Spring Break Scuba Course

Earn credit on trip to Florida

Key Largo, Florida March 18-24, 2012
Wildlife Fisheries Course: NRC 121 Warm Water Advanced

1. Meeting  To discuss details of the trip, settle accounts and facilitate car pooling. A MANDATORY MEETING will be held on:
FRIDAY February 24, 2012, at 7:00 PM IN HERTER RM 116 ON THE UMASS CAMPUS.
STUDENTS WISHING TO PARTICIPATE IN THE TRIP MUST ATTEND THIS MEETING.

2. Trip Dates  March 18-24, 2012, Arrival time being from 12 noon to 3 pm on the 18th, Departure after 9 am on the 24th.

3. Purpose  Continued dive training and experience in warm water.

4. Certification  Week long course leads to NAUI Advanced Scuba Diver certification.

5. Requirements  Minimum requirements for students wishing to participate in course are that applicants MUST be:
 a) Certified by a recognized agency. (NAUI, PADI, YMCA, etc.).
 b) Enrolled in a certification course and recommended by their instructor.
 c) Finished with the classroom and pool work, lacking only dives for certification.
 Students wishing to receive credit must register with their school before the trip.

6. Diving  Included in the trip are eight boat dives, two beach dives in John Pennekamp Coral Reef State Park. All boat charters are included
in trip cost. Diving subject to weather conditions. Topics covered include: boat diving techniques, underwater navigation, marine
environment, night diving, and deep diving. We will be diving with OCEAN DIVERS in Key Largo. Their phone number 1-305-451-1113.

7. Lodging  We will be staying at the Key Largo Kampground and Marina, 101551 Overseas Highway, Key Largo, Fl. 33037.
Their phone number is 1-305-451-1431. Tents are provided.

8. Equipment  Students must provide:
Mask  Regulator w/pressure gauge  Snorkel
Fins  Buoyancy Compensator  Wetsuit
Note: Project DEEP regulators w/pressure gauges and B.C.’s can be rented for $25 each for the week. They will be transported
to and from Key Largo for you.
Project DEEP will provide:
Tanks  Weight belts  Dive Lights  Cyalume sticks

9. Food  Breakfast is provided at a local restaurant, starting on the 19th and ending on the 23th.

10. Travel  Transportation for the course is not provided by Project DEEP. The course starts in Key Largo, how you get there is up to you.
Students will also need to provide their own transportation in Key Largo. There will be a general meeting to help arrange car
pooling.

11. Cost  $575 covers all costs except:
Personal gear (dive equipment and bedding)
Travel (including transportation in Key Largo)
Expenses (dinner each night & miscellaneous expenses)
Final payments are due by February 24, 2012.

Payment  A deposit of $200.00 will reserve a space. Final payments are due by February 24, 2012. Personal checks, ($15 fee for bounced
checks), and Money orders accepted. Please, no cash. $100 of the $575 is a non-refundable registration fee.
Cancellations within 3 weeks of trip date result in full forfeiture.

Recommendations  Here are some things you may find useful to have on your trip.
Air mattress or bedroll. (Ground is coral gravel), Sleeping bag, pillow, Water proof watch or dive timer. Small
cooler, 7 mm wetsuit pants and jacket. Compass for learning navigational techniques.