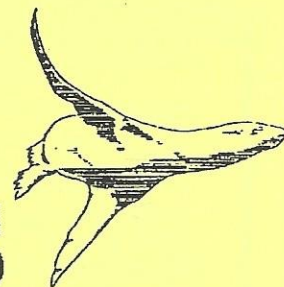


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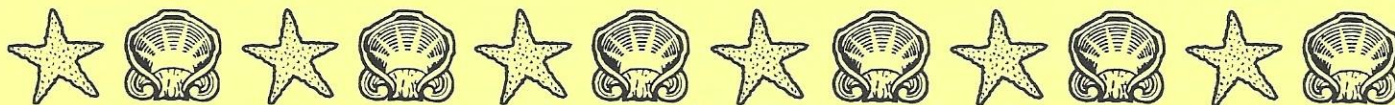
FROM THE EXECUTIVE CALENDAR....

In case you've been watching too much TV and have not been keeping up with events, just a reminder that May is a busy month in the Southern California dive scene. As well as the club's *Peace* (May 9, 10) and *Great Escape* (May 31) dives, there is Chamber Day 9 (May 7), the San Diego Underwater Photo Festival (May 16, 17) and GLACD's 3Rs at Reef Point (May 17). If you've been thinking about getting more active for the summer May is a great time to make the first step. Pick off an event (or two) and throw that remote away!

Just around the corner comes June with two more events of note, the club bouillabaisse cookout and bash at Veteran's Park Sunday June 22 and the SCUBA '97 show on the *Queen Mary* June 20 through 22 (go Saturday, do bouillabaisse Sunday!!).

Get out, get wet and have fun. Be safe out there!!

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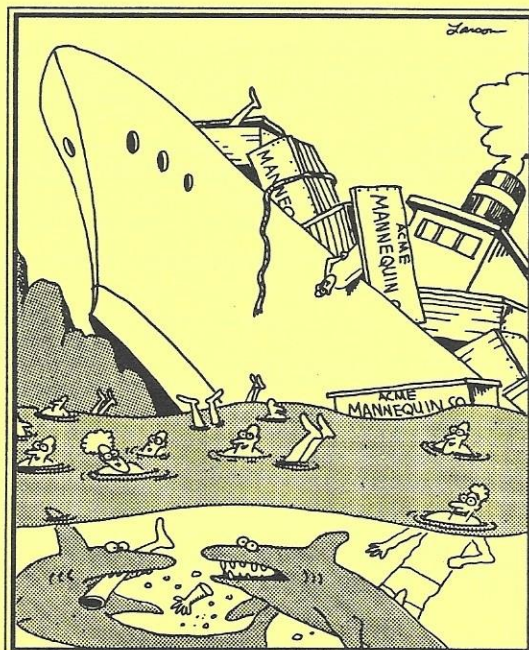


MAY ENTERTAINMENT

BILL WILSON ON LOCAL WRECKS.

Bill Wilson, the Chariman of California Wreck Divers will provide a slide presentation on local wrecks- the *Olympic*, *Valiant*, *Avalon* and others familiar to divers. Bill is considered an authority on Southern California wrecks and has been diving since 1955. Join us at the next Sea Diver General Meeting and learn more about the history in our own underwater backyard.

The next General Meeting is on Tuesday 6 May at 7:00 PM at Round Table Pizza, on Redondo Beach Blvd. in Torrance.



"What is this? ... Some kind of cruel hoax?"

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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 Kathy Dacey, c/o The Sea Divers, 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). Inputs may also be given to me via floppy media in any of the major word processing program formats or e-mailed to me at kathy.dacey@trw.com. Permission is given to reproduce in whole or in part. Please credit 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 Round Table Pizza, 4330 Redondo Beach Blvd., (one block east of Hawthorne Blvd. in Ralphs/Savon Center) Torrance, California (310) 371-8009.

EXECUTIVE MEETING

Held at 7:00 PM on Thursday the week following the General Meeting at Roberto Al Mare (formerly Nelson's Landing) at King Harbor (at the corner of Harbor and Beryl), across from the Holiday Inn Crowne Plaza.

