

# Come Join US

## Trips for all budgets and time frames

### December 26th to January 1st Key Largo Florida

#### New Year's at Quiescence

Diving in Key Largo, accommodations in the Dorm above Quiescence. Fireworks on December 31st at the dock. 5 days of two tank dives, charter boat, weights and Guide, ALL FOR ONLY \$600.00

### January 15th to 22nd, 2005 Belize/Nekton Pilot

Doing Southern Belize and enjoying the luxury of the Nekton Pilot. Deluxe Live-a-board which includes unlimited diving, tanks, weights, food and accommodations. Each room has private bath with shower, view of the ocean. All this for ONLY \$1695.00 plus airfare.

### February 5th, 2005 Bonne Terre Mine

Diving in a historic lead mine. Up to 3 dives. This is a over-night trip that has 100 plus visibility, water is always the same temperature, covered from the weather. LOTS OF FUN with little expense.

### March 12 - 19, 2005

#### Key Largo Florida Diving with Quiescence

Diving in Key Largo, accommodations in the Dorm above Quiescence. 5 days of two tank dives, charter boat, weights and Guide, ALL FOR ONLY \$600.00

### May 8 - 14, 2005

#### Key Largo Florida Diving with Quiescence

Diving in Key Largo, accommodations in the Dorm above Quiescence. 5 days of two tank dives, charter boat, weights and Guide, ALL FOR ONLY \$600.00

### June 18 - 25, 2005

#### DIVE DIVE DIVE Nassau Bahamas

Diving with Dive Dive Dive, accommodations at Dive Dive Dive, double occupancy. 6 days of two tank dives, charter boat, weights and Guide, ALL FOR ONLY ~\$1495.00

**FOR MORE INFORMATION:**  
Call (812) 336-2527, or visit us on line

at [info@southernindianascuba.com](mailto:info@southernindianascuba.com)

“~” approximate price

^ Dorm at Quiescence Dive Center. Upgrades can be arranged

**NOTE:** prices, locations, dive centers, hotels subject to change without notice. Only those signed up for the trip at the time of the change will be notified.

## TRIP CALENDAR

Key Largo	November 21 - 27
Key Largo	December 26 – 1/1
Belize Nekton Pilot	January 15 – 22
Bonne Terra Mine	February 5th
Key Largo	March 12 - 19
Key Largo	May 8 - 14
DIVE DIVE DIVE	June 18 - 25
Key Largo	July 17th - 23rd
Flower Garden	August 14 - 20

All trips require a deposit, and a signed contract. Some do not include airfare, see our store staff for details.

**\*\*\*FEATURE TRIP FOR 2005\*\*\***

## DIVE DIVE DIVE Nassau, Bahamas

**June 18th to June 25th, 2005**

Come join Southern Indiana Scuba in Nassau in June.

The price includes five days of diving, accommodations (double occupancy), and transfers to and from Airport. We can price this trip WITH OR WITHOUT air fare. Nitrox is available by the week or daily.

Dive Dive Dive is a small island resort that can only host up to twelve guests in their three villas. The villas are located on our waterway that accesses the ocean. They have two great dive boats that dock at your villas' backdoor! The Sea Wind is forty foot craft licensed for 28 divers. Usually the numbers of divers on a trip is about sixteen so everyone has plenty of room. Their other boat, the Sea Dancer, is thirty seven feet and is licensed for 20 divers. A trip will consist of only ten to twelve divers so that everyone has plenty of space to relax and stow their gear.

They run a higher ratio of staff per guest than most dive operations which gives their guest more services and options. The staff is friendly and personable and will know you by name in no time. To Dive Dive Dive you are not a number, you are a guest! Many former guests have made lifelong friends with the staff and stay in contact with them long after they return home. We dive along the Tongue of the Ocean and anchor in about thirty five to forty feet of water on the first dive to explore a reef or dive the wall. We recommend that you stay at about seventy feet.

The second dive is between twenty and forty feet on either a reef or a wreck. They have other numerous dive sites, as well as, the famous shark feedings.

