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PRIVATE COURSE FOR 2

PADI OPEN WATER DIVE COURSE



WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW

Information on training, equipment, dive medicals for the course and continuing education.

Please note accommodation is not included.

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We provide the majority of the equipment you will need for the course, however, you will need to provide the following items:

- Mask (required)
- Snorkel (required)
- Gloves (recommended, but not required)
- Bathers (pool session only)

For the duration of the course, you will be responsible for all the equipment and will need to be able to transport it to both the pool session and Bicheno the following weekend.

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EQUIPMENT CARE



PADI OWSI Rex Gorham exiting the water in full gear after a night dive

As you are responsible for your equipment over the course, it is important to wash all your gear in fresh water after the pool session, and again after the Bicheno weekend before returning it. Maintaining your gear properly is a key component of the course. Your instructor will discuss this with you in further detail.

Any damage to the dive equipment will incur a cost for repair/replacement.

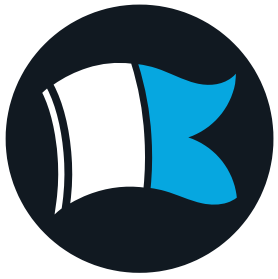
You will be required to transport a tub of gear & four dive cylinders.



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WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW

All the theory content is now available online through the PADI eLearning portal. Once the course has been booked and paid for, this will be made available to the students.

The theory content takes approximately 8 - 10 hours to complete.

Our PADI Open Water Course is usually split over two weekends comprising of a pool session on the first Saturday, with the following weekend spent in Bicheno (subject to weather conditions and student numbers)

With a private course, you can choose your dates. Whether it be over two weekends, three days in a row, or any combination you desire

During the pool session, there will be a short swim test. Please bring bathers and a towel.



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DIVE MEDICALS

DO I NEED ONE?

You are required to complete a confidential medical questionnaire.

This questionnaire is sent out with your eLearning and is accessed via your digital forms online. If you have any issues accessing your digital forms, please let us know.

You must complete these forms prior to the pool session.

Any positive responses to the questions will require you to obtain a dive medical.

If you are aged over 40 a dive medical is highly recommended.

If you require a dive medical, please contact us for further paperwork and information.

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WHAT NEXT?

WHERE TO GO

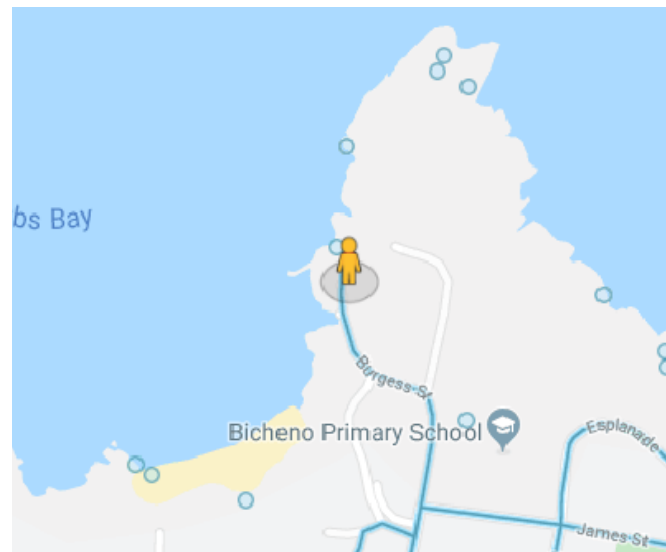
For our Northern students, the pool session is conducted at Riverside Aquatic Centre in Summer and the Launceston Aquatic Centre in Winter.

For our Southern students, the pool session is conducted at either the Clarence Aquatic Centre or the Glenorchy pool. Students will be contacted the week prior to inform them of the location.

During the pool session there will be a short swim test. Please bring bathers and a towel.

The ocean dives of our courses are conducted from the 'Breakwall' at Waubs Bay, Bicheno.

The entry point can be located at the end of Burgess Street.



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BICHENO WEEKEND

During the Open Water component of the course, you'll spend Saturday & Sunday diving in Waubs Bay, Bicheno.

