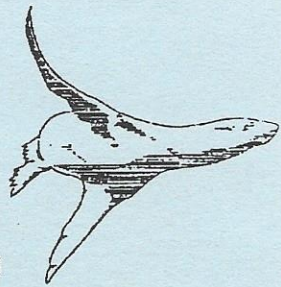


THE SEA DIVERS



IN AFFILIATION WITH AMERICAN DIVING

FROM THE EXECUTIVE MID-YEAR...

We are at the mid-point of our 2001 diving year. In summation the Club, in general, remains in good shape. We have almost 120 members with an active core of about 40. Our boats are doing well except for the August Wreck Dive for which we are still mulling alternatives to improve its appeal. The treasury took a beating late in 2000, so we are not as flush as we were a year ago but not in any financial crisis at this time. Hopefully we won't see a repeat of the second half swoon of 2000!!!

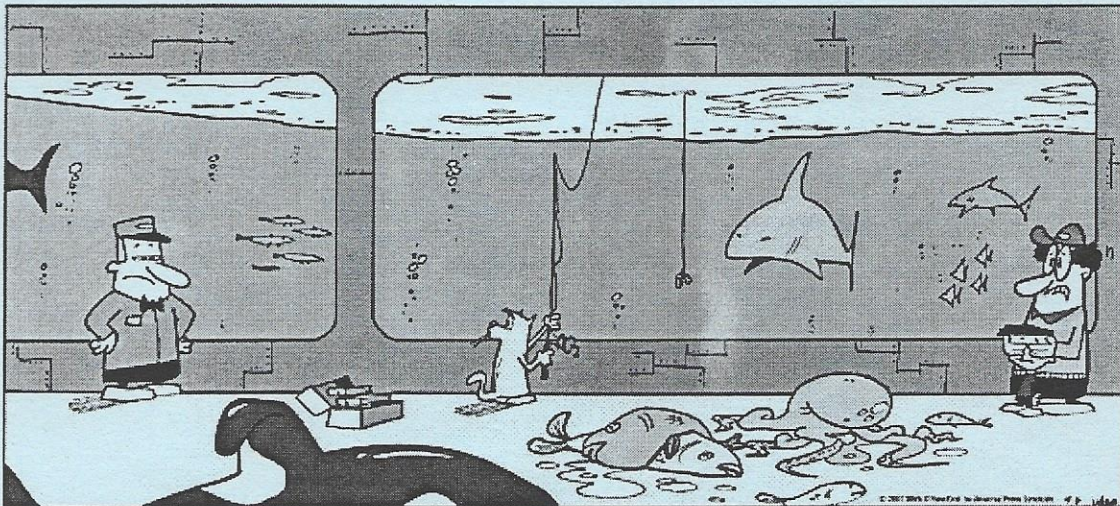
Two things you can all do as Members: 1) Support the Club dives (obviously!) and 2) Don't sign up for a dive you are likely to cancel two weeks ahead, that is what happened last year and to a lesser extent this year.

Dues are due as of 1 July '01 and are \$24 single and \$36 family for a full year. Thanks.

A.P.

CITIZEN DOG

BY MARK O'HARE



JULY GENERAL MEETING CANCELLED!!

Due to it's proximity to the July 4th Holiday, the General Meeting for 3 July 2001 has been cancelled.

Our next General Meeting is on Tuesday 7 August at Round Table Pizza in Hawthorne starting at 7:00 PM where we'll hear Lee McMillion of the LAPD talk about the underwater SWAT unit operations

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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 as required on the week following the General Meeting at a South Bay Restaurant. (See calendar on back page, President calls meetings as needed).

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 (or equivalent)	DATE	
NUMBER OF DIVES LOGGED	DATE OF LAST DIVE		
E-MAIL ADDRESS			
Type of diving preferred: beach/boat/skin			

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|--------------------------|-------------------|----------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> | SINGLE MEMBERSHIP | \$24.00 (to 6/30/02) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | FAMILY MEMBERSHIP | \$36.00 (to 6/30/02) |

(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:

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

DEEP AND SOME OTHER STUFF

23 June 2001 (Sat)

OSBORNE BANK /
SANTA BARBARA

GREAT ESCAPE

Members \$100

Boarding: 8:00 PM (6/22)

Non-Members \$110

(All inclusive and limited load!)

