, sock it to 'em)
(sock it to 'em, sock it to 'em)
Oh, little lobster
Oh, a little lobster

I get tired
But I keep on tryin'
But I can't get one
Think I'll start lyin'

Stop, bug c'mon Crawl in my bag...now (fade out)



*with apologizes to Otis Redding



100000000000000000000000000000000000000	1993 BEACH DIVE SCHEDULE								
	DAY DATE WHERE FEATURE KEY CONTACT								
	SUN	16 MAY	VETERAN'S PARK	REFRESHER, BOUILLABAISSE, POTLUCK	ALLEN PARKER				
	FRI-SUN	2-4 JULY	JADE COVE	JADE, CAMPOUT, ETC.	CATHY GALE				
1	SUN	24 OCT	REDONDO BEACH	KING HARBOR CLEANUP, ETC.	DAVID SERENA				
1	SUN	31 OCT	WHITE POINT	PUMPKIN CARVING CONTEST	KATHLEEN BENNETT				



THE Diving Event of 1993!

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The Dive Show

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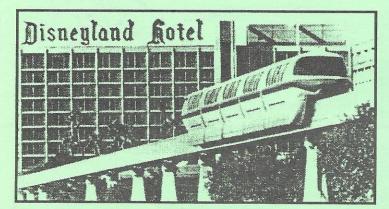
GENERAL ADMISSION: \$7, 10 and under free. Discount coupons available at California dive stores. General admission includes admission to the Film Festival, Exhibitor Presentations, and Exhibit Hall for Friday night and Saturday or Sunday. Seminars and the Catalina Casino Party are extra. Pre-registration is recommended as space is limited.

CATALINA CASINO PARTY: A night of gaming to benefit the Catalina Conservancy Divers, a non-profit organization dedicated to the preservation of the marine environment around Catalina Island. Many prizes to be awarded. Sponsored by Dacor and California Diving News.

SHOW HOURS: Friday 6:00 p.m. - 9:30 p.m., Saturday 10:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m. (Catalina Casino Party 7:00 p.m. - 10:30 p.m.), Sunday 10 a.m. - 5.00 p.m.

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SCUBA '93, May 14, 15, 16

The largest consumer dive exhibition in the Western U.S., SCUBA '93, The Dive Show, will take place May 14, 15, and 16, 1993 at the Disneyland Hotel in Anaheim, California. The show will consist of a large exhibit area, continuous underwater film festival, seminars, exhibitor presentations, door prizes and a Saturday Night Catalina Casino Party Benefit. Show hours are Friday 6:00 p.m. to 9:30 p.m., Saturday 10:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., and Sunday from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Admission is \$7 with discount coupons available at California dive stores. Age 10 and under are admitted free with paying adult. For information on SCUBA '93, call (310) 792-2333.

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The Dive Show

May 14, 15, 16, 1993 at the Disneyland Hotel, Anaheim, California

\$1 OFF DISCOUNT COUPON

Regular general admission price \$7 - With Coupon \$6 Children under 10 free

Discount not available with preregistration or in combination with any other offer Show Hours - Fri 6:00 pm to 9:30 pm • Sat 10:00 am to 7:00 pm • Sun 10:00 am to 5:00 pm

THIS COUPON COURTESY OF:

The Sea Divers P.O. Box 2415 Redondo Beach, CA 90278

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1993 BOAT DIVE SCHEDULE

DIVE	DAY(S)	DATE(S)	DESTINATION	PRICE *	BOAT	LOCATION
93-3	SUN	14 MAR	SANTA BARBARA FARNSWORTH BANKS/CATALINA	\$70	WILD WAVE	CABRILLO LANDING
93-4	SAT	10 APR		\$65	CHARISMA	22ND STREET
93-5	FRI/SAT	7/8 MAY	(BACKSIDE) SAN MIGUEL PASSAGE CHAMBER DAY 5/CATALINA (FRONT) NINE FATHOM REEF/CASTLE ROCK/	\$175	PEACE	VENTURA
93-C	WED	19 MAY		\$59	* WILD WAVE	CABRILLO LANDING
93-6	SAT	5 JUN		\$75	ENCORE	22ND STREET
93-7	FRI/SAT	23/24 JUL 21 AUG	SAN CLEMENTE (FRONT) BEGG ROCK/SAN NICOLAS/ SANTA BARBARA BEGG ROCK	\$175 \$80	CHARISMA WILD WAVE	22ND STREET CABRILLO LANDING
93-9	FRI/SAT	10/11 SEP	WILSON ROCK/SAN MIGUEL	\$175	PEACE * SMALL BOATS WILD WAVE	VENTURA
93-SB	SAT	25 SEP	PALOS VERDES	\$10 *		KING HARBOR
93-10	FRI	8 OCT	SANTA BARBARA	\$75		CABRILLO LANDING
93-11	FRI/SAT	29/30 OCT	CORTES BANK/SAN CLEMENTE (BACK) SAN NICOLAS SANTA ROSA/SANTA CRUZ	\$165	WILD WAVE	CABRILLO LANDING
92-12	SAT	20 NOV		\$75	WILD WAVE	CABRILLO LANDING
92-13	FRI/SAT	10/11 DEC		\$175	PEACE	VENTURA

* Prices are all inclusive (air, food and beverages). Non-members add \$10 for single day and \$15 for two-day dives.

