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The daily lectures will address pathology seen in dive injuries and dive related deaths, the physical exam to identify risk factors, environmental hazards faced by divers, medications that may increase risk of injury, common travel-related illnesses and the interventions to moderate risks.

33rd Annual Spring Meeting - Little Cayman Beach Resort July 13-20, 2024



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The 33th Annual Spring Meeting will be held at Little Cayman Beach Resort, July 13-20, 2024.

Little Cayman Island and Little Cayman Beach Resort are the perfect pair – the ideal combination of spectular diving and tropical resort luxury. Little Cayman, like the rest of the Cayman chain, is know for it's relaxed atmosphere and world class diving. In fact, Bloody Bay Wall, just off shore, is regarded by many seasoned dive travelers, as one of the best dives in the world. This island is small – only 9 square miles with 50 permanent residents. Little Cayman remains one of the last unspoiled treasurers of the Caribbean.

Little Cayman Beach Resort is a deluxe beachfront hotel. Guests enjoy modern five – star amenities amidst the casual island atmosphere and natural beauty of Little Cayman. The resort features 40 rooms (28 pool view rooms and 12 ocean front suites), cabana bar, tennis courts, freshwater pool and spa, satellite TV and a long sandy beach. Meals are served buffet- style in the elegant dining room or on the terrace. Menu choies range from the simple to the scrumptious. You have probably figured out for yourself that Little Cayman is not the place for nightlife and tourist attractions, unless you are attracted to wildlife and star studded skies. Little Cayman is a quiet paradise and the perfect host for our 33rd Annual Sprint Meeting. Reef Divers is the in-house dive operation for Little Cayman Beach Resort. Three boat dives will be offered to our group. The late Phillipe Cousteau rates diving in Little Cayman the best in the Caribbean. National Geographic photographer David Doubilet and underwater cinematographer Stan Waterman, rate diving in Little Cayman as one of the finest dives inthe world. The Skin Diver magazine website also rates Little Cayman as " one of the world's premier dive destinations

... pristine quality... excellent visibility... incredible diving.

Joel Silverstein The scientific sessions will be hosted by ISAM and will feature as our keynote speaker Joel Silverstein. He is one of the leading specialists in diver training, explorations, and decompression analysis. Mr. Silverstein is the author of three books and six training programs. His is a major contributor of the NOAA Diving Manual and will over 100 articles on scuba diving training, exploration, and technology. He has conducted almost over 5,000 dives all over the world, with such noted dives as the USS Monitor and 12 expeditions to the Andrea Doria.









CONFERENCE OBJECTIVES:

ISAM is an association of diving physicians dedicated to the promulgation of diving medicine information in the United States and foreign countries. The conference will include the study of such topics as underwater physiology, diagnosis and treatmentof decompression sickness, physical examination for divers, and the treatment of injuries caused by poisonous and venomous animals.

GROUP PACKAGE INCLUDES

- . 7 nights accommodations double occupancy
- Breakfast, lunch and dinner daily
- Complimentary use of dive computer (use of dive computer required by Reef Divers)
- 17 boat dives
- . Nitrox (\$ 170 USD If Desired)
- . Complimentary Wi-Fi
- . Welcome rum punch
- Manager's cocktail reception
- Airport ground transfers
- . Resort fees, taxes and gratuities
- . Gratuities for the Dive Staff
- . 30 hours category 2 CME
- One ISAM gift
- 3 complimentary drinks per person

ACTIVITIES THAT CAN BE OFFERED EXTRA TO THE PACKAGE



Use of Kayaks Use of Paddleboards Fishing • Biking • Hiking Pool/Hot Tub • Nature Spa Tennis • Beach Hammocks Little Cayman Museum Little Cayman Marine Museum National Trust House





Relax and unwind in one of our hammocks located along the beach. This is the perfect spot to enjoy a book or catch an afternoon nap.

The Salt Rocks Nature Trail is located on the Western end of Little Cayman. Here, migratory birds, rock iguana, butterflies, orchids and tropical plants can be found. It is also an historic site with abandoned phosphate mines and a railway track.



COSTS: Per person/double occupancy (No airfare included in this price. All prices				
subject to change.) Costs are based on payment by check. Use of a credit card adds 4%.				
Diver \$2995.00				
Non-Diver \$2595.00				
Single Supplement				
Upgrade to Ocean Front Room\$300.00				
Yearly ISAM dues to be current\$100.00				

Required Equipment: C Card

Responibility: ISAM, Traveler's Choice, Little Cayman Beach Resort and Reef Divers sassume no responsibility or liability as to the safety, quality of conditions, nor the act of employee or agent of any establishments, from, person or entity furnishing such services, transportation, equipment, substitution or unperformed services, nor assume any responsibility or liability for the safety of any participating individuls while engaged in underwater activities. All trip participants will be required to sign an ISAM/Traveler's Choice liability waiver.

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