Departure: 2:00 AM (6/23)

New Members \$67

We have dived Osborne Bank only once before in 2000. Osborne is a deep advanced dive, with the basic plateau at approximately 130 feet. Surrounding the plateau are depths that go way beyond normal sport diving limits, so extreme care in depth control is required. Nitrogen narcosis is likely to occur, to some degree, on this dive. The plateau itself is essentially flat and provides an environment somewhat different than the more typical reefs in the area. We strongly recommend no spear fishing unless you are extremely comfortable at these depths, distractions can be dangerous. This IS an advanced dive.

Following the Osborne Bank dive we will move to Santa Barbara Island for the rest of our diving. As most of you experienced divers know, Santa Barbara diving provides the very best in underwater topography, marine life, and generally high visibility. Sea lions abound and are always ready to 'play'. Black sea bass have been sighted on numerous occasions as have relatively large rays, sometimes in "flying formations". The reefs are ideal for photography, video, or just looking. We will circumnavigate this relatively small island to pick off three or four choice spots, including one or two in the environs of Sutil Island.

For the game takes there are a variety of fish and scallops. Diving conditions in June are usually pleasant and typically the ocean is cooperative. *Great Escape* is one of the largest dive boats in the L.A. area and provides an extremely comfortable diving platform. The "verandah" (a.k.a. sun deck) also provides for sun and relaxation on the way home. Call Curt (Billings) at (909) 945-3461, Fax at (909) 477-2849, or e-mail at curt@diver.net to sign up for this all inclusive limited load trip on a great boat to one of the best islands. You may pre-select your stateroom / bunk on receipt of full payment. **CALL NOW, THE TRIP STILL HAS A FEW OPEN SPOTS.**

ONE OF THE BEST!

20/21 July 2001 (Fri/Sat)

BEGG ROCK / SAN NICOLAS /
SANTA BARBARA

GREAT ESCAPE

Members \$215

Includes Everything & Limited Load!

Boarding: 8:00 PM (7/19)

Non-Members \$230

PROMPT!! → Departure: 11:00 PM (7/19)

Our second two-day dive of 2001 is a great southern outer island cruise and dive to the very best spots. This Friday/Saturday affair has been the making of really outstanding trips in past years.

Begg Rock is a group of pinnacles which rise about 15 feet above the water and then plunge in the most spectacular fashion to over 100 feet with rolling ledges from 30 feet to 60 feet. The rock is located about 7 miles north of San Nicolas Island, and is noted for its huge plate-sized scallops on the deeper ledges (easy to limit out at the one-day limit of 10). Photophiles and video buffs will be well served. Relative beginners should note that Begg Rock is fully exposed to the ocean, but on good days may be dived by all skill levels after appropriate pre-dive consultation with the divemaster and a properly planned dive, with your buddy.

San Nicolas, the outer most of the southern four islands, is noted for its relative remoteness and typically large size fish. Ocean temperatures should be up around 60°F, making diving pleasant. Large fish, such as Calico Bass, Sheephead, etc., can be found in the kelp beds and reefs. We will overnight at San Nicolas, probably in Dutch Harbor, with full dinner, socialize with good friends, and enjoy a typically great evening just relaxing. The following day we will either head to Begg Rock for our second attempt, or cruise to Santa Barbara Island, which is the smallest prettiest island and has a little of everything. The spectacular underwater arches, walls, reefs, sea lions, and other sea life are great for photography and video and visibility is usually exceptional. Again large fish surround the area, including the occasional black sea bass (these are for viewing only!!!).

THE TRIP IS NOT FULL as of this writing. Call Curt (Billings) at (909) 945-3461, Fax at (909) 477-2849 or e-mail at curt@diver.net for information.

A SLIGHT CHANGE OF PLAN

The June Oil Rig dive had perfect ocean conditions, flat calm, no swells/surge and 60 plus feet of visibility. Mr. Sun was not fully out but it was a relatively bright day, providing reasonably good light up to 100 feet.

Our first two dives were on Oil Rig *Eureka*. After several years of diver access the outer structure does not have near the same abundance of scallops as before but inside and towards the south they are as abundant as ever. The growth is still amazing and with no surge or current, exploration was easy. Thermoclines were at 60 feet and 100 feet with temperatures going from about 60°F at the surface to the low 50's °F at depth. Fish (no spearfishing) were abundant as were a myriad of jellyfish. Drop off of divers, in waves, and eventual pick-up was very crisp and efficient. All in all great diving.