You will need to meet at the Breakwall at 10 am on Saturday.

Both days will involve two in-water sessions. It is suggested to bring a packed lunch and plenty of water as you may not necessarily have time to go buy food between dives.



STAY HYDRATED

PLEASE BRING PLENTY OF WATER

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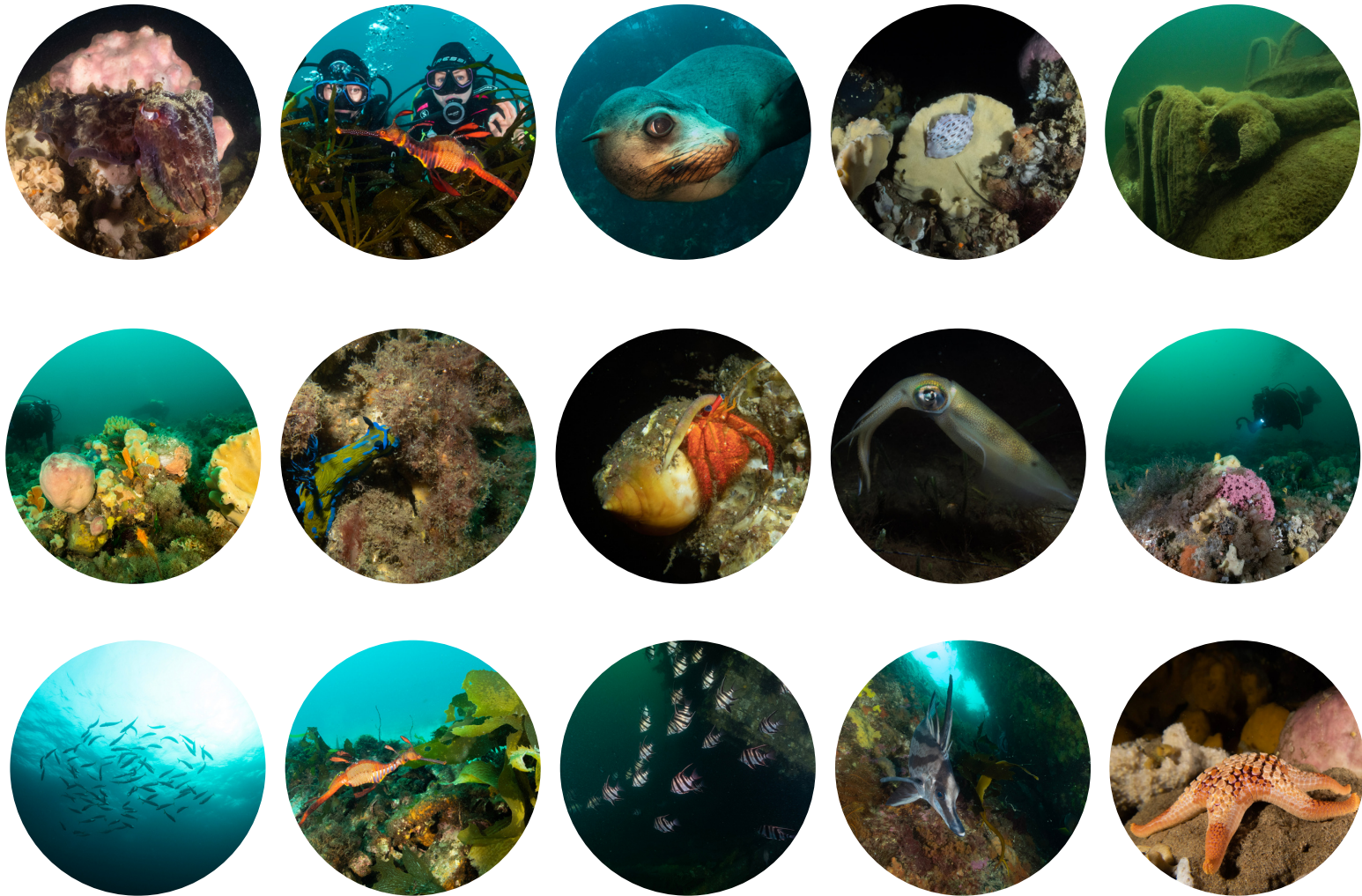
Now I'm certified, where can I go diving?

