



# Whalers Dive Club

## Sept 2019 Newsletter

Where: *Los Toros Restaurant*



21743 Devonshire St.  
Chatsworth, CA  
Phone: 818-882-3080

When: *1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday of the Month*  
*6:00-7:00 Food & Fellowship*  
*7:00-9:00 Meeting*

*The Whalers Dive Club, Inc., a California non-profit*  
*Website:* [www.whalersdiveclub.com](http://www.whalersdiveclub.com)  
*Address:* P.O. Box 4283, West Hills, CA 91308-4283

### *Member Benefits*

*After the camaraderie, guaranteed dive buddy, mentoring, training, education, local and foreign dive trips, informative guest speakers and valuable opportunity drawings and prizes at the general meeting, and just some good old fashion fun, what else do you receive as an active \*Whaler?*

*\*Check out Other Members of the Dive community below*

### *General Meeting Sept 4th 2019*

*Elections are coming up...if you would like to be on the board or nominated someone to be on the board, please send your request to: [nominate@whalersdiveclub.com](mailto:nominate@whalersdiveclub.com) or you can make your nomination at the general meeting*

*As most of you know Dahlia is re-locating to Florida, she hopes to complete this move by the end of September, so the September general meeting may be her last for a while. So come out to the general meeting and wish her well. Dahlia still plans on being a Whaler and coordinating our warm water trips and visiting California often for a cold water dive or two. We would like to thank her for all of her contributions to the club and including planning our warm water trips and training.*

# WHALER'S DIVE LOCKER



## Whaler's 2019 Schedule

*4th of May to Santa Barbara Island book with CIDA*

*29th of June on the Spectre...contact Dahlia directly*

*10th of July at 6:00 pm Bonaire pre trip meeting will be at Marie Calendar's in Northridge.*

*Dear Creek Beach Clean-up will be on the following dates:*

*July 13, 2019 - Sept 21, 2019*

*Bonaire Trip: July 20-27, 2019*

*Saturday, the 17th of August, Spectre dive boat to Anacapa/Santa Cruz. Departure 700 am from Ventura Harbor. Cost 140.00. Please book directly with the Spectre online or by phone at (805) 642-8538*

*Sunday, the 8th of September, Conception dive boat to Naples Marine Conservation and Campus Point. Departure 700 am from Santa Barbara. This is a deeply discounted trip at 70.00. Please book directly with Truth Aquatics online or (805) 962-1127.*

*Saturday, October 19th - Spectre book directly*

*Sunday, November 24th - Farnsworth Bank on the Magician book with CIDA (only 8 spots left)*

*Holiday Party Dec. 7th at Los Toros*

*I am already working on the Belize trip in June 2020. I need to know which Whalers would like to do a live aboard and alternatively a land based package. Pricing difference will be significant. Please call or e mail me with any questions ... 818/224-7249.*

## 2020 Trip

*Based on popular demand we are going back to Cayman Brac. The La Paz trip is cancelled due to lack of interest. All the information is below and I will need 300.00 nonrefundable deposit to secure your spot.*

### *Cayman Brac Package*

*18-25 January 2020*

*This package is a pre Dema special*

*Included:*

*Airport/hotel/airport transfers*

*Complimentary drink on arrival*

*7 nights' accommodation*

*3 full meals per day buffet style*

*6 days of 2 am dives*

*5 days of one pm dive (no pm dive on Friday before departure home)*

*Complimentary dive computer use*

*Quality complimentary Wi-Fi and all the fun you can have*

*Nitrox package:*

*For all am dives 120.00 total - add the pm dives 170.00 total*

*Rate based on double occupancy 1695.00 per diver (non-diver subtract 250.00 per person)*

*Single occupancy diver 1948.00 - The rates above requires 10 divers.*

***Air fare:*** *Currently United is pricing at 669.00 with 2 connections.*

*American isn't pricing and I think their fare is in the works. I will periodically check on it.*

*Stay tuned for another trip in June of 2020*

***Paying from web site:*** *(any Whaler event)*

*A PayPal account is not required to use the pay on-line payments capability from our website. After selecting pay online, simply use the "PayPal Guest Checkout" feature, using any credit card. Logging into PayPal is **not** required.*

***Also:*** *The "What's app" is available to members...please contact Dahlia if interested*

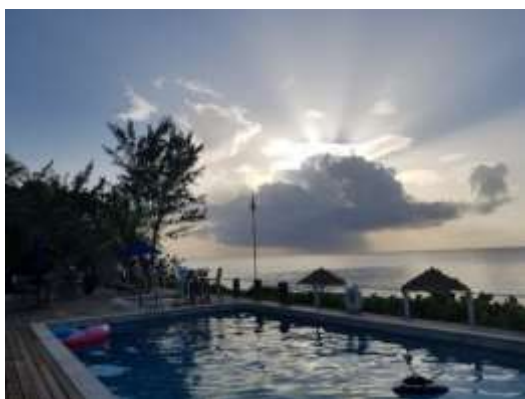
*2019 Trips  
Bonaire*



*2018 Trip to Fiji*  
*Photos by Ed Malek*



*2018 Grand Cayman Trip*





# Red Sea Trip 2017



*The Treasury at Petra and the Port of Jaffa at sunset*



*The whole gang at the Western Wall*

*Diving in Taba, Egypt*



***Special Notes:*** *If anyone has something to put into the newsletter, please send to the Newsletter at [whalersdiveclub.com](http://whalersdiveclub.com) or you can email them to [purplecoral200@gmail.com](mailto:purplecoral200@gmail.com)*

## Other Members of the Dive Community



\* receive 5% off scheduled local boat charters

\* if active or retired military, make that 10%



HOLLYWOOD DIVERS

\* receive 10% off scuba equipment

## GLYNN PALMER: Scuba Repair

For more information please contact Glynn @ 310-266-2955 (Glynn now has a new address—31316 Via Colinas, Westlake Village)



Peace Dive Boat



Divers Alert Network



Disabled Veterans Scuba Project



## Foreign Dive Trips

- you'll always save money when travelling with us
- and, you'll always be among friends and dive buddies

# *LIST OF BOARD MEMBERS*

*2019 OFFICERS and BOARD OF DIRECTORS!*

Contact the website [info@whalersdiveclub.com](mailto:info@whalersdiveclub.com)

<i>President</i>	<i>Dave A</i>
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<i>Boat Dives/</i>	<i>Dahlia L /Greg A</i>
<i>Trip Coordinator</i>	<i>Dahlia</i>
<i>Prizes/Banquet</i>	<i>Ed M</i>



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