Our plan going in was to dive *Eureka* and then move to the double rig *Elly/Ellen*. Not to be! Due to maintenance work the double rig was off diving limits for the day. We discussed a fall back to either Palos Verdes or the *Olympic* wreck. *Olympic* won hands down, as most on board preferred deeper rather than shallower, also last years attempt at Palos Verdes provided soup diving!! We kept the gate open for an hour and a half to allow for surface interval and/or two possible dives. Conditions were excellent except for a growing surface current as time progressed. The *Olympic* is nearly always a great dive when conditions permit.

Needless to say we had a relatively short run back to 22nd Street, allowing for Saturday evening gear cleaning rather than Sunday AM! Nice day out with three outstanding and for most, relatively deep diving. Scallops galore!! *Great Escape* did an outstanding job all around.

RIG QUOTES...

"Paula brought me the worst tasting stuff she could find."

"My computer didn't work so Kathy's my computer for the rest of the day."

"I limited out on the first dive so why go in?"

"If you want to dig in the sand you're talking 100 feet, give or take."

"Three deep dives and out by 1:00 PM."

"Either he's an idiot or you're dragging anchor."

"Put it in the soup! Put it in the soup!"

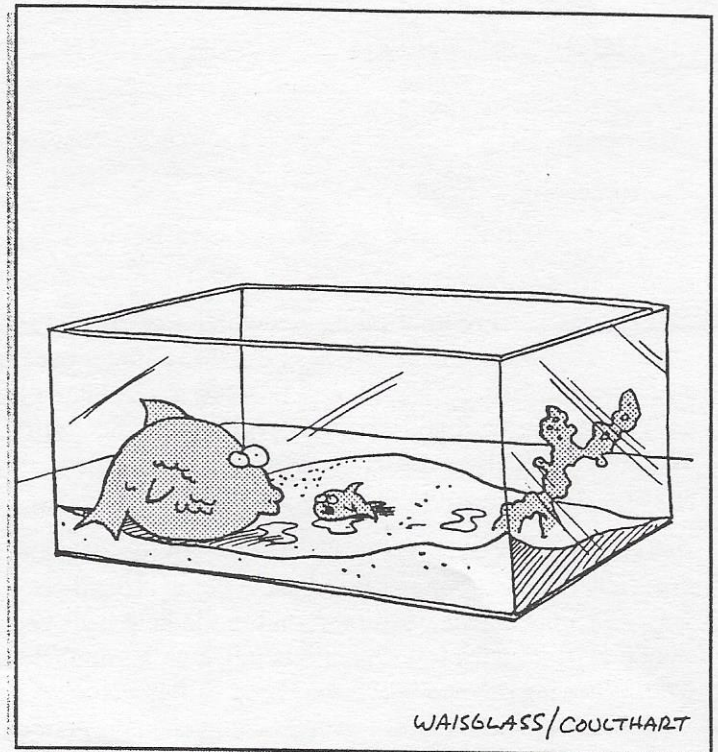
"Oh! He's a guy that lives on adrenaline."

"We'd like to dive the *Olympic* if you can find it."

"Back at 3:30 PM, a new record but it works for me."

"Didn't dive deep today, brought the wrong stuff."

"Chris helped me up the ramp."



"I told you not to drink so much."



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April 16, 2001

To Individuals Interested in the Marine Life Protection Act:

The Marine Life Protection Act (MLPA: Assembly Bill 993 authored by Assemblyman Shelly) became effective January 1, 2000. This language is now included in the Fish and Game Code (Sections 2850 to 2863). The purpose of the act is to improve the array of Marine Protected Areas (MPAs) in California waters through a comprehensive Master Plan that the Department of Fish and Game (Department) is required to develop. This Master Plan will recommend alternative MPA networks within state waters (from shore out to three miles) to the Fish and Game Commission (Commission).

The MLPA requires the Department to present the draft Master Plan to the Commission by January 1, 2002. A Master Plan Team (Team), consisting of Department and other agency representatives and eight scientists, is assisting the Department in developing the Master Plan (please see Team list on next page). This letter is to inform you of the Team's approach to develop the Master Plan and to invite your initial comments.

Goals and Approach

The basic goals of the MLPA are: 1) to help sustain, conserve and protect marine populations and ecosystems for their economic and intrinsic value; 2) to help rebuild depleted marine populations; 3) to improve recreational, educational, and study opportunities; and 4) to ensure that California's MPAs have clearly defined objectives, effective management measures, adequate enforcement, and are based on sound scientific principles.