The cost is \$805.00 per person based on double occupancy. Not all taxes, departure fee, food, and rental equipment are included in this price.



# The Diver's Connection



## Southern Indiana Scuba

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## Upcoming Classes

### Discover Scuba

Date	Time	Location	Inst.
December 3 <sup>rd</sup>	7:00 - 8:30 pm	S.I.S.	SIS Staff
January 7 <sup>th</sup>	7:00 - 8:30 pm	S.I.S.	SIS Staff
January 9 <sup>th</sup>	1:00 - 3:00 pm	S.I.S.	SIS Staff
February 4 <sup>th</sup>	7:00 - 8:30 pm	S.I.S.	SIS Staff
February 20 <sup>th</sup>	1:00 - 3:00 pm	S.I.S.	SIS Staff
March 4 <sup>th</sup>	7:00 - 8:30 pm	S.I.S.	SIS Staff
March 6 <sup>th</sup>	1:00 - 3:00 pm	S.I.S.	SIS Staff
April 1 <sup>st</sup>	7:00 - 8:30 pm	S.I.S.	SIS Staff
April 10 <sup>th</sup>	1:00 - 3:00 pm	S.I.S.	SIS Staff
May 6 <sup>th</sup>	7:00 - 8:30 pm	S.I.S.	SIS Staff
May 7 <sup>th</sup>	1:00 - 3:00 pm	S.I.S.	SIS Staff

### Weekend Open Water Classes

Date Sat & Sun	Time	Location	Inst.
Jan. 8 <sup>th</sup> , 9 <sup>th</sup>	8:30 am - 4 pm	S.I.S.	SIS Staff
Feb 19 <sup>th</sup> , 20 <sup>th</sup>	8:30 am - 4 pm	S.I.S.	SIS Staff
March. 5 <sup>th</sup> , 6 <sup>th</sup>	8:30 am - 4 pm	S.I.S.	SIS Staff
April. 9 <sup>th</sup> , 10 <sup>th</sup>	8:30 am - 4 pm	S.I.S.	SIS Staff

### 6 Week Course

Date	Time	Location	Inst.
Jan. 7 <sup>th</sup>	7:00 - 10:00 pm	S.I.S.	SIS Staff
Feb 18 <sup>th</sup>	7:00 - 10:00 pm	S.I.S.	SIS Staff
April. 1 <sup>st</sup>	7:00 - 10:00 pm	S.I.S.	SIS Staff

### Adventure/Advanced Open Water Diver

Date	Time	Location	Inst
Jan. 6 <sup>th</sup>	7:00 - 10:00 pm	S.I.S.	SIS Staff
Feb 10 <sup>th</sup>	7:00 - 10:00 pm	S.I.S.	SIS Staff
March 24 <sup>th</sup>	7:00 - 10:00 pm	S.I.S.	SIS Staff
April 21 <sup>st</sup>	7:00 - 10:00 pm	S.I.S.	SIS Staff



**PADI**

### Rescue Diver

Date	Time	Location	Inst.
Jan 13 <sup>th</sup> , 27 <sup>th</sup> , Feb 4 <sup>th</sup>	7:00 - 10:00 pm	S.I.S.	SIS Staff
Feb 17 <sup>th</sup> , Mar 3 <sup>rd</sup> , 11 <sup>th</sup>	7:00 - 10:00 pm	S.I.S.	SIS Staff
Mar 30 <sup>th</sup> , Apr 14 <sup>th</sup> , 22 <sup>nd</sup>	7:00 - 10:00 pm	S.I.S.	SIS Staff
Apr 28 <sup>th</sup> , May 12 <sup>th</sup> , 20 <sup>th</sup>	7:00 - 10:00 pm	S.I.S.	SIS Staff

