

New Mexico Scuba Center
July, 2010

Back by popular demand...Purchase a Total Diving System (BC/ Regulator with Alternate Air Source/ Complete Instrument System) and get a FREE 3mm full wetsuit. (Not valid with any other special)

Remember NMSC will be closed Saturday, Sunday & Monday (July 3rd, 4th & 5th) for the holiday weekend.

Oceanic Summer Special - CRUZ BC, Neo CDX5 Regulator, VEO 1.0 Combo, Alpha 8 Octopus – regular price \$1,500.00 on sale for \$999.95

Back by popular demand...trade in your old computer, from any manufacturer and purchase the fully loaded Wisdom 2 dive computer for only \$600 you save \$295!!

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What's new:

Raffle to Cayman Brac: (\$1,750.00 value) Includes 8 days and 7 nights lodging, food (3 meals a day), transfers, service charges and 6 days 2 tank morning dives and 5 days 1 tank afternoon dives (17 dives total). Based on double occupancy. \$5.00 per ticket or 5 tickets for \$20.00. Drawing to be held on July 1st. All proceeds will go to the Albuquerque Dive Pirate Chapter. This raffle does NOT include air.

Free 3mm wetsuit: Purchase a Total Diving System (BC/ Regulator with Alternate Air Source/ Complete Instrument System) and get a free 3mm full wetsuit

Training: Open Water, Stress & Rescue, Search & Recovery, Nitrox, 1st Aid/CPR/O2.

Travel: North Carolina – July 12th – 17th \$1400.00, Florida Keys – September 15th \$975.00 + Air, BVI (1st week) November 6th – 14th \$3605.00 (SOLD OUT), BVI (2nd week) November 13th – 21st \$3605.00, Utila – January 29th – February 5th 2011 \$2625.00, Cayman Brac – March (Spring Break) 2011 \$TBA , South Pacific 2011, and anywhere else you want to go.

Practice: Also now being called “Bubbles & Brats” Kevin will be at Blue Hole on the 3rd Sunday (July 18th) to blow some bubbles. He said he will be more than happy to help eat any extra hamburgers and chocolate chip cookies.

Just Stuff!!

- New Mexico Scuba Center is on Facebook. Become a friend!
 - Amphibious Outfitter short and long sleeve T-Shirts are on sale for 20% off
 - Remember - Open Water Classes are now \$285.00.
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Divers That Have Certified in June

Open Water Divers: Daniel Snow, Kevin Lee, Laura Ware, Andrew Boersma, Ellen Shroyer, Ashley Rodgers, Kimberly Mize, Stephen Jannakos, Matthew Jannakos, Michael Jannakos, Jessica Gleen, Jacque Anderson

Junior Open Water Diver: Brandon Hunt, Brendon Carter, Jonathan Chavez, David Chavez, Fredrick Argueta,

Scuba Divers: B.J.Weil, Katalyna Weil

Adaptive Buddy: Richard Wachowski, Michael Nasr, Gregg Wentworth, Travis Wentworth, Virgil Lockhart, Richard Labs

MASTER DIVER CHALLENGE 2010

*******ITS FREE *******

Enroll for the Master Diver challenge. When you achieve your goal of Master Diver (Advanced Open Water Diver, Stress & Rescue Diver and a total of 50 Dives) – you automatically receive at no cost to you –

- A Master Diver Patch
- A Master Diver Card
- A Master Diver Diploma
- A Master Diver T-shirt
- A chance to win a trip from SSI, and a chance to win a give away from NMSC.

Let us help you map out your training program on how to become a Master Diver (remember if you certified here you already have at least 1 specialty towards your Advanced Open Water).

MASTER DIVERS – 2010

**James Hughes
Chris Kenworthy
Tiffany Kenworthy
William Powers
Loriann Powers
Dave Olson**

Remember Diving is not an Adventure of a Lifetime – But a Lifetime of Adventure.

Kathy Finch MD - She is recognized as a DAN physician and is going to be accepting several different insurance policies. She can be reached at 244-0640. www.adulthealthcare.net

Understand shooting underwater digital photos. Learn how to use your camera and strobe. We have a photography class every month.