The Master Plan recommendation will include existing and newly proposed MPAs. Each MPA will be re-named or named using a new classification system established by the Marine Managed Areas Improvement Act (Assembly Bill 2800[Shelly]). These new classifications are:

State Marine Reserve: Injuring, damaging, taking or possessing any living, geological or cultural marine resource ("take") is prohibited. Some scientific collecting by permit may be allowed.

State Marine Park: Commercial take is prohibited. Recreational take and scientific collecting by permit will be allowed, although some forms of recreational take may be restricted.

State Marine Conservation Area: Certain commercial and recreational take and scientific collecting by permit may be allowed.

The Team has divided California marine waters into four regions based on assemblages of similar marine animals, plants and habitats:

North marine region: California-Oregon border to Pt. Arena.

North-Central marine region: Pt. Arena to Pt. Año Nuevo, including the Farallon Islands.

South-Central marine region: Pt. Año Nuevo to Pt. Conception, including San Miguel, Santa Rosa, and San Nicolas Islands.

South marine region: Pt. Conception to California-Mexico border, including Santa Cruz, Anacapa, Santa Barbara, Santa Catalina, and San Clemente Islands.

The Team has identified eight habitat types to be represented in MPA networks. These consist of hard and soft seafloor in four depth ranges: intertidal, 0-30 meters (0-100 ft.), 30-200

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meters (100-660 ft.), and greater than 200 meters. Networks will also include, where feasible, spawning and nursery areas and the following specialized habitats: rocky reefs, underwater pinnacles, kelp forests, submarine canyons, and seagrass beds.

As an initial step, California's existing MPAs are being evaluated for incorporation into the Master Plan. In order to achieve the MLPA goals, the Team may recommend additional MPAs and modification of boundaries and the degree of protection in existing MPAs. The MLPA requires that similar types of habitats and communities be replicated, to the extent possible, in more than one State Marine Reserve in each region. In recommending specific sites, the Team will also consider species most likely to benefit from protection.

Your Comments

The Master Plan must also take into account the social and economic impacts of any new or existing MPAs. We recognize that developing an MPA network with improved resource protection will have short-term impacts on users. Our aim is to minimize any short-term losses while maximizing long-term benefits. We need your feedback to accomplish this goal. The Team is seeking your specific comments about the effectiveness of existing MPAs, recommendations for modifying existing MPAs, and recommendations for additional MPAs. Your interest, comments, and participation are important to meet the requirements of the MLPA and to create a system that benefits all of California. Please send your comments by letter, fax, or e-mail **no later than May 31, 2001** to:

Paul Reilly

Department of Fish and Game

20 Lower Ragsdale Drive, Suite 100

Monterey, CA 93940

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More Information

We will provide more information and seek further comment during two series of public meetings and workshops. These are tentatively scheduled for July and September 2001 and will be held throughout the State. The draft master plan is required to be completed by January 2002. Once completed, the draft plan will be available for public review and comment. Formal public comment will also be available during Commission hearings concerning the implementation of the Master Plan. These will most likely occur in the Spring of 2002.

Information on the location and classification of California's existing MPAs are described in "California Marine Protected Areas" (McArdle 1997, California Sea Grant, La Jolla, CA).

For more details about the MLPA and Marine Managed Areas Improvement Act, go to www.sen.ca.gov, click "Legislation", and search the 1999-2000 Assembly Session for AB993 and AB2800. Also visit the MLPA link at the Department's Marine Region website: www.dfg.ca.gov.mrd/index.html. The MLPA web site also includes a summary of regulations for each existing MPA. If you do not have access to the web, please contact Paul Reilly at the above address.

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CHAMBER DAY/EVE REPORT FROM THE REEF SEEKERS



In a word...smashing. We exceeded our wildest expectations and ended up netting over \$85,000!!!

We ended up with 342 divers during the day (including 23 on the *Flying Dutchman*, a fictitious boat – and yes, you'll get your t-shirts shortly), over 300 diners for Chamber Evening, more than \$22,000 in the Michael Kane \$10K Chamber Challenge, and sold a ton of raffle tickets (in fact, for the first time ever, we actually sold out of raffle tickets at Chamber Evening).

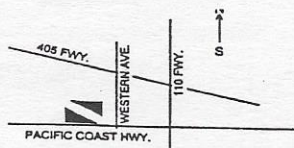
All in all it was a really great event and a good time was had by all. And it's all possible only through the generous contributions and donations of time and services of all the dive boats (along with their crews), our volunteer DMs, and the Aquarium of the Pacific (who co-hosts the evening event and donates the facility to us), the manufacturers who donate the raffle prizes, Michael Kane for putting up the \$10K seed money for the Challenge, the Reef Seekers staff who truly work their butts off on this thing, other stores and clubs who actively promoted the event, publications who gave us free ad space, and various other volunteers who staff the various parts of the day and evening, and – obviously – all of you who made a contribution to help insure the financial future of our Chamber.

