Scuba Dive Online Celebration Newsletter

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CELEBRATING UPCOMING WORLD OCEAN DAY

World Ocean Day on June 8th reminds us of our shared responsibility to protect the heart of our planet, the ocean. This worldwide event highlights the ocean's vital role in sustaining life and inspires action to safeguard marine ecosystems.

At <u>Scuba Dive Online</u>, we are proud to support conservation efforts with our partner centres. <u>DJL Diving will</u> host a <u>PADI AWARE</u> Dive Against Debris presentation and dive, while <u>Assava Diving</u> will run both debris dives and the PADI Coral Reef Conservation specialty. Around the world, our PADI 5 Star IDC and CDC partner centres will be taking part in marine clean-ups, coral planting, and eco-education projects.

World Ocean Day is more than a date, it's a movement. Whether you are a student, instructor, or fun diver, we encourage you to join the cause. From beach clean-ups to conservation training, every action counts. Let's protect what we love.

This month has been full of achievements, from newly certified PADI Instructors to awards for outstanding excellence. Read on for inspiring success stories and upcoming events around the world.





ROATAN SUCCESS - FIVE NEW INSTRUCTORS!

Congratulations to Mike, John, Eric, Stephen, and Fabi, the newest PADI instructors from our partner centre <u>Roatan Divers!</u> Their IDC journey was led by PADI Course Director Fernanda Paiva, a passionate underwater conservationist. Roatan, known for its crystal-clear waters and vibrant marine life, inspires divers and future pros alike. It is great to work with new instructors from this Caribbean paradise and we look forward to their positive impact on the ocean environment.



ASSAVA DIVING - ADAPTIVE TEACHING AND IE SUCCESS

Huge congratulations to Assava IDC candidates Kjell and Ludovica for passing their Instructor Exam in April! Under the guidance of Course Directors Tim Hunt and Heidi Rijsdijk, they also completed the PADI Adaptive Teaching Techniques Specialty instructor. This unique course helps instructors to adapt their teaching for students with physical challenges. Assava continues to lead the way in inclusive dive education, making scuba accessible and rewarding for all. Great job to everyone involved!



DJL DIVING - 100% PASS RATE AND NEW STAFF INSTRUCTOR!

Another successful PADI IDC has wrapped up at our PADI 5 Star CDC partner centre, <u>DJL Diving Koh Tao</u>. Candidates Job and Fabrice completed the classroom section online, with Course Director Monique Richards before heading to Koh Tao for in-water training with Course Director Neil Richards. Also joining was Ruby, now a certified PADI IDC Staff Instructor. The group achieved a flawless 100% pass rate. Outstanding work, team!



MALDIVES IDC & CONSERVATION INTERNSHIP – JUNE FULL, SEPTEMBER FILLING FAST!

We are happy to announce that our prestigious 8-week <u>IDC and Conservation Internship in the Maldives</u>, hosted by The Four Seasons, is fully booked for June! With a conservation programme second to none, we include The Manta Trust, Olive Ridley Project, and Reefscapers coral reef conservation specialties. Applications are still open for September, and spaces are filling quickly, so send your CV now to be considered for this once-in-a-lifetime opportunity.



CERTIFICATES OF EXCELLENCE AT DJL DIVING

Four standout PADI Instructors at <u>DJL Diving</u> recently received PADI Certificates of Excellence at a member forum, an incredible recognition of their commitment and performance. These awards honour instructors who go above and beyond in their professional roles, inspiring students and peers alike. DJL's team consistanty give quality training and dedication. Congratulations to all recipients, you make the dive community proud!



EVERY DAY IS OCEAN DAY AT SCUBA DIVE ONLINE

From Thailand to the Maldives, Roatan to Koh Tao, all Scuba Dive Online partner centres are joining to protect our blue planet. On World Ocean Day, and every day, we lead PADI Dive Against Debris events, organise beach clean-ups, and support coral reef restoration. Conservation is central to everything we do. Whether you are diving, learning, or teaching, we invite you to take action. Together, we can preserve the ocean for generations to come.

As we wrap up this month's newsletter, we are proud to celebrate achievements across our Scuba Dive Online network. From World Ocean Day initiatives at DJL Diving and Assava, to new PADI Instructors at Roatan Divers, and excellence awards at DJL, our team keeps motivating others.

Special thanks to all involved in conservation efforts, including those preparing for our sold-out Maldives IDC & Conservation Internship in June. With September spaces filling fast, there is more to come. Thank you for being part of our journey to protect our oceans and elevate dive education worldwide.



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