** Does not include air, food and beverages!

Wild Wave - Cabrillo Landing

South on Harbor freeway, left on Gaffey, left on 22nd Street, right on Via Cabrillo Marina and follow all the way to the end, turning off the mini-traffic circle onto Whaler's Walk and go to far end of parking lot. Boat is at the end of the walkway at Berth 31.

Charisma/Encore - 22nd Street Landing

South on Harbor freeway, left on Gaffey, left on 22nd Street, down the hill and park in designated areas.

Peace - Ventura Marina

North on Ventura freeway to Victoria Ave. in Ventura. Turn left onto Victoria and continue to Olivas Park Drive. Turn right and continue all the way down toward the beach and across Harbor Drive; go to the left on to Spinnaker Drive. Look for Milano's Italian Restaurant and turn right into the parking area. If you get to the end of Spinnaker, turn around and take the second left. Park adjacent to the berth (Slip #20) to unload, then park overnight in the last row adjacent to Spinnaker Drive.

DIVE BOAT POLICY

A club member may, but is not required to, have a boat deposit on file with the club. A club member may make a reservation on an upcoming dive as follows:

- A) Unconfirmed reservations may be made for any boat dive at any time. To confirm a reservation, payment in full must be received.

 B) For single day dives, divers holding an unconfirmed reservation will be called 3 weeks prior to the dive and advised that payment
- in full is required no later than 15 days prior to the dive to be confirmed. Dive boat deposits will be considered as payment in full.

 C) For two day dives, divers holding unconfirmed reservations will be called 5 weeks prior to the dive and advised that payment in full is required no later than 30 days prior to the dive to be confirmed. Dive boat deposits may be used as part of the payment in full.

D) If payment in full is not received by the deadline, the diver may be replaced by a wait listed diver who has paid in full.

Any reservation may be cancelled two weeks prior to a dive with a full refund. Cancellations will not be accepted within two weeks prior to the dive unless a diver holding a reservation can sell or transfer their reservation to another qualified diver. The dive reservationist will assist in this process, but is not responsible for providing paying alternates. When confirmation is received by the dive boat reservationist that a cancelling diver is being replaced by another qualified diver, the replacement diver is then fully responsible for the cost of the dive.

If a diver has a deposit on file with the club and uses that deposit to secure a reservation on a boat dive, he may not use that deposit to secure additional dives until he has paid the club for the first dive. Two years after a diver has ceased to be a member of the club, his unclaimed dive boat deposit will be forfeited to the club. Only Sea Diver club members and members of other selected clubs may make boat dive reservations prior to one month before a scheduled boat dive. Partial refunds from boats which do not make the advertised dive location will be passed on to members who request them within two weeks of the dive.

BOAT DIVE RESERVATION FORM

DIVE DATE:	DESTINATION:	
NAME OF DIVER(S):		
PHONE (DAY) []	(EVE) []	COST OF DIVE \$
MEMBER []YES []NO	DATE OF LAST DIVE *	4.0 2000
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Please make checks payable to THE SEA DIVERS and mail to:

THE SEA DIVERS
P.O. Box 2415
Redondo Beach, CA 90278
(213) 371-9985

MARCH 1993

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March 14

April 15

March 2 General Meeting - 7 PM - Petrelli's March 11

Executive Meeting - 7 PM - Shibaraku Restaurant

Boat Dive, Santa Barbara - WILD WAVE

APRIL 1993

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April 6 General Meeting - 7 PM - Petrelli's April 10

Boat Dive, Farnsworth/Catalina - CHARISMA Executive Meeting - 7 PM - Shibaraku Restaurant

MAY 1993

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May 4 General Meeting - 7 PM - Petrelli's May 7/8 Boat Dive, San Miguel Passage - PEACE May 13

Executive Meeting - 7 PM - Shibaraku Restaurant

May 14-16 SCUBA '93 - Disneyland Hotel

May 16 Beach Dive, Bouillabaisse, Veteran's Park, Redondo Beac May 19

Chamber Day 5 - WILD WAVE

MEMBERS -- PLEASE BE SURE TO READ YELLOW INSERT!

THE SEA DIVERS P.O. BOX 2415 REDONDO BEACH, CA 90278

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