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

NAME _____ SIGNATURE _____
ADDRESS _____
CITY _____ ZIP CODE _____
HOME PHONE (____) _____ WORK PHONE (____) _____
ADDITIONAL NAME (FAMILY MEMBERSHIP) _____
EMERGENCY CONTACT _____ PHONE (____) _____
EMPLOYER _____
CERT NUMBER _____ TYPE [PADI, NAUI, ETC.] _____
CERT DATE _____ LACC ADP _____ DATE _____
(or equivalent)

NUMBER OF DIVES LOGGED _____ DATE OF LAST DIVE _____

Do you want your name on a dive buddy list? ☐ YES ☐ NO

Type of diving preferred: beach/boat/skin _____

☐ SINGLE MEMBERSHIP \$12.00 (to 6/30/97)
☐ FAMILY MEMBERSHIP \$18.00 (to 6/30/97)

(Annual dues 1 July - 30 June are \$24 single/\$36 family and are prorated quarterly for new members)

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

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PEACE TWO DAY ALREADY!!

9/10MAY 1997 (Fri/Sat)

SAN MIGUEL

PEACE

Members \$180

(Includes Everything!)

Boarding: 7:00 PM (5/8)

Non-Members \$195

Departure: 1:00 AM (5/9)

The planned itinerary for this our first two-day of 1997 will take us out to San Miguel Island -- as always, weather permitting. Our first dive spot will be towards the west of Santa Rosa Island in good fish, scallop and/or red abalone areas. We will loop around either the north or south side of Santa Rosa depending on ocean conditions picking off dives either on the northwest tip (fish and scallops) or the southwest tip (fish and abalone).

We then plan to cross the San Miguel Passage onto the south side of San Miguel diving Crook Point, Wychoff Ledge, and Tyler Bight which are all great spots for photography. We will then circle back around the east side of the island for one or more dives before overnighing in Cuyler Harbor.

Weather permitting we would hope to tackle Richardson's Rock and/or Wilson Rock or, failing that, we will probably dive the lee side of Prince Island. Then we'll begin the run back to the mainland stopping for dives along the north side of Santa Rosa, possibly at Talcott Shoal.

This two-day will provide excellent opportunities for game (fish, red abalone, scallops) and all kinds of photogenic sea life. Overall there will be dives for all skill levels, although, the major pinnacles are considered to be strong intermediate to advanced dives in all but near perfect conditions.

The *Peace* is a great boat just to be on -- diving or not!! Call Kathy (Kalohi) at (310) 719-1816 for wait list sign-up. We filled our half of the boat by early April and as of this writing are filling the other open half. DON'T WAIT there may be a spot or two left!!

ESCAPE TO SAN CLEMENTE

31 MAY 1997 (Sat)

SAN CLEMENTE/EAST END

THE GREAT ESCAPE

Members \$85

Air, Food and Beverages included

Boarding: 8:00 PM (5/30)

Non-Members \$95

PROMPT!! →

Departure: 1:00 AM (5/31)

New Members \$55*

Our fourth dive on *The Great Escape* this year is planned for the East End and Pyramid Cove area of San Clemente Island. From 22nd Street we will head directly for Pyramid Head - named for the shape of the rock on the point. This area of San Clemente provides deep canyons with walls that drop as much as 100 feet. Thick lush kelp grows on the reef structures and the walls are full of red gorgonian, bright nudibranchs and other varieties of colorful invertebrates. Pyramid Cove is typically well protected from the prevailing seas and normally provides outstanding visibility. The many reef structures provide excellent opportunities for photography and video.

For the hunters, spear fishing is outstanding and on occasion, especially for you skin divers (you know -- like breath holding!!), schools of large yellowtail tease by, occasionally black sea bass have been sighted. Working west towards China Point, abalone become plentiful (just for looking folks!) and scallops can be found on most of the reefs in the area.

Almost in the center of Pyramid Cove there is a large arch -- not well known. The arch is about 1/3 mile offshore and faces east/west. On the inside, depths are to 50 feet and on the outside increases rapidly to 100 feet. The oval-shaped arch is about 40 feet high and 15-20 feet across -- quite spectacular, especially in clear water.