### Emergency First Response (EFR first aid and CPR)

Date	Time	Location	Inst.
Jan 20 <sup>th</sup>	7:00 - 10:00 pm	S.I.S.	SIS Staff
Feb 24 <sup>th</sup>	7:00 - 10:00 pm	S.I.S.	SIS Staff
April 7 <sup>th</sup>	7:00 - 10:00 pm	S.I.S.	SIS Staff
May 5 <sup>th</sup>	7:00 - 10:00 pm	S.I.S.	SIS Staff

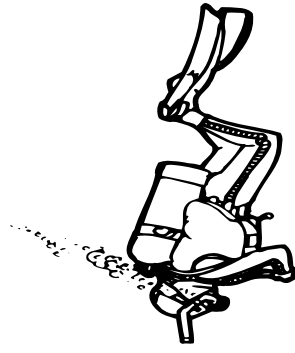
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Date	Time	Location	Inst.
Jan 12 <sup>th</sup>	7:00 - 10:00 pm	S.I.S.	SIS Staff
Feb 23 <sup>rd</sup>	7:00 - 10:00 pm	S.I.S.	SIS Staff
April 6 <sup>th</sup>	7:00 - 10:00 pm	S.I.S.	SIS Staff
May 4 <sup>th</sup>	7:00 - 10:00 pm	S.I.S.	SIS Staff

### Divemaster

Date	Time	Location	Instructor
January 31 <sup>st</sup>	7:00 - 10:00 pm	SIS	SIS Staff

Course	Date	Time	Location
EAN	Self-paced	anytime	S.I.S.
PADI Seal Team*	Call for Time and Date		
Rebreathers Self-paced	anytime		S.I.S.
Discover U/W Photo	Call for Date & Times		
Full Face Mask Class	Call for Date & Time		



**NOTE:** Prices, Classes and requirements subject to change without notices. For the most up-to-date information please check at with Southern Indiana Scuba. **Classes are NON-REFUNDABLE.**

## New changes to our Training Classes

### Adventure Diver / Advanced Open Water Diver

Adventure Diver/Advanced Open Water pricing and structure has changed. New starting as of November 1<sup>st</sup>, 2004. Material covered in lecture will be Deep Diver and U/W Navigation and 3 specialties of your choice. Adventure Diver/Advanced Open Water is priced as follows:



Cost for the lecture and material **ONLY \$95.00** whether you are doing the Adventurer Diver or Advanced Open Water Diver course. When you complete the course, you will be ready for open water dives. NOW you have options, you can purchase the introduction dives that interest you.

Each dive is priced as per dive, some are not available locally and some are not available on trips. After completing 3 dives, you are qualified to be certified as a Adventure Diver. After completing 5 dives (Deep and UW Navigation required, plus 3 electives), you are qualified to be certified as an Advanced Open Water Diver.



### Rescue Diver

PADI redesigned the Rescue Diver to be more up-to-date. What the change means for you future Rescue Divers is this:

PADI now requires that by the second module in lecture you must be CPR/First Aid certified. So we are scheduling our classes so that we can help with this. We will meet one week, then skip a week from Rescue and offer Emergency First Response (EFR) that week, then return to the lecture for one more night. On the third meeting, we will be going to the pool and finish there. Now for your Open Water Dives, you do 4 scenarios in ONE DAY OF DIVING.

The cost for JUST RESCUE DIVER is \$195.00. This includes material, use of equipment for the pool, and lecture. What is NOT included is the fee for open water dives, the fee is \$39.50.

This includes all equipment for the class except for your mask, fins, snorkel and boots.

Combine and SAVE sign up for Rescue and EFR at the same time and **SAVE \$50.00.**

### Emergency First Response(EFR)

Emergency First Response (EFR) is the fastest-growing international CPR, Automatic External Defibrillator (AED) and First Aid training organization.



Dedicated to training the lay rescuer, EFR courses encompasses adult CPR skills, provides AED and First Aid training, and feature an outstanding component. Many divers take the Emergency First Response courses to meet program prerequisites, such as PADI Rescue Diver, or as preparation for becoming a PADI Dive-master. However, most have also found the EFR program to be important in every day life. They have taken a significant step in emergency preparedness, and feel confident that they can provide care should an emergency situation arise.

