



Ocean Diver

'What we learn with pleasure, we never forget'

Newsletter November

Events

7 Nov: Club evening
23 Nov: Dry Dive
12th Nov: Chepstow
5th Dec: Club evening

Club Meetings

December: Ian France;
Cave and Mine Diving!

Upcoming Courses

Open Water
Advanced Open Water
Deep/Wreck Specialties
O2
EFR (First Aid) with AED

Club Specials

Enriched Air (Nitrox)
Specialty (online): £100
Dive theory (online): £60
Coral Reef Specialty: £40
PADI O2: £50 + manual
EFR with AED: £30 +
manual
Master Scuba Diver: once
you've completed Rescue
and 5 specialties you can
apply for Master Scuba
Diving rating.

October has been a busy month, starting in the Netherlands, followed by Duxy's club talk and three pool sessions. The Ocean Film Festival was superb and it will definitely be back in the diary next year. We had a Divemaster training weekend and the start of an Advanced Open Water course. Members have been travelling about with Lesley diving in Sydney and Sari and Jackie in Iceland. A few visited Buckland Lake over in Kent and we will be going there again.

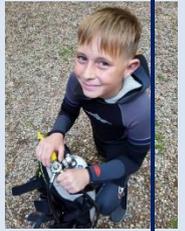
We are continuing to work extensively with young people to bring them into diving and support their development. We have three YODAs (Youth Ocean Diver Ambassadors) who in turn are supporting other young people. If you're interested in supporting then get in touch with us to find out more.

November brings the dry dive, a Chepstow visit and a few local day dives. If you fancy jumping in the water then let the club know in the Facebook group. Further ahead we've Lanzarote to look forward to and there is the odd space on the IoM and Porthkerris trips.

December's club meeting is a talk from Ian France who travels the world diving mines and caves! He will be sharing some of his experiences with us. This will be a superb opportunity so let us know you're coming along and if you're bringing anyone along.

All links to our social media accounts and our calendar are below. If you'd like to arrange a club dive then come along to a club meet, make the arrangements, let us know and we'll add it to the calendar and social media accounts.

*Membership is £40 per year and runs from April to April. See the [website](#) for benefits. For [membership](#), trips and events please pay electronically 60-24-77 19361092 **referenced with the event** and email dive@oceandiver.co.uk*



Events: See our [Facebook](#) events page or our [calendar](#) for more details

Pool sessions: 4th and 18th November (evening). If you are coming for a general splash and need equipment please message to check availability. Cylinder with air is £10; equipment rental (regs and/or BCD) £10 and pool £10. Half price kit hire and free pool entry for members. The pool sessions are filling up very quickly now so email in advance to book dive@oceandiver.co.uk.

7th November 2017 8pm Club Meeting

23rd November Dry Dive Experience what the pressure is like when diving to 50m in the safety of the London Diving Chamber. 6pm start, in St John's Wood, London. *Trip Full*

5th December 2017 Club Meeting

PORTHKERRIS 25th - 28th May 2018 £240 (members £225). Non diving partners welcome £110. A great location for UK Diving. Price includes accommodation in log cabins, unlimited shore diving and car parking as well as two days boat diving. **1 female share available.** Boat only £120. **£100 deposit/£120 (boat only) due by 15th November.**

ISLE OF MAN 13th - 17th July 2018 £350. Non diving partners are welcome but there is no reduction in price as the charter is a package. Price includes accommodation, breakfast, 8 boat dives, cylinders, weights and air. **1 male share; 1 boat space Please confirm the booking before making travel arrangements.**

LANZAROTE 11th - 15th October 2018. Email dive@oceandiver.co.uk for more information.

We have a host of friendly instructors and dive masters who can buddy up with members on a dive if you're new to dive sites or would like to gain a bit of experience. Email us for more details.

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Links from Duxy's Talk

[Blue Duck Photography Facebook Page](#)

[Blue Duck Photography Q&A Facebook Group](#)

[Duxy's Trips FB Page](#)