We then plan to work back towards the north and west on the frontside of San Clemente, making a dive or two including one excellent pinnacle. All in all, we plan four or five dives beginning in the Pyramid Head area.

Remember our dives include air, food, beverages, and snacks -- call Kathy (Kalohi) at (310) 719-1816 for sign-up. Bunks will be preassigned on a first PAID basis. GREAT TRIP!! If you haven't tried *The Great Escape* yet you ought to...GREAT BOAT!!

*Note our policy for new member price is now approximately two-thirds of member price.

FARNSWORTH IT WAS

The days preceding our planned April dive charter on the *Great Escape* were extremely windy and unsettled. This did not bode well for a run at Farnsworth Bank on the backside of Catalina. The ride to the West End was relatively and surprisingly smooth with only the occasional bump in the road. Rounding the West End we found even smoother water arriving at Farnsworth about 9:30 AM. The sun was up bright and shiny and there was no current.

Roy K. had anchored pretty much on the 55 feet high spot with the boat over about 150 feet to the bottom on the vertical wall side. Visibility was in the OK range at 30-40 feet. Water temperature was 59°F at the surface, 57°F at 55 feet plus, with a thermocline about 100 feet lowered it to about 55°F. The area supported some of the largest purple coral growths I've witnessed at Farnsworth. Sea life was not abundant although there are still a few scallops to be found.

Leaving Farnsworth we cruised the backside looking for blue water, however the preceding storms had left a green tinge everywhere. Dives two and three were on the frontside toward the West End, both in 30-35 feet visibility, calm water and temperatures in the high 50s. Depths were from zero to 90 feet. Little or no sea life made the dives less than spectacular but the day was just beautiful so who cared!! Sun set in for most after the dives and the run back was uneventful. Food and service on the boat was excellent. Gus V. was presented with a Sea Diver Certificate for completion of his 500th dive in January this year. There were no major boobies to award. We did however note two bungee divers attempting to stand up while bungied to the boat, this is not new so we held our boobie prize for next time!!

CATALINA QUOTES....

"Consider changing your wardrobe or hair color"

"You're getting too into this wetsuit removal."

"No Chris, No."

"I'm not sure I want that."

"Smells like Rhonda is cutting up some serious onions."

"Lights, camera, action."

"Ah! A bungee diver."

"Don't sweat, especially on your top lip."

"We're really sick of looking at your crotch."

"Turn out the lights...."

"...No, close your eyes."

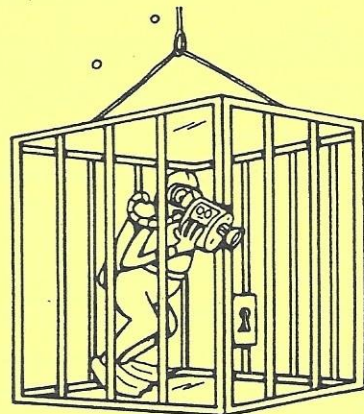
"The sun overpowered the need to dive"

"Sizzling skin."

"No beer wench today. I guess you have to get your own."

RUBES By Leigh Rubin

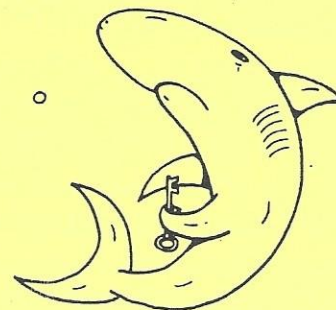
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CATALINA CHAMBER DAY '97 - MAY 7

Wednesday, May 7, has been selected as the date for Catalina Chamber Day '97, the ninth annual fund raiser to benefit the Catalina Hyperbaric Chamber.

Hyperbaric chambers are the only means of treating embolism and bends, life-threatening maladies that can affect divers. Although diving is very safe, it is important these facilities be available in the event of a diving emergency. Because of the high amount of diving done in Southern California, the Catalina Hyperbaric Chamber is quite active. Even though Los Angeles County funds a large portion of this chamber's costs, a substantial amount of the budget must come from other sources.