The Emergency First Response program meets requirements for CPR and First Aid in the workplace (OSHA Guideline 29 CFR 1910.151), and incorporates the latest procedures for emergency patient care.

Other organizations that recognize EFR as meeting their requirements are United States Coast Guard, The Boy Scouts of America, and the American Council on Exercise (ACE), to name a few.

No dive certification required

No minimum age limit

Student Kit

EFR first aid package part # 67005

PIC

The cost of this course is \$125.00. **Special Package Price for EFR and Rescue if signed up at the same time \$270.00. A SAVING OF \$50.00**

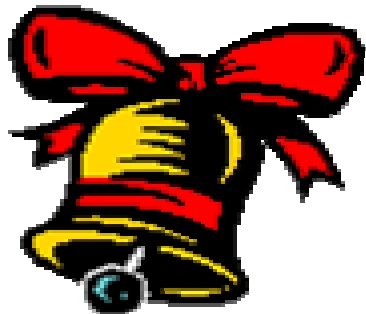


**Continuing Education is ALWAYS a GREAT GIFT IDEA !!!**

## Words from Mark

The past couple of months have been interesting (interpreted: challenging). The price of fuels, insurance premiums, and all business expenses have increased dramatically. As noted in previous e-mails, I thought that we were going to move due to a sizeable rent increase and a rumor that the owners intended to close this store. After considerable negotiations SIS will remain at this location for at least one more year.

After studying our travel schedule and considering the factors in planning next year's dives, we are planning more trips in the \$1400.00 to \$1500.00 dollar range in the Caribbean and U. S. locations. Your ideas and suggestions for trips are welcome. Please let me know if you have any thoughts on planning dive trips. At the present time we are considering trips to Dive Dive Dive in Nassau, Panama City Florida, and North Carolina. PLEASE give us your input!!!



Our dive family has a new member after logging nine months bottom time. Alexandra Charlotte Chance was born to Cristina Brooks and Cory Chance on October 30, 2004. She is Kim's and my first grandchild. We agree and beam with pride when someone says, "SHE IS THE MOST BEAUTIFUL, AND GIFTED CHILD THERE IS." We may be a little bias, however, Mom and baby are fine and are resting at home. If anyone would like to see or read more about her checkout : <http://www.southernindianascuba.com/lexi>



### **Rental Equipment SALE**

**All 2004 rental equipment is NOW on SALE!**

Some rental equipment is as much as 70% off retail. All 2004 rental equipment REDUCED in price. The 2005 equipment is arriving, and we need to make room.

If you have already laid away some equipment, now is the time to pick it up. All layaways need to be picked up NO later than December 11, 2004.

## **HOLIDAY SEASONS**

The Holiday Season is upon us Again. The time is drawing near when we begin to think about what to get that VERY SPECIAL PERSON in our life.

Diving is a hobby for a life time, as you are well aware, being a diver or a friend of a diver. All they seem to be able to talk about is where they have dove or where they are going to dive next, or where they want to go. Diving is an adventure whether diving locally or in some FAR AWAY tropical island. Sometimes it is life changing. Some divers have developed a part-time job from their hobby. Others just keep it a hobby. No matter if diving is a part-time job, or a just a favorite hobby, all divers have a wish list for new or better equipment. They all will say that diving is the GREATEST thing they have ever done. If you want to make a diver's eyes LIGHT UP and spark their attention, ask them about their dives and their gear! Give that special someone in your life a gift that will keep giving. Give them SCUBA lessons or continuing education classes or a new piece of gear they yearn to own.. MAKE THEIR CHRISTMAS A SPECIAL ONE.



## **Annual Christmas Party Open House**

Come Join our Annual Christmas Open House/ Christmas Party December 18th from 10:00 to 5:00 pm We will provide food trays, holiday snacks, Kim's Famous Cider and lots of fun. Stop by and visit. Bring your favorite snack to share, just hang out and have some fun. While you are here check out our sale items. Stay for a while or stay all day. Come tell us about your latest adventure or come listen to other's great adventure. We look forward to sharing our party with you. Mark your calendar.



