

The Diver's Connection

Southern Indiana Scuba

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Happy Holidays!



Best Wishes for a Happy Holiday Season from your friends at Southern Indiana Scuba!

SCUBA CLASS

Weekend Open Water

Jan 26 & Feb 2
Feb 16 & 23

6 Week Open Water

Jan. 15, Mar. 19

Advanced Open Water

Jan. 17

Rescue

Jan. 24 & Mar. 29

Divemaster

Jan. 11 & Feb. 8

Other Classes:

EAN/Nitrox

by appointment

Bubblemaker,

Seal Team

Jan 26 & Feb 2

Feb 16 & 23

Dolphin Rebreather

on your schedule

Discover Scuba

Really try diving for a small fee of \$14.95 - applicable toward your Open Water certification class! Discover Dates:

Jan 26 & Feb 2

Feb 16 & 23

Drysuit

Jan. 16 & 17

Prerequisite: Advanced

Ice Diver

Jan. 18, 19, 20

Prerequisite: Drysuit

Ice Diver Open Water dives will be completed pending the formation of ice, weather permitting.

Call the shop to register for your class today!

Get Wet Sale

Check Out Our In-Store Holiday Specials!

All T-Shirts

(except A/O)

10% off



DiveSkins

10% off

All Dive Bags

10% off or more



**Select
2 pc 7 mil
Wetsuits
50% off!**

All Clearance Rack
Items, take off an

EXTRA 5%

(currently 20% off)



**AquaLung
Regulators
Holiday
Sale!**

Travel Books

5% off

Select Deep Sea

Wetsuits

As Low as

\$99

Dive Sandals

\$10.00

Dress like a Diver!

SIS Logo Sweatshirts

Hooded, Hooded Zip &
Regular

Clothe-A-Child Fundraiser Success

Southern Indiana Scuba and the Monroe Co. Dive Team raised over \$1300 this year for the Clothe-A-Child program, and pledges are still coming in. You can still participate by bringing in a \$10.00 donation, and receiving a grab-bag gift worth at least \$20!

Jessica Doolin

Many of you remember former employee and fellow diver Jessica Doolin. Jessica was recently diagnosed with leukemia and is currently undergoing chemotherapy. Cards and letters (no plants or food) can be sent to her at: St. Francis Hospital, Rm. 7105, 6161 S. Yale Ave, Tulsa, OK 74136.

PADI Dive Crew Jackets

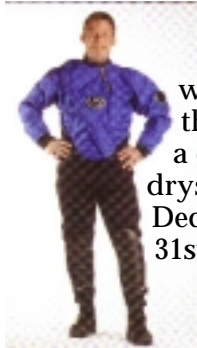
Just Arrived! Padi car-length dive crew fleece lined jackets. Cargo pockets, hooded, plenty of room to wear over heavy sweaters or wetsuits. Lots of pockets for gear. These jackets are stylish and designed for winter weather or as swimmers jackets.

Available in Red, Royal and Black, with the PADI Dive Crew logo.

We will add our own Southern Indiana Scuba dive patch, your personal dive patches, and/or your name for a small additional fee. Sorry, personalization can't be guaranteed by Christmas.

White's Drysuit \$200 Value

White's, our top of the line Drysuit, is waiving the fee for a custom fit drysuit until December 31st.



This represents a significant savings of \$200 on a custom fit drysuit. Orders must be placed by the 31st in order to receive the discount.

Remember that drysuit accessories like polartec socks, fleece underwear and jackets make great holiday gifts, too.



Vacation Values

Key Largo, Florida
Dec 30 to Jan 5
\$550 pp

Bring in the New Year underwater! Dive and stay at Quiescence on beautiful Key Largo.

Cozumel
Jan 18-25

Feb 23-Mar 2
\$1600 pp do
Fiesta



Americana is the perfect home base, with the dive package at Dive House. Optional upgrades to a deluxe room with refrigerator and daily breakfast available. Cozumel is perfect for your non-diving travel buddy, too

Grand Cayman
Feb 9-16
\$2100



Stay at the lovely Tortuga Club and dive with Ocean Frontiers, the home of diving convenience. Our package includes round-trip air, transfers, diving, and accommodations.

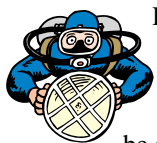
Roatan
March 9-18
\$2100 pp do

Stay and dive at Anthony's Key Resort, home of the Dolphin institute, and a laid back, relaxed attitude that will welcome you to this island paradise. There are **only two spots left** on this trip, so book your space today.

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Bonne Terre Mine
February 9-11
\$200 pp

Visit the underwater mine in Missouri made famous by Jacques Cousteau. Sam



Frushour leads this weekend getaway trip that is sure to be a fun outing.

Bonaire
April 13-20

Return with us to Diver's Paradise! The unlimited shore diving and the freedom of Bonaire's celebrated reefs



just off every shore are unmatched in the Caribbean. You won't be disappointed with the coral, sea life, or the amenities of this island.