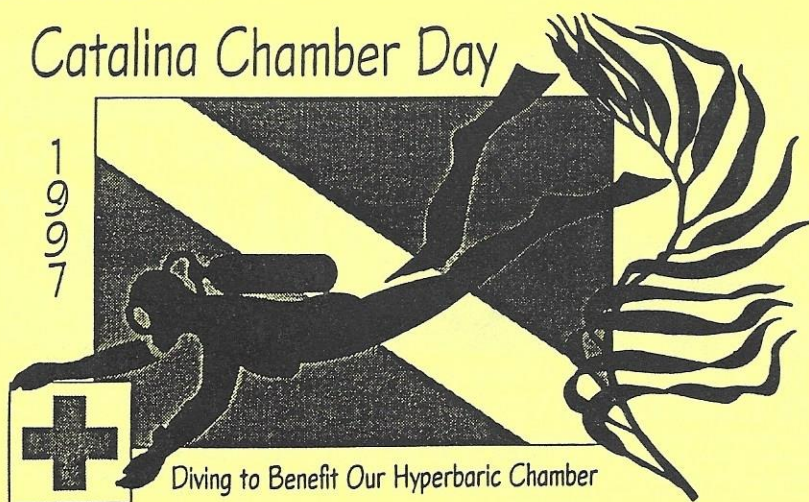
Catalina Chamber Day was conceived as a way for recreational divers to have fun diving while at the same time making a financial contribution to this important facility. Dive-charter boats operating out of Los Angeles and Orange Counties graciously donate their time and services for the day, and divers pay to dive Catalina Island aboard one of the participating boats. Select boats visiting Catalina will also take their passengers on a walking tour of the Catalina Hyperbaric Chamber facilities. Other boats will dive all day long.

Participants will also receive a commemorative T-shirt. In addition, a raffle prize drawing for major pieces of dive equipment will be conducted. All the money raised from the event goes to support the Catalina Hyperbaric Chamber.

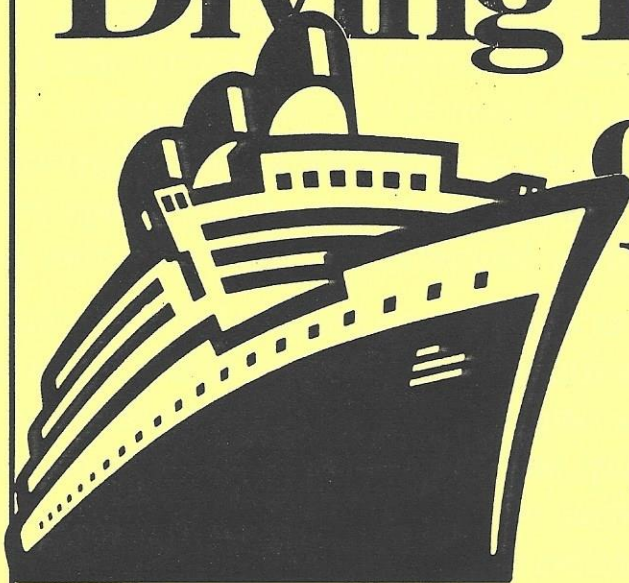
Catalina Chamber Day '97 will cost \$65, which includes a day of diving and the commemorative T-shirt. To sign up for the event, call (800) 348-3794. Requests to be on a specific boat can be made at sign-up.

Catalina Chamber Day '97 is being organized by the Greater Los Angeles Council of Divers (GLACD) and local dive businesses.

In addition to the Catalina Chamber Day, similar benefit dives are being planned for chambers in San Diego, Ventura, and Monterey.



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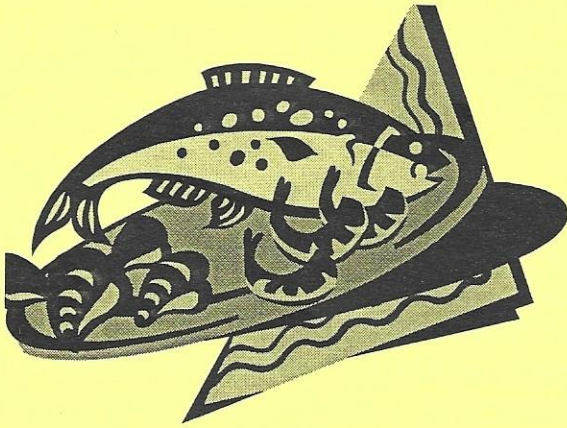