### **NEW items for Christmas for the Big KIDS in your Life**

New items for Christmas this year at Southern Indiana Scuba: Diver Propulsion Vehicles, Full Face Mask with Communication, Olympus Digital Camera with U/W housing, Quiescence Trip Coupons, Dry suit, Dry suit classes, Gift certificates, NEW AO shirt designs and much much more. Shop where Santa shops!

**Check us out for holiday gifts & special savings**



## *Gift Ideas for your divers at this Holiday Season*

### **Under \$10.00**

Pewter Key Chains  
Sea Quick Antifog  
Slates  
Wetsuit Hanger  
Drysuit Hanger



### **Under \$20.00**

Mesh Tank  
Bag  
Witz Lockers  
for glasses and misc.  
Slap Strap Mask Straps  
AO T shirts  
Aqua Flare Tank Light  
Snorkeling Fins  
Dive Weights  
Tortuga Rum Cakes  
DAN First Aid Kits  
Aquamira Water Bottles  
AquaSphere Swim Goggles



### **Under \$50.00**

Tool Master scuba Tool  
DAN First Aid Kit  
Logbook binders  
Mini Q 40 lights  
Akona Deluxe Mesh back-  
pack bag  
Dive Skin shirts and pants  
Akona Dry Fanny Pack  
Trident Deluxe Tool Kit  
Sea Horse Dry Box  
AquaSphere Swim Fins  
Embroidered SIS Shirts  
Deep See Otter Mask,  
Splash Fins package

### **Under \$100.00**

C-4 Light  
Aqua Lung Blade  
II fins  
Akona Roller Bag  
Response Fins  
Pro Pak Light set  
Suunto Download  
Software  
Pony Bottle  
Deep Sea Knife  
Aqua Lung Surface  
Observational Signaling  
Device  
Dive Alert Signals  
Deep See 3mm Wetsuit  
Aqua Lung Mask  
Scuba Pro Mask  
Advanced Open Water  
Class



### **Under \$200.00**

Neutral 80 cu. ft. 3300psi  
Aqua Lung ABS octopus  
Scuba Pro Twin Jet Fins  
Rescue Class  
  
Scuba Pro Crystal Vu,  
Everflex Boots, Aqua Lung  
Blade II

### **Under \$300.00**

Aqua Lung Latitude BCD  
EVA BCD  
Citizen Eco-Drive dive  
watch  
Spare Air  
Aqua Lung Air Source 2  
Scuba Pro Air 2  
Open Water Certification  
Class

***Gift Ideas for your divers at this Holiday Season***

**Under \$500.00**

Suunto Gekko  
dive Computer  
Tribal Pak light set  
Scuba Pro MK2 R390  
Aqua Lung Titan LX Reg  
Aqua Lung Legend  
Maxtec O2 Analyzer  
Sunnto Mosquito Dive Com-  
puter



**Under \$600.00**

Sea Do Scooter  
  
Olympus Stylus 410 w u/w  
housing  
  
Calypso ABS Oct and 2  
gauge Console



**Under \$800.00**

Suunto Cobra Com-  
puter Only  
VYTEC Computer  
only  
Texas Flower Gar-  
den Trip  
Florida Keys Trip  
Full Face Mask  
Sea Quest Pro QD  
Scuba Pro Glide  
Plus  
Scuba Pro Knight Hawk  
Sea Quest Black Diamond  
Sea Quest Balance  
Scuba Pro MK2 R390, R390  
Oct, 2 gauge Console



**Under \$1,000.00**

NIRA II Full Face Mask with  
Comm.  
  
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download software  
  
Titan LX, ABS Oct  
and Gekko Computer



**Under \$1,500.00**

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fication  
  
Complete Sherwood Oasis  
Sherwood Oct and Wisdom  
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