JOIN OUR DIVE CLUB!

The biggest challenge after completing your PADI Open Water Course is finding a dive buddy to go exploring with.

Our club members enjoy in-store discounts and heavily discounted equipment hire.

Follow us on Facebook at [Tasmanian Divers Group](#) to keep up to date with everything that is happening around Tasmania!



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CONTINUING EDUCATION

WHAT WILL YOUR NEXT DIVE ADVENTURE BE?

The next step will be to participate in the **PADI Advanced Open Water Diver Course!** Don't let the name mislead you. You don't have to be advanced to do this course. Also we do recommend to get a few more dives under your belt, you can complete this course right after your Open Water Course.

It is aimed at building confidence and further developing your dive skills through a number of Adventure dives (including **Night Diving, Deep Diving, a Navigation Dive and Boat Dives**). Upon completion you will be certified to dive to a depth of 30 meters and will have mastered new dive skills.

Five different dives all under the expert guidance of your PADI Instructor.



Check out our website for more information and to see which courses we offer, visit tasdivers.com.au/dive-courses

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EXPERIENCE THE JOY OF DIVE TRAVEL

Tasmanian Divers are in partnership with Dive Adventures to organise overseas and domestic dive holidays for our customers.

Why travel with us?

Our group travel allows us to negotiate discounted rates at resorts and on liveaboards for our loyal customers, with multiple trips organised each year.

We also have a tour leader on every trip that provides a point of contact with Dive Adventures and can address and logistical concerns on the trip as they may occur.

Go back in time and explore wrecks from WWII, immerse yourself in nature diving spectacular tropical reefs, and escape reality on one of our holidays!

Ask us about our upcoming trips!

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SOUTHERN LEYTE - PHILIPPINES WITH TASMANIA DIVERS

 **8**
DAYS

 **7**
NIGHTS

 **12**
DIVES

Southern Leyte has an enviable mix of stunning walls, drop-offs and some unique macro life. Most of the reefs start just a few metres below the surface with some great hard and soft coral alike. Be prepared to see numerous turtles and frogfish, along with the usual reef inhabitants. Sogod Bay Resort is dedicated to marine conservation and providing an awesome experience underwater for guests.

FLY

PHILIPPINE AIRLINES
Return Airfares Melbourne to Manila
CEBU PACIFIC
Return Flights Manila to Tacloban

Taxes and Fuel Surcharges throughout

STAY & DIVE

SOGOD BAY RESORT, SOUTHERN LEYTE
7 Nights Oceanfront Cottage - Twin share
Continental Breakfast
Return airport transfers

SOGOD DIVE CENTRE, SOUTHERN LEYTE
12 Boat dives
Tanks, Weights Airfills and Dive Guides

UPGRADES & OPTIONS

Single Supplement : \$ 650
Deluxe Cottage: \$100 pp Twin Share (only 1)
Beach House : \$200 pp Twin Share (only 1)



DIVER \$ 2950
NON DIVER \$ 2270
TRAVEL DATES
19- 26 AUGUST 2023
REF : ADE 2633

CONTACT TASMANIA DIVERS FOR MORE INFORMATION

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How to enter:
Enrol in a PADI course
with us from
April 2023
for an automatic entry!

*Terms & Conditions apply

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HOW TO ENTER:

Enrol in the following courses from April 2023
automatically enter:

- PADI Open Water Course: 1 entry
- PADI Advanced Open Water Course: 2 entries
- PADI Specialty: 2 entries
- Become a PADI Pro: 3 entries

TERMS & CONDITIONS

- Tickets in the draw are for full fee paying students
- Must have a current passport.
- Pay your own domestic expenses.
- Must have all own equipment.
- Travel insurance, personal spending money, excess baggage fees, custom fees, local island fees are at travellers expense.
- Meals excluded
- Prize is non-transferable

