



Scuba Scoop

April 2006

IMPORTANT DATES

General Meetings 04/13 & 04/27/2006

Board Meeting 04/20/2006

NEWS YOU CAN USE

Come one come all trip coordinator training session and ice cream social 4/13/06
Training session starts at 6:30pm.

DON'T MISS 4/27/2006 MEETING Bill Beard from Bill Beards Costa Rica will be there!

Lets give a warm shout out to Darryl Ricket who is recovering and has lost 40 pounds and doing great! WE MISS YOU

HAPPY BIRTHDAY CFPD MEMBERS

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| Ron Menke | 04/02 |
| Steve Greenwell | 04/05 |
| Lonnie Woods | 04/21 |
| Sue Whittaker | 4/27 |
| Carl Heinman | 4/29 |
| Mike McDermott | 4/30 |

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Below is an excerpt from Bill Beards Costa Rica April Newsletter.

Nadine and Bill from Bill Beards and Robbie & Dave from WetDigital.com enjoyed a special treat in Costa Rica in February. They had the pleasure of diving and touring with George McGuire, Heidi Carmarillo and Deborah Scott from Orlando. The three of them combined their photos and we are fortunate to be able to see the great job they have done. (They even named all the fish. How impressive is that?)

Please check it out at:

<http://octoeight.smugmug.com/gallery/1272942>

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General Meetings:

Meetings are held every second and fourth Thursday of each month at the Denny's 440 S. Semoran Blvd. in Orlando (407)381-8408. The Denny's is near the intersection of the EW Expressway and 436. Social hour begins at 7:00PM. Meetings begin at 8:00PM. Programs are held before or after the general meeting.

Board Meetings:

The April board meeting will be held on 04/20/2006 at Steak and Ale, 828 N Semoran Ave., Orlando, FL (407) 273-3981. The meeting begins at 7:15, and the general membership is welcome.

NEWS FROM THE PRESIDENT

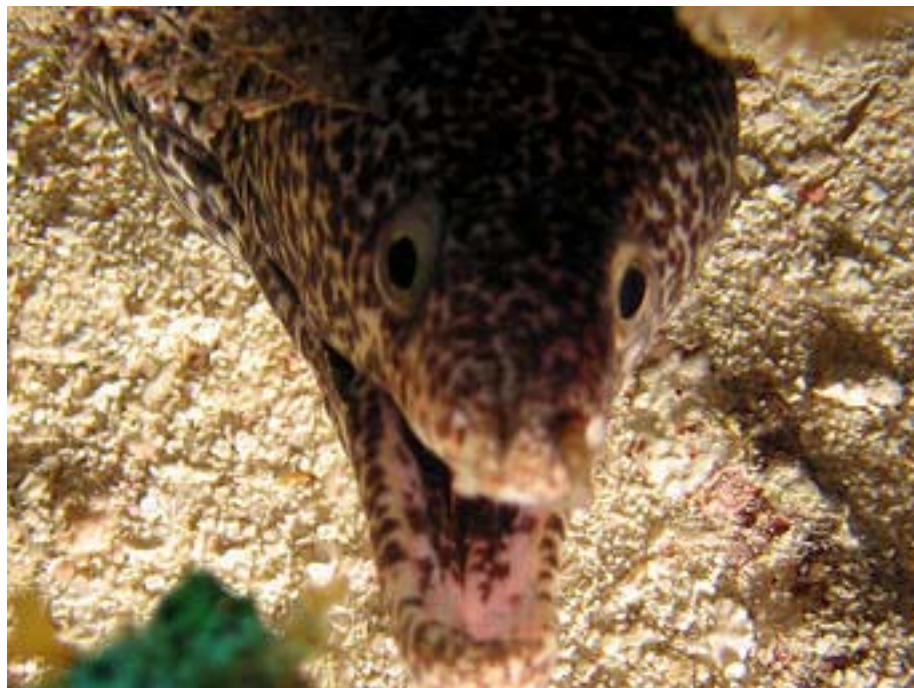
It's April and plants are starting to show new growth, the wildlife is more active and it is time to get the dive gear out of the closet if you haven't already done so. This means the new dive season is upon us and it is time to identify the dive trips you would like to go on.

That being said, I would like to reflect on the article our Dive Chairman wrote last month. Participation at all levels by the membership is what keeps the organization viable and moving forward and unless the membership as a whole puts effort and participation into the club and the trips, we will cease to exist.

Randy Munro is presenting a training session for trip coordinators this month prior to the general meeting. Running a trip takes some effort, however you get to select the dive site and at the same time it is the only paid position in the club, which makes for very affordable diving.

We need your help and participation.

Tom



Who needs money?

As a trip coordinator for the Central Florida Pleasure Divers, you can earn money running dive trips. This is the only paying job in the club.

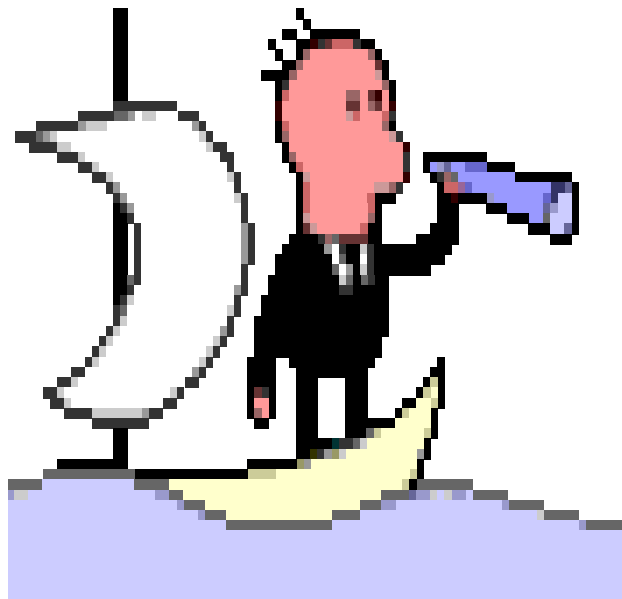
On April 13 at 6:30 p.m., before the general meeting, there will be a one hour overview on how to run a successful dive trip. Dive trip forms will be reviewed and questions answered.

