



SAINT FRANCIS UNIVERSITY

Learn to Scuba Dive in St. Lucia

with Dr. Sue Morra and Mr. Nick Weakland

Experience
the wonderful
underwater
world!

THE PADI OPEN WATER DIVER COURSE

The adventure begins here, with the most popular diving course in the world, where you'll learn real skills for real diving. It's the first level of PADI scuba certification and includes the basics of enjoyable, safe diving taught through academic training and confined and open water diving sessions, all under the guidance of a PADI instructor.

During this course, you will develop the skills necessary to become a safe, competent diver. Upon successful completion of the course, you will be awarded the PADI Open Water Diver certification card. This is a lifelong certification that is accepted by the diving community worldwide.

THE PADI ADVANCED DIVER COURSE

Exploration, Excitement, Experiences. They're what the PADI Advanced Open Water Diver course is all about. And no, you don't have to be "advanced" to take it – it's designed so you can go straight into it after the PADI Open Water Diver course.

This course helps you increase your confidence and build your scuba skills so you can become more comfortable in the water. This is a great way to get more dives under your belt while continuing to learn under the supervision of your PADI Instructor. This course builds on what you've learned and develops new capabilities by introducing you to new activities like deeper diving and underwater navigating.

2012 SPRING CLASS SCHEDULE

The Open Water Scuba Diver Course will meet according to the following schedule.

Tuesday, April 3 from 6 to 9 p.m.: Introductions; Paperwork; Classroom Lecture

Thursday, April 5 from 6 to 9 p.m.: Pool modules only

Tuesday, April 10 from 6 to 9 p.m.: Classroom lecture

Thursday, April 12 from 6 to 9 p.m.: Pool modules only

Tuesday, April 17 from 6 to 9 p.m.: Classroom lecture

Thursday, April 19 from 6 to 9 p.m.: Pool modules only

Tuesday, April 24 from 6 to 9 p.m.: Classroom Final

May 13 to 20th: The final Open Water dives in the warm tropical waters of St. Lucia. Once the open water dives are completed, students will continue on to the Advanced Open Water Diver course while still in St. Lucia.

WHAT TO BRING TO CLASS

Course materials (including dive tables and any paperwork you are given), pen/pencil and Notebook (if you wish)

FOR POOL SESSIONS YOU WILL NEED

Swimsuit, towel, clean T-shirt (to swim in if you tend to get cold easily), and old socks that you don't mind getting wet or aqua shoes (you will wear these under your fins to make them more comfortable)

For more information contact:
**Dr. Sue Morra (472-3321) or
Mr. Nick Weakland (472-2822)**

COSTS

2 Credits (For full-time SFU students this course can be included in your overall 12-18 credit load and thus you will not incur any cost.)

\$45 . . . Fee for air will also be billed by the SFU Business Office

\$90 . . . Cost for textbook and PADI materials to be purchased at the SFU Bookstore. (Estimated price)

\$2500 . . Airfare and accommodations

Note: all costs are estimated but should be fairly accurate. Many external factors related to travel may cause price variations.

TO RESERVE YOUR SPACE IN THE CLASS, YOU MUST:

Sign up for MS101 and MS 102 for the Spring 2012 semester and travel with the school to St. Lucia.

- OR -

Register for the same two courses in the SFU Continuing Education Office (Raymond Hall 203, Ph: 814- 472- 3012) and travel with the school to St. Lucia.

Purchase the following textbooks from the campus bookstore: PADI Open Water Crew Pack and PADI Adventures in Diving. Have Modules 1 & 2 of the open water book completed *prior to the first class meeting*.

