



Newsletter - October 2009

Finally it would appear that summer has arrived and we've been able to get out diving all day on our long lost South Coast (hence the two-week late newsletter)!



Upcoming Courses...

Discover Scuba: Thursday, 6:15pm at Freyberg Pool...call us to book you or your friends in. Cost is just \$10 plus your pool entry fee. Remember...**it's not just for newbies**...if you're already a qualified diver you're more than welcome to come along and practice your skills. Just give us a call and let us know you'll be there. **Please note there'll be a short break from Discover Scubas over the Christmas to allow ample time for parties and socialising. Normal service will be resumed on the 7th January, 2010.**

Open Water: Confined Water Training Thursdays at Freyberg Pool. Open Water training Wednesday evenings and weekends. Give us a call for more info or if you'd like to arrange other days for training.

Advanced Open Water: 5 fun dives and no exams! Build up your confidence in the water, fine tune your old skills and learn plenty of new ones in the PADI Advanced Open Water Diver Course. Times are flexible and we're always keen for a dive so get in touch to become an Advanced Open Water Diver.

*Of course The Dive Guys realise that, unlike those of us that work in the dive industry, some of you have real jobs and need a bit of flexibility with course timetables. We are more than happy to accommodate you on this...just ask!

Dive Trips...

For more details on any of our dive trips check out
In Water Adventures on our website...

All trips are subject to dive conditions on the day. All deposits are transferable but non-refundable. If you think you'll need to hire gear please let us know in advance so we can accommodate you as we may have courses running simultaneously.

White Island:

Cost: **\$699**

Date: **12th to 15th March, 2010**



Includes three nights accommodation at a very stylish bach just out of Whakatane, 4 dives on a live volcano, breakfast and dinner, air fills, weights and a great time!

Let us know if you need gear hire...half price for the weekend! And, as always, non-diver partners welcome...there's plenty of exploring to do above sea-level too in this part of the world.

F69:

Cost: **\$75**



Date: **mid to late January** We'll be arranging more trips to Wellington's best known wreck early in the New Year so get in touch with us for more details.

FIJI!!!

Cost: **TBA**

Date: July 2010

8 nights,

20 dives, tropical waters

And all the Kava you can

drink! More details to follow very soon

so give us a call to escape those winter blues!



Special Offers!

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- **INTOVA CP8 digital camera**

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- **Dive Guys Gift Vouchers** available for those of you still hunting for last minute pressies...give us a call and we can get them sent out to you



General Chit-Chat...

- ❖ Congratulations to Mike on passing yet another Speciality Course and surviving the wrath of the buoyant footed drysuit. He is now one step closer to becoming our newest (and first!) Master Scuba Diver. We wish him all the best and will be dragging him out for dives kicking and screaming over the coming months to get the numbers up...only 30 dives to go Mike!
- ❖ Having survived a recent shark attack in the Napier Aquarium (more like a gumming on the shoulder by an over-friendly lady shark!), and a brief exploration of the middle of the Cook Strait on a Wednesday night dive, we'd like to say well done to Liam (or is it Will?) for sticking with diving and continuing to bring the enthusiasm and the entertainment to our dive crew.
- ❖ Congrats to Thomas for completing his Advanced Open Water Diver Course and everyone else that completed a course over the past few weeks...well done on surviving the less than ideal weather.

