



Alberta Adventure Divers

Sept. 2, 2014

*Moving to the next dive season....
We have lots of diving to look forward to:*



Rescue course: Sept. 13 & 14th:

This is a course many call their most memorable PADI course, and if you've got the Advanced Open Water Program under your belt, this is your next step towards your PADI Master Scuba Diver Rating. Students will gain skills to save themselves and other divers from a potentially dangerous situation.

The Rescue program encompasses rescue techniques such as prevention, readiness to respond, first aid, cpr & AED review, decompression injuries, underwater searches, specialized equipment. This weekend of open water training scenarios has divers experience simulated "real life" situations that they could encounter in a real diving situation such as out of air divers, missing divers, a panic diver, diver with a pressure related injury, diver requiring immediate first aid, unconscious diver and many other scenarios.

This course is a must for anyone who is an avid diver, especially the diver who dives down south on vacation and is likely to experience a diver who's received improper training or a diver who has NOT kept up their diving skills, equipment or knowledge.



Divers need to be certified Advanced Open Water, and have current First Aid/CPR.

Note: Emergency First Response course is available the week before the course, at the dive store.

Course Cost is only \$310 and includes PADI Rescue Diver crewpak. If you're interested in this course sign up for the e-learning for Rescue, and start your journey to safer diving today.



Mexico holiday: Nov 6-13: We are returning to one of our favourite places – Puerto Aventuras, Mexico. See the attached poster for details, and email if you are interested in joining us. Some details are still being finalized, but we do need expressions of interest so we book enough rooms. The last time we were there it was the 'year of the turtle', as we saw so many turtles. On our last dive, we saw a seahorse!

Puerto is a marina and fishing village. It is about one hour south of



Cancun, and the location on the Riviera Maya is perfect for excursions to the area's best sights and activities along the Caribbean coastline, including cenotes for swimming and snorkeling. It's also just a stone's throw away from the popular eco-adventure parks of X'caret, Xplor and Xel-Ha for all day entertainment, water sports and fun. The resort itself is a great place to holiday! This holiday is very suitable for divers with non-diving family members who want to holiday.



Dive store: Good luck in school Alexa! We sure miss you.

Pumpkin Dive: Oct 4th: Divers, start working on your design! See attached poster for details. Please pass this around to all your dive buddies. We love to have a very well attended event, and it is a nice way to wrap up our Alberta and Sask. dive season.



 October 17 & 18, 2014 Oasis Center 10930 - 177 Street Edmonton, AB	
Early Bird Tickets Gold Pass: \$120 pp+	
International Speakers (TBA) Film Presentations Exhibitors Workshops Dive Gear and/or Dive Travel Prizes Raffle & Silent Auction	Buy online now! Divescapes all Inclusive Gold Pass \$120 pp+ (After Sept 7: \$140 pp+)
Weekend Schedule Friday Night (8-10 pm) 5:30 pm BBQ (Hamburger/Spicy Italian Sausage), Cash Bar Extra 7-9pm Presentations 8-10pm Cocktails with VIPs (cash bar) Saturday Presentations (Full Day 9am-4pm) Saturday Night (8:30pm-10:30pm) • Cocktails (cash bar extra) • followed by Dinner Banquet (catered by The Bowmont) & Film Show	Other Options Dinner & Film Show Pass only: \$90+ Sat Full Day: \$50+ (Balcony Seating only) Optional Workshops Extra, TBA
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Divescapes: Oct 17 & 18th: If you are a facebooker, or visit the AUC website, you will know that there are some great speakers confirming their attendance. Make sure to sign up on line!

David and I will be there for the additional session on Friday with Jill Heinerth. We heard her speak in the Calgary Divescapes in 2009, and are looking forward to her session on photography. It will be worth taking a day off work!

Dive night recap: Another great summer of dive nights has come to an end! It was great to see newly certified divers gaining experience; DM's and AI's working on completing required dive activities; and the various adventures divers encountered! Honourable mention to Vance and Dan for amazing attendance!



See you at the Rescue course!

Connie & David Faas
 Alberta Adventure Divers

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