We also want to single out the Chamber Day/Eve Steering Committee, and specifically mention Rusty Berry of Scuba Schools of America (Montclair), and Clara McMurphy and Jim Guido of Sport Chalet. The three of them along with Ken Kurtis and Bill Wright of Reef Seekers, truly embody the "ecumenical" nature of this event, and show that competing stores CAN work together for the common good. Hopefully it's a spirit of co-operation that will grow because it is this type of thinking that makes this a truly special event.

Thanks again to one and all, and mark May 1, 2002 on your calendars for the next Chamber Day and Chamber Evening.

SEA DIVER ACTIVITIES

<u>Day</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Event</u>
Sat	15 Sept '01	International Coastal Clean Up Day, various locations
Sat	29 Sept '01	<i>Yukon</i> dive, <i>Lois Ann</i> , San Diego (Joint with Wreck Divers)
Sun	21 Oct '01	8 th King Harbor Underwater CleanUp
Sat	4 Nov '01	Sea Diver Reunion, Port Royal Yacht Club, Redondo Beach



AMERICAN DIVING is a full service scuba diving facility. Our friendly and knowledgeable staff has been committed to excellence in customer service for more than 30 years. Our education department offers quality diving courses sponsored by NAUI (National Association of Underwater Instructors), an internationally recognized diver training organization. Our instructors offer courses at all levels from Openwater I through Assistant Instructor, plus a variety of Specialty Courses are available either at a group rate or by private instruction. We also offer local and international dive travel and can assist you in planning your adventures from day trips to the local islands to your wildest diving fantasy

CHOCOLATE LOBSTERS TO VISIT CABRILLO MARINE AQUARIUM

Both certified scuba and skin divers are invited to participate in the Fourth Annual Cabrillo Chocolate Lobster Dive taking place on Saturday, September 22, 2001. Contestants in this playful and unusual event will dive off the waters of Cabrillo Beach in search of hundreds of solid milk chocolate lobsters.

The event is limited to 500 participants who will be eligible to win over \$35,000 in prizes provided by dive equipment manufacturers and other sponsors. The grand prizes will be announced at the Scuba Show 2001 in Long Beach, Calif. Proceeds from the event benefit Cabrillo Marine Aquarium's Spring Outdoor Classroom, teaching 36,000 children about the marine environment.

Entry forms and other information can be obtained online at www.cabrilloaq.org, by telephone (310) 548-7562 extension 9039; or through dive shops and dive clubs. Save money by pre-registering before September 7, 2001. A \$25 pre-registration fee includes FREE parking and lunch. Participants registering after September 7, 2001 pay \$28 plus \$6.50 for parking. The grand prizes this year are a Cobra Tripple Kayak with backrests and paddles valued at \$1,817 and a 7-nights aboard the *Bilikiki* in the Solomon Islands valued at \$2,086.

Cabrillo Marine Aquarium is a facility of the City of Los Angeles Department of Recreation and Parks, located at 3720 Stephen White Drive, San Pedro, on Cabrillo Beach.

ORDER ADDITIONAL TICKETS FOR AN EVEN BETTER CHANCE TO WIN THE OPPORTUNITY PRIZES!

1 Ticket\$1.00
12 Tickets.....\$10.00
30 Tickets..... \$25.00
70 Tickets.....\$50.00
150 Tickets....\$100.00

CABRILLO CHOCOLATE LOBSTER DIVE PRE-REGISTRATION FORM

One entry per person please

Entry fee\$ _____

Add'l. Opportunity Tickets (see adjacent chart)...\$ _____

T-shirt/s: qty. _____ x \$16 ea. = \$ _____
(Qty. by size: S _____ M _____ L _____ XL _____ XXL _____)

Marsoops® mask strap: qty. _____ x \$15 ea. = \$ _____
sunlasses strap: qty. _____ x \$8 ea. = \$ _____

TOTAL AMT. ENCLOSED\$ _____

Payment method (check one):
☐ Check/Money order (payable to *FRIENDS of CMA*)
☐ Credit card (Visa or MasterCard only)

Card # _____ Exp. date _____

Signature _____

Mail form with payment to: Chocolate Lobster Dive/CMA
3720 Stephen White Drive • San Pedro CA 90731-9979

REGISTER BY SEPTEMBER 7...AND SAVE!