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BOUILLABAISSE EXTRAORDINAIRE

22 JUNE - VETERAN'S PARK, REDONDO BEACH

DIVING - REFRESHER DIVE - BOUILLABAISSE COOKOUT/POTLUCK

We will dive just south of the pier at Redondo adjacent to Veteran's Park. For those unfamiliar with the dive site, it offers an easy sandy beach entry. The surf is typically small due to the Redondo Canyon at this location. Following a sloping sand bottom, the diver encounters the old Redondo pier pilings about 50 feet out. They stand above the sand bottom reaching 10 feet and more towards the surface. Their long submersion leaves them covered with red corinactus and hollowed out havens for crabs. Continuing further, the pilings end in about 80 feet of water over the edge of Redondo Canyon. Anyone requiring a short "refresher" in diving or wishes to dive should contact Bill Garrett for appropriate arrangements. Park in the Redondo Beach Municipal parking lot on the south side of Veteran's Park at 25 cents a half-hour (so bring lots of quarters!!!).

Grande Master Chef Parker aided by Petite Fleur Dacey, will be stirring up a warm and filling pot of bouillabaisse that is guaranteed to satisfy the most discriminating diver. "Le Chef" asks all who plan to partake of this tasty concoction to **BRING SEAFOOD, CAUGHT OR BOUGHT, TO CONTRIBUTE TO THE POT.** We typically add some or all of the following seafood to the base. All seafood should be **UNCOOKED!**

- Scallops - small, medium or large, some preferred in the shell
- Clams - typically small, medium or large in the shell
- Lobster - Any! In or out of shell
- Fish - all varieties, cleaned and deboned
- Mussels - in the shell
- Shrimp - medium or large, usually in the shell
- Oysters - small or medium, out of the shell
- Crab - medium to large legs, claws in the shell
- Abalone - Any! Most will be used for appetizers.
- "Calamari" - tentacles (rings) or "little guys"
- Other - we'll try almost anything!

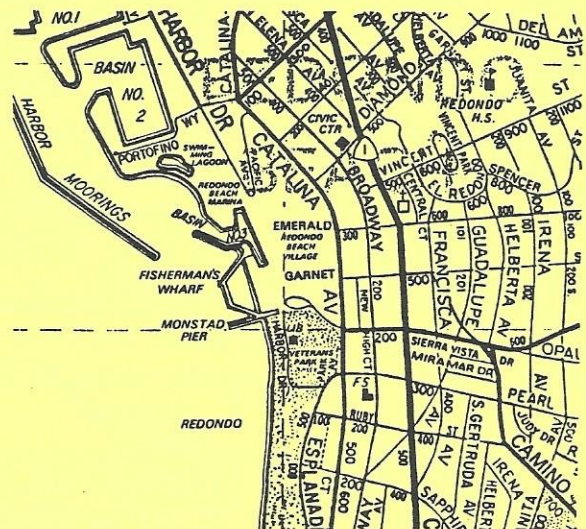
Crusty bread will be provided but bring your own beverages, other accompaniments, and a potluck if you are not into bouillabaisse!

If you're not planning to dive, and just want to enjoy the companionship and good food, plan to be at Veteran's Park in Redondo Beach by 12:00 noon. The approximate schedule is as follows:

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|--------------------|-----------------------|
| 8:00 AM - 11:00 AM | Dive as desired |
| 11:30 AM - 1:30 PM | Prepare Bouillabaisse |
| 1:30 PM - 5:00 PM | Eat and socialize |

Veteran's Park is shown on the map below. Allen "Le Chef" Parker is the key contact at (310) 813-2955.

THIS PARTICULAR EVENT HAS BEEN A GREAT SUCCESS FOR MANY YEARS - HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE - DON'T FORGET THE SEAFOOD!!



