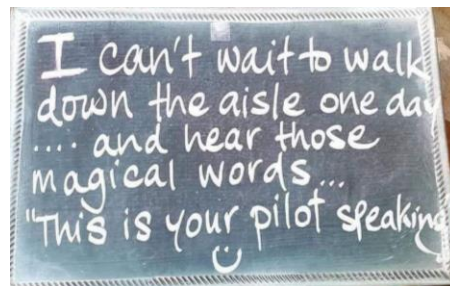




Alberta Adventure Divers Sept. 12, 2022

Fall dive adventures
Dive travel trips return!
Join us on one of our dive adventures!



Clear Lake update: This summer has been amazing! We've enjoyed great dive events, fantastic dive buddies and fun times. Summer goes by far too quickly. Our final Tues. dive night was peaceful and calm, with the light of a full moon.



The visibility is very good; join us for a local dive:

Spt 17 at Clear Lake

- fun dives and tidy up course for pumpkin dive

Spt 24 at Cold Lake – the mouth of Cold River

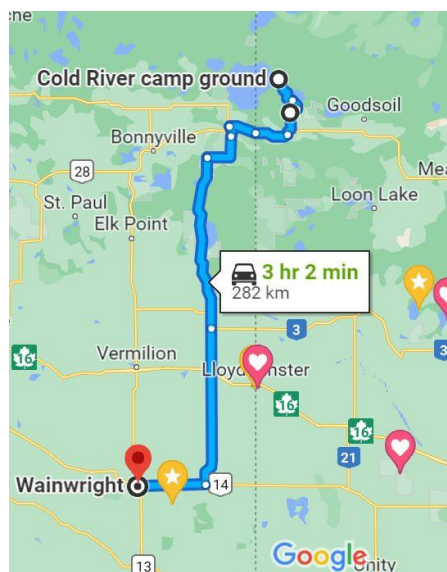
- River snorkel / shallow dive with lake trout

Oct 1 Clear Lake Pumpkin dive

- Join us exploring one of Canada's top dive adventure locations

Oct 28/29 Divescapes Conference –held at River Cree, Edmonton

Sign up at the dive shop for any of these adventures!



Spt 24: Cold River trout spawn – this is a cool adventure, which we've wanted to do for a very long time; to dive with lake trout right beside you. It is very shallow and can be done on snorkel as well. Visibility at the mouth of the river is very clear. The lake is closed to trout fishing from Sept 15 to Nov 15 – leave the fishing gear behind. We plan to leave Wainwright at 8 am, arriving at the Cold River about 11 am. We'll spend the afternoon here, then head to Cold Lake for supper before returning to Wainwright. Who wants to carpool?

Oct 1: Pumpkin dive !!!!!!! Always a fun time to visit with dive buddies and enjoy one of the final dive events of the year. A two-dive event – a mystery dive followed by carving your pumpkin underwater.

Oct 28/29: Divescapes: I would love to have a huge table representing Alberta Adventure Divers. The speakers are always excellent, there is a variety of topics, and we'll meet our dive buddies from all around. Check it out at <https://www.divescapes.ca/>

Dive travel opportunities: If the date or location is of interest, contact the dive store for details!

- **Sea of Cortez!** Oct 14 – 24: This trip is full, we are fortunate to have snagged four berths. We return from the liveboard trip and go directly to Divescapes – we'll be full of stories to share.
- **St. Lucia – Jan 21-28, 2023: heavenly tropical diving:** We have dates confirmed for a return trip. This will be our first dives in four years without our dry suit! Prices and information attached. January is coming up quickly!
- **BC diving – Vancouver – Feb 16-20, 2023:** Canadian diving at its best! A return to the Sea Dragon and Howe Sound.
- **Guadalupe shark cage diving – Sept 25-30, 2023:** We'll try this bucket list trip once again.



Prescription masks: Do you see what I see???? Connie has a new glasses prescription and am sending my mask to my favourite shop for new lens'. If you wish to save on shipping charges contact the shop and we'll add your mask to the order.

Clear Lake changes:

This summer has seen a lot of movement in Clear Lake. Check it out at the pumpkin dive!

- **Gus is back!!!** After the deflation of Gus I last fall, the shark cage has been a lonely place. Do not fear – Gus II is here! Check out his resplendent glory as he reigns over the shark cage.
- **UW scaffold construction 101:** Last summer we built scaffold on the surface. Imagine our surprise when we found scaffold pieces underwater this spring! Building underwater is a new challenge.



- **Elevation of Artifacts:** we love the opportunity to rise items off of the silt lake bottom. Lift bags were in use virtually every dive this summer – items were moved and lifted onto scaffold. It's not as easy as you might think – especially when the 2,000 lb lift bag does not have enough lift!



- **Macro life:** We have learned about the macro life in Clear Lake, and our minds are exploding. More on this...next newsletter – out of room now.

Connie & David Faas

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