Nassau
May 18-25

Wreck's, Reefs, Walls, the south side of Nassau has it all! We'll be staying right next to the prime dive sites, with full kitchens in condo-style units just steps from the dive boats. If you are looking for a trip that allows you do a lot of diving with a wide variety of conditions, then this one is for you.



Key Largo, Florida
May 26-June 1

Dive and stay at Quiescence on beautiful Key Largo. Our Florida trip remains a popular destination time after time, and for good reason.

Nekton Pilot
June 1-8

Liveboard the most stable ship in the world, as we dive the reefs and wrecks of Bimini. The Nekton's revolutionary SWATH technology eliminates almost all the pitch and roll associated with liveboards and cruise ships. Everything is included, diving, meals, private cabins.



Texas Flower Gardens
August 19-26

One of our most popular trips, Texas Flower Gardens sells out year after year.. It's so popular, that this time we've increased it to a full week of diving fun.

Fiji
Sept 14-21

Exotic tropical paradise, sure to be a once-in-a-lifetime adventure!



Why Travel with SIS?

Why book a trip with us? What's different, what kind of service and amenities do you receive that would make a diver want to travel with Southern Indiana Scuba instead of booking a trip alone?

First, you always have a qualified dive instructor with you, acting as your personal trip host. We aren't 'on vacation' on these trips. We're working every day, there to act as your trip leader, organize and lead side trips, handle any problems, and dive with you as you gain experience and knowledge. We may be teaching classes leading dives, or showing you the sights and best restaurants. Either way, it's invaluable to have someone you know and trust along with you when you are traveling.

Second, we have a wealth of experience in dive travel. We research our destinations extensively, and in most cases have been there before, so we know exactly what to expect, and can be sure that you are getting the most out of your travel experience.

Traveling with a group is also fun. You have the best of all possible worlds, since you have company when you want it, and the freedom to go off on your own when you want solitude.

Our divers find that we work hard to deliver the absolute best value for their diving dollar, along with outstanding service in guided trips. That's why our travelers book with us again and again.

PADI Scuba Classes

Bubblemaker

An introduction to scuba skills for kids 8-10. The student has a brief poolside orientation, then is accompanied by a PADI professional for up to an hour in the shallow end of the pool. Skills taught depend on the readiness level of the child involved.

PADI Seal Team

When the student is ready for more of a challenge, they can advance to PADI Seal Team.

Seal Team members are 10 and older. This class consists of 5 confined water dives, concentrating on certification skills. Students also complete

classroom sessions. An additional 5 Advanced confined dives are an option.

Seal Team is the perfect preparation for Junior Open Water Diver.

Gift packs for both Bubblemakers and Seal Team are available for under the Christmas tree.

Open Water Diver

The first complete certification class, Open Water divers are certified to rent gear, obtain air fills, and dive worldwide. Ages 12 and up can be certified for the Open Water.

You'll complete your classroom, confined water training, and

open water dives under the supervision of a PADI Instructor, and be prepared to begin a lifetime of adventure diving.

Future certifications and training in **Advanced, Rescue, and Divemaster** continue the adventure.

Drysuit Diver

For cold conditions, a drysuit is the perfect way to keep warm, but it presents a unique set of training requirements.

In this specialty class, you will learn how to care for and wear a drysuit, and what skills you'll need to use one in the water. You'll learn how to deal with the additional buoyancy concerns as well. Drysuit certification is

required in order to rent a drysuit.

Advanced certification is a prerequisite for this course.

Ice Diver

Once you are drysuit certified, the next logical step is ice diving.

Done properly, ice diving can extend your diving season and open a completely different world to the diver.

This class teaches you how to properly penetrate and deal with the conditions you'll experience diving under and around ice.

Drysuit certification is a prerequisite for this class.

Open Water dives will be completed pending ice.

Holiday Gift Ideas

Looking for a gift idea for the holiday season? We've got lots of unusual and creative scuba and tropical items to complete your holiday shopping.

Decorate your tree with Scuba Christmas Ornaments, Dive Stockings, and complete the theme with diving Holiday Cards.

Our Tropical Destination Dive Bears make a great stocking stuffer, while our selection of Umbrellas showcase the bright colors of a tropical reef.



For the kids, we have complete snorkeling packages, along with child-sized booties and wetsuits.

Also remember that our kids classes - Bubblemakers and Seal Team - make a perfect gift.

Come in and let us help you complete your shopping list today!

Diver's Gift Registry

Every year our Diver's Gift Registry becomes more popular, so be sure to take advantage of it for yourself this year.

Come in, decide what you want, and we'll keep your diving wish list on file.

Then when your friends and family come to shop, they'll have your registry items handy to help them make selections.

We've found that the registry makes life easier for everyone.



Mosquito Computer

Think a dive computer is too expensive?

Think again. The Mosquito is a fully functional dive computer for only \$399. It's the newest, lightest weight, highest functioning wrist mount dive computer available.

It will figure your deco stops, has nitrox capability, alarms, and many other features.

It's the perfect way to maximize your bottom time at an affordable price.