JUST 10 YEARS AGO

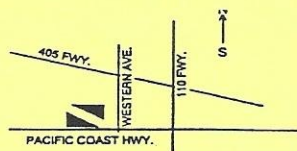
The club President was Greg Hindman, Treasurer Kathi McNally, and Secretary Sandi Anderson. We had just moved our General Meetings from Adam's Rig in Torrance to the Pizza Hut adjacent to 10th Street in Manhattan Beach. The Executive Meeting was held at Daniel Bitton's house in Santa Monica. Our boat dive was a two-day on the *Wild Wave* to Begg Rock, San Nicolas and Santa Barbara Islands, at \$130 all inclusive. The beach dive was a La Bufadora four day campout over Memorial Day weekend. We were running a six month Underwater Photo Contest which ended this month. Videos of the March 1987 Avalon Harbor Clean-Up club "activities" were available - These trips were pretty wild in the 80s, so the copies were quite valuable to some of us!! Club membership was about 150, but as usual a significant number were unpaid.

LA COUNTY ADVANCED DIVER PROGRAM - STARTS JULY 11

The Los Angeles County Department of Parks and Recreation will conduct the annual Advanced Divers Program beginning July 11, 1997. The "ADP" is not just another dive course, it is a program designed to make better divers of the participants, regardless of their current skill or certification level. ADP is open to all certified divers. Participants in the program meet Friday evenings for lectures by noted authorities in the dive industry and meet on Sunday mornings for ocean dives. This comprehensive 10-week program also provides first aid, CPR, and rescue certifications.

ADP is staffed by volunteer underwater instructors from the County Underwater Instructors Association. A boat dive and a weekend at Catalina Island is included in the program.

For information or an application, call Anthony Myles, Underwater Unit Director, 310-217-8385.



ABALONE CLOSURE AND SB463

The issue of closing California's Red Abalone fishery south of San Francisco has been an agenda item before the Fish and Game Commission since last December. For all practical purposes, it looks like it'll remain an agenda item until at least this coming December.

Another opportunity has come up to close the Red Abalone fishery by a different avenue. Senator Mike Thompson has approved an amendment to his "abalone bill" (SB463) that accomplishes 3 things. First, it closes the commercial and sport Red Abalone fishery south of San Francisco. Second, it imposes a \$5 abalone stamp on recreational harvesters. Third, it establishes a CDFG committee, largely made up of sport divers, that will be involved in the disbursement of funds generated by the abalone stamp.

Now, support for SB463 must be demonstrated if there's any chance for it to pass.

Support by individuals and organizations based in southern California is extremely important if the Closure provision is to survive the legislative process; Sacramento is already well aware of the support for a closure by northern and central California sport divers.

Northern and central California support for the Ab Stamp is also required if those provisions are to survive. Survival of the Ab Stamp is politically doubtful; opposition to new "taxes" is hard to overcome. If the Ab Stamp does NOT survive and the commercial fishery closes, funding specifically focused on the abalone resource dries up and becomes the whim of Sacramento.

Please take the time to write your own representatives in the legislature.

This is very important. If you know their names, their Sacramento address is:

Senator/Assemblyman/Assemblywoman <name>
State Capitol
Sacramento, CA 95814

If you don't know your representatives but have a clue about the zip code where you live, <http://www.leginfo.ca.gov/yourleg.html> will give you a list of your representatives and their addresses.

At the same time that you write your own representatives, please copy:

Senator Mike Thompson
State Capitol
Room 3056
Sacramento, CA 95814

Senator Tom Hayden
State Capitol
Room 2080
Sacramento, CA 95814

Senator Hayden is the chair of the Senate Natural Resources & Wildlife committee and will exercise substantial influence over the early course of SB463. Senator Thompson, being the author of SB463, can use a broad base of support in pursuing its passage.

Finally, please keep in mind that the decisions you make today about getting involved will have a huge affect on the future of California's marine resources. This is true whether you choose apathy or passion; either way, YOU will have an impact.