There is also going to be an ice cream social that nigh during the regular meeting, just a small incentive to come out and see what is happening with your dive club.

I would appreciate hearing from you if you plan on attending so enough forms will be available.

Contact me xxxxxxxxxxxxxx and RSVP.

Randy Munro



• Central Florida Pleasure Divers

April Dive Trip- Pompano Beach
2-days 4-tanks 1 night = \$163.27!

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Let's start the dive season with a bang. This is bound to be a great weekend trip. Great boat and captain. Will dive some great reefs and one of the areas many wrecks. The newly remodeled Clarion is very nice and I got a super low rate.

Dates: April 29th and 30th

- **Hotel:** Clarion Resort Lauderdale by the Sea:
- **Hotel info:** <http://www.clarionbeachresort.com/>
- **Dive Boat:** The spacious *Fathoms of Fun* run by Parrot Divers <http://www.parrotislandscuba.com/Boats.html>
- **Boat Captain:** Jerry (954) 942-7333
- **Call to order your tanks of air or nitrox**

Flyers with more information and maps will be at the club meeting. See you there.

Details: Check in early and head to the dive boat for an afternoon dive. After diving we can eat dinner. The next morning be at the dive boat for another 2 tank dive.

Time Line:

Check into hotel 12 PM, call for early check in.

Saturday, 1:00 PM be at dive boat

Dinner

Sunday, 8:30 AM be at dive boat

Nekton Pilot Liveaboard

June 10-17, 2006

CFPD is pleased to offer this trip for your diving pleasure!!

This trip is full!!!!

We will be doing the Bahamas Northwest Itinerary

- Indian Cay Reef
- Mount Olympus
- Sugar Wreck
- Theo's Wreck
- Shark Junction
- Port Lucaya (shore excursion)
- Gingerbread Grounds
- Wreck of the Hesperus
- Bimini Wall
- Alice Towne (shore excursion)
- Tuna Alley

Victory Wall

Trip Coordinator:

Darryl Ricket

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CFPD DIVE AND EVENT CALENDAR

| TRIP DATES | LOCATION | COORDINATOR/ ASSISTANT | PHONE | # OF DIVERS | PRICE/ DEP | TRIP OPENS |
|----------------------|---|---------------------------|-------|----------------|--------------------|---------------|
| April 29-30 | Pompano Beach | Art Beaulieu | | 8 | \$50.00 | OPEN |
| May 20-21 | Venice Beach | Lee Carpenter | | 10 | | 4/13 |
| June 10-17, | Nekton Pilot Liveaboard Northwest Bahamas Itinerary | Darryl Ricket / ?? | | FULL | 1973.00 | OPEN |
| June 30 | TGIF | Barbara Bourque | | 6 | | |
| July 7, 8 & 9 | The Fabulous Florida Keys | Don Zoecklein | | 8 | | 4/27 |
| August | TBA | Deana Gorski | | 8 | | |
| Thursday Sept. 21 | Photo Contest-Club Calendar | TBA | | Open to all | Win Prizes \$\$ | |
| Sept. 23-24 | Jupiter Two Day Weekend Trip | TBA | | 8 | | |
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REMEMBER: YOU WILL BE FINANCIALLY RESPONSIBLE FOR YOUR SPOT ON A TRIP WHEN YOU SIGN UP. THERE WILL BE NO REFUND FOR MONIES PAID FOR DIVE TRIPS WITH THE EXCEPTION OF A DEATH IN THE IMMEDIATE FAMILY. YOU ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR ALL COSTS UNLESS YOU FIND A REPLACEMENT. EVEN IF YOU FIND A REPLACEMENT THERE MAY BE OTHER COST INCURRED FOR TRANSFERRING TICKETS OR RESERVATIONS, ETC. YOU ARE STILL RESPONSIBLE FOR THOSE AS WELL. ALL RECOVERABLE MONEY WILL BE REFUNDED SHOULD A PORTION OF A DIVE TRIP BE CANCELLED. IF AN ENTIRE TRIP IS CANCELLED, ALL MONEY WILL BE REFUNDED.

CFPD MARKETPLACE

BUY, SELL AND TRADE YOUR SCUBA GEAR

FS: For Sale

WTB: Wanted to buy

ISO: In Search of

Wanted: Your ads to sell or buy. Submit them to Sam Juleff at sjuleff@cfl.rr.com

FS: Mesh Dive bag, \$5.00, Mask \$2.00, Snorkel, \$2.00, Soft weight belt \$2.00.

FS: Mens Oneill Wet suit XXL great condition \$50.00

Contact Sam Juleff at sjuleff@cfl.rr.com

FS: Used Men's M/L 2004 SeaQuest Pro QD BCD, with Surelock Weight System. Excellent Condition. \$300.00. Call Lani Berry,

Rolling Dive/Travel Bag - Tropical Traveler by Deep Outdoors. Freestanding bag with hidden telescoping handle, skate wheels in ballistic reinforced wheel housings, fin pockets, reinforced loading handles, three sided center compartment, concealed dressing mat, concealed contoured backpack styled shoulder straps. Used once and in new condition. Approx. 34"x20"x11". \$95 Contact Jill Mulford at 407-331-6468 or jillmulford@earthlink.net