Pre-registration fee before 9/7/01 is \$25 and includes \$6.50 parking. After 9/7/01 fee is \$30 plus \$6.50 parking fee. All participants receive complimentary lunch, beverage and one (1) Opportunity Ticket.

Please note: C cards are required to participate in the event!

Name _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____ Zip _____ Phone (_____) _____

Certification Agency _____

Certification # _____

2001 BOAT DIVE SCHEDULE

DIVE	DAY(S)	DATE(S)	DESTINATION	PRICE*	BOAT	LOCATION
01-1	SUN	4 FEB	SANTA BARBARA / SUTIL	\$100	GREAT ESCAPE	22 ND STREET
01-2	SAT	10 MAR	SAN NICOLAS	\$110	GREAT ESCAPE	22 ND STREET
01-3	SAT	7 APR	SAN CLEMENTE BACKSIDE	\$105	GREAT ESCAPE	22 ND STREET
01-C13	WED	2 MAY	CHAMBER DAY 2001/ CATALINA	\$75	GREAT ESCAPE	22 ND STREET
01-4	FRI/SAT	11/12 MAY	SAN MIGUEL	\$200	PEACE	VENTURA MARINA
01-5	SAT	2 JUNE	OIL RIGS: EUREKA, ELLY/ELLEN	\$85	GREAT ESCAPE	22 ND STREET
01-6	SAT	23 JUNE	OSBORNE BANK / SANTA BARBARA	\$100	GREAT ESCAPE	22 ND STREET
01-7	FRI/SAT	20/21 JULY	BEGG ROCK/SAN NIC /SANTA BARBARA	\$215	GREAT ESCAPE	22 ND STREET
01-8	SUN	12 AUG	PALAWAN / AVALON / DOMINATOR WRECKS	\$85	GREAT ESCAPE	22 ND STREET
01-9	FRI/SAT	7/8 SEPT	SAN MIGUEL PINNACLES	\$200	PEACE	VENTURA MARINA
01-10	TUES/WED	2/3 OCT	SAN NICOLAS / SANTA ROSA	\$180	PEACE	VENTURA MARINA
01-11	FRI/SAT	26/27 OCT	CORTES & TANNER BANKS	\$215	GREAT ESCAPE	22 ND STREET
01-12	SAT/SUN	1/2 DEC	NORTHERN CHANNEL ISLES	\$200	PEACE	VENTURA MARINA

*Prices are all inclusive (air, food, and beverages). Non-members add \$10 for single day and \$15 for two-day dives. New members paying full annual membership allowed one single day dive at approximately two-thirds of member price. Dive 01-C13 does not include air, food, and beverages. All dives except 01-C13 are limited load of 28 divers.

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:

- 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 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 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* : _____

* Please include date of last dive for each diver

BOAT DIVE RESERVATIONIST:

Curt Billings

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e-mail: curt@diver.net

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

THE SEA DIVERS

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Redondo Beach, CA 90278

CALENDAR

JULY						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
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July 3

General Meeting - 7 PM - Round Table Pizza - **CANCELLED**

July 20-21

Boat Dive – Begg Rock / San Nic / Santa Barbara – *GREAT ESCAPE*

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August 7

General Meeting - 7 PM - Round Table Pizza

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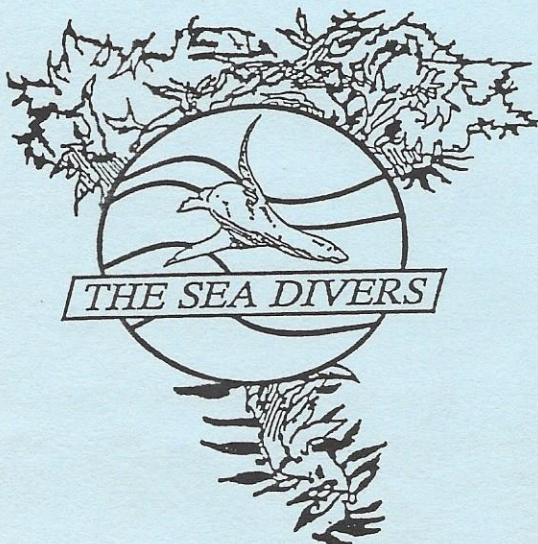
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