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1997 BOAT DIVE SCHEDULE

DIVE	DAY(S)	DATE(S)	DESTINATION	PRICE*	BOAT	LOCATION
97-1	SUN	2 FEB	SANTA BARBARA	\$85	GREAT ESCAPE	22ND STREET
97-2	SAT	15 MAR	SAN NICOLAS	\$95	GREAT ESCAPE	22ND STREET
97-3	SAT	12 APR	FARNSWORTH BANKS / CATALINA	\$75	GREAT ESCAPE	22ND STREET
97-C9	WED	7 MAY	CHAMBER DAY 9 / CATALINA	\$65*	GREAT ESCAPE	22ND STREET
97-4	FRI/SAT	9/10 MAY	SAN MIGUEL	\$180	PEACE	VENTURA MARINA
97-5	SAT	31 MAY	SAN CLEMENTE EAST END	\$85	GREAT ESCAPE	22ND STREET
97-6	FRI/SAT	25/26 JULY	BEGG ROCK/SAN NICOLAS	\$190	GREAT ESCAPE	22ND STREET
97-SB	SUN	17 AUG	PALOS VERDES	\$20*	(Small Boats)	KING HARBOR
97-7	FRI/SAT	12/13 SEPT	RICHARDSON'S/WILSON ROCK	\$180	PEACE	VENTURA MARINA
97-8	SUN	TBD OCT	SAN NICOLAS	TBD	TBD	TBD
97-9	SAT/SUN	1/2 NOV	CORTES BANK	\$195	GREAT ESCAPE	22ND STREET
97-10	SAT/SUN	29/30 NOV	SAN MIGUEL PASSAGE	\$180	PEACE	VENTURA MARINA

*Prices are all inclusive (air, food, and beverages). Non-members add \$10 for single day and \$15 for two-day dives. Dives 97-C9 and 97-SB do not include air, food, and beverages.

Great Escape - 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 onto 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:

- Unconfirmed reservations may be made for any boat dive at any time. To confirm a reservation, payment in full must be received.
- 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.
- 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.
- 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 club members of The Sea Divers and members of other selected clubs may make boat dive reservations prior to one month before a scheduled boat dive. Partial refunds from single day boats which do not make the advertised dive location will be passed on to members who request them within two weeks.

BOAT DIVE RESERVATION FORM

DIVE DATE: _____ DESTINATION: _____
 NAME OF DIVER(S): _____
 PHONE (DAY): [] _____ (EVE) [] _____ COST OF DIVE \$ _____
 MEMBER [] YES [] NO DATE OF LAST DIVE*: _____

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

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 P.O. Box 2415
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 (310) 719-1816

Please include date of last dive for each diver

CALENDAR

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May 6
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General Meeting - 7 PM - Round Table Pizza
Boat Dive: Chamber Day 9 / Catalina
Boat Dive: San Miguel - *PEACE*
Executive Meeting - 7 PM - Roberto Al Mare
KH CleanUp Meeting - 6:30 PM - Edison Conference Room
Boat Dive: San Clemente East End - *GREAT ESCAPE*

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June 3
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June 22

General Meeting - 7 PM - Round Table Pizza
Executive Meeting - 7 PM - Roberto Al Mare
SCUBA '97 - Queen Mary
Beach Dive / Bouillabaisse: - 8 AM - Veteran's Park, Redondo Beach

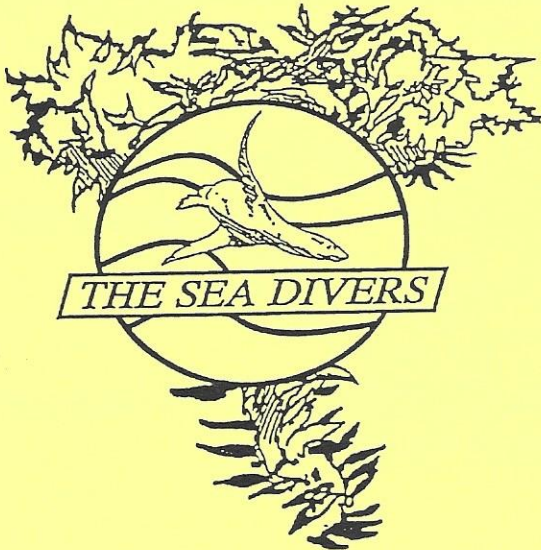
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ADDRESS CORRECTION REQUESTED



NEW General Meeting Place -- Round Table Pizza!!