Remember if you get your camera here; the tuition for the class will be 30% off, and the photography special counts towards becoming a Master Diver.

Captain Si's Pirate Corner:

ROSTER OF BO'SUN'S DUTIES

- ❖ **Manage the sails, rigging, and ship's course.**
- ❖ **Supervise the crew**
- ❖ **Take charge of the ship's stores**
- ❖ **Know how to use the compass, backstaff, and other navigational equipment**
- ❖ **Be familiar with the ports most often used by pirates**
- ❖ **Take control of the ship if the captain is killed or absent**
- ❖ **Command the guns during engagements**
- ❖ **Dole out punishments, including the lash, when necessary**

From Pirateology 2010 calendar

Stay tuned for more next month...argh!

Adaptive Diving

We just returned from the annual Dive Pirates "Good to be Brac" annual trip to Cayman Brac. We had 83 total and 9 of them from here locally. There were lots of acts of piracy to include thousands of water balloons and many battles. The smallest boat Twin Sister (the Albuquerque boat) won all but 1 battle and kicked some serious Pirate Booty. Thanks to our Captain - Menne and First Mate – BJ we did succeed in capturing all of the other boats flags. So remember he with all of the flags wins .And of course fun was had by all. Stay tuned for pictures we will psot them on Facebook.

- If you are interested in becoming and Adaptive Buddy let us know.
- We are assisting Dive Pirates with gear donations for Disabled divers. If you have anything to donate; you can just drop it off here at New Mexico Scuba Center and you will get a receipt from Dive Pirates for your tax deductible donation (Including any cash donation – pennies / nickels / dimes / quarters). Visit Dive Pirates at www.divepirates.org <http://www.divepirates.org/>
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For information on all of the activities log on to nmscuba.com or visit us on Facebook.



Dive Leader Adaptive Training Classes

- Albuquerque – August
- San Marcus – Sept 9th – 12th
- Houston September 2010
- Portland Sept 17 -19, 2010
- Albuquerque October 15-17, 2010

Tech XR Class: (Not just for Techies, Great for recreational divers too!)

As we know the words “Tech” & “Extended Range” come with visions of excessive equipment and training. How can the recreational diver benefit from this advanced training without the excessive training and equipment? Increase your bottom time and safety all at the same time.

Xtreme Excitement

SSI’s TechXR is a well founded Technical Diving program and it was created to take the recreational diver to an extreme level for their diving adventures.

Whether you are looking for the excitement of deep reef diving or the thrill of exploring wrecks located well past 40m (130 feet), SSI TechXR is a way to learn the training and experience necessary for you to complete every new adventure with confidence and skill.

Whatever your current diving ability, extended range diving will challenge you with environments, depths, bottom times, procedures, and equipment not commonly encountered by recreational divers. You will be experiencing advanced levels that require extensive knowledge, enhanced diving skills, and considerable experience.



Advanced Nitrox: All you need is 24 dives (6 of them Nitrox).

- Increase your understanding of diving physics, physiology, and decompression theory
- Select and configure the diving equipment system that is best for you
- Get an introduction to advanced dive planning and gas management procedures
- Select an optimized gas blend and minimize potential decompression obligation.
- Be introduced to the use of decompression gasses.

Travel 2010

North Carolina – July 12th – 17th \$1400.00

Florida Keys – September 15th – 19th \$975.00 + Air

BVI (first week) – November 6th – 14th, 2010 (SOLD OUT) - \$3605.00

BVI (second week) November 13th – 21st \$3605.00

Utila – January 29th – February 5th, 2011 \$2625.00

Cayman Brac – Spring 2011

South Pacific – 2011

For more detailed information go to www.nmscuba.com/travelpackages

Travel Tip

Thou shalt not worry, for he that worries hath no pleasure; and few things are ever fatal.

Complied by Bob Goddess

Diving:

Need some pool time or just want to blow some bubbles? Come join us in the pool or in Santa Rosa. Give us a call so we can reserve a spot for you.

Kevin will not be at Blue Hole this month July 18th for Bubbles & Brats. Remember Kevin loves chocolate chip cookies!!!

Check out our **class schedule** for more info on training and events

Thank you for spending a little time with us
and please come in and see us!

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