



UNDER SEA ADVENTURERS CLUB RULES

Under Sea Adventurers, Inc.

ARTICLE I: GUESTS

Section 1: Guests are welcome to attend General Membership Meetings.

Section 2: Guests may participate in club functions provided there is space available. Priority will be given to members' spouses or dates, and then immediate family members, at the discretion of the function coordinator.

Section 3: Guests may participate in club dives provided they are certified by a recognized training agency.

ARTICLE II: APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

Section 1: An applicant must attend one meeting or function before being eligible for membership.

Section 2: Applications for membership must be submitted along with the initiation fee, prorated annual dues, proof of certification from a nationally recognized training agency and a duly signed and witnessed Membership Agreement.

Section 3: The initiation fee shall be established by the Board of Directors.

Section 4: Application for membership must be approved by a three-fourths vote of the Board of Directors

ARTICLE III: MEMBERSHIP DUES

Section 1: Annual dues shall be established by the Board of Directors and will be payable on January 1st of each year.

Section 2: Membership can be revoked if dues are not paid.

ARTICLE IV: GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING

Section 1: The General Membership meeting will be held on the first Thursday of each month unless otherwise announced.

Section 2: No smoking will be allowed during any indoor meeting.



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ARTICLE V: SAFETY

Section 1: Each member is responsible for maintaining and using the following minimum equipment on all club dives:

- A) Buoyancy compensator
- B) Submersible pressure gauge or dive computer
- C) Depth gauge or dive computer
- D) Timing device or dive computer

Section 2: The following safety practices are recommended for all club dives:

- A) Use of the buddy system
- B) Use of dive tables or dive computer
- C) Having dive insurance

Section 3: Club members are expected to follow safe recreational diving practices on all club diving activities.

ARTICLE VI: CONSERVATION

USA policy requires that all members and guests be respectful of and sensitive to the fragile reef systems and their inhabitants. Members and guests will strive to maintain neutral buoyancy and will keep their gauges, fins, camera equipment, and bodies from contacting all living parts of the reefs. In a spirit of cooperation, members and guests will remind each other of their infractions to this policy. Members and guests will receive these reminders in the spirit they are given.

ARTICLE VII: ACCEPTANCE

The Club Rules are adopted this first day of July of 2004, by the Under Sea Adventurers, Inc., and shall be binding on all members and shall govern until amended. All previous Club Rules are null and void.