

**Tiedemann's Dive Center's  
Grand Cayman Trip  
September 26 to October 3, 2015  
FAQ**

**What does the \$1655 trip price include?** The price includes: 1) double occupancy room for 7 nights and eight days 2) three daily meals 3) six two tank boat dives for a total of 12 boat dives 4) Unlimited use of tanks and weights for boat dives and two shore dive locations - Lighthouse Point and the resort itself. 5) Roundtrip airport to/from hotel transfers 6) All taxes, fees and tips - excluding dive boat crew 7) boat dive on USS Kittiwake including marine park fee and diving medallion 8) night dive using NightSea "fluoro" lighting 9) guided shore dive on the Guardian of the Reef.

**What is not included in the price?** The price does not include: 1) transportation from NY to Grand Cayman. Check before you book your air fare that we have room on the trip.

**What about airfare to Grand Cayman?** Transportation to and from Grand Cayman is up to you. You want to book your flight as soon as possible. At the time of this writing, trip leaders Joe Foster and Marty Shaiman has roundtrip from NYC to Grand Cayman for about \$350.

**When I make my airline arrangements what should I plan for?** Plan to be on Grand Cayman on Saturday, September 26th. and leave on Saturday, October 3rd..

**I don't own all my own gear, can I rent it?** You may rent gear from Tiedemann's Diving Center for \$125 for the week. This includes: BC, regulator, octopus, gauges (pressure, depth and compass), wet suit jacket (3mm). The fee can be adjusted if you already own some equipment.

**Do I need lights for the trip?** For day dives a small light will help with some of the darker parts of the reefs and wrecks. Since the group will be doing some night dive a good set of lights is needed. Proper nights dives are done with a primary light, backup light and a personal locator light.

**What about meals for the trip?** Breakfast, lunch and dinner are included.

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**What will the weather be like?** The temperatures will be warm with daytime averages in the 80's.

**What days will we be diving?** We have a beach dive planned for the Saturday we arrive and our days on the boat are Sunday to Friday.

**Is there shore diving?** "YES"... one of the nice features of Cobalt Resort is the shore diving. Another interesting shore dive is Lighthouse Point.

**It has been some time since I have been in the water, Can I get some pool time to practice?** If you wish to have a Scuba Update with a private instructor, arrangements can be made.

**How much for my own room?** The cost of a single room is only \$2350.

**Will we be doing anything on Long Island before the trip?** Yes, we will have a meeting at Tiedemann's Diving Center to meet everyone on the trip and go over any last minute details. The time and date will be just prior to the trip.

**Can a non-diver go on the trip?** Yes, all non-divers are welcome. The price is \$1180 per person double occupancy.

**I'm not yet certified. Will I be able to do my dives for Open Water Diver Certification?** Yes.

**What is the deposit?** We need a \$250 deposit per person ASAP. Remember space is very limited.

**When is the balance due?** We need the balance by Friday, July 24, 2015

**Should I purchase trip insurance?** Yes - It is highly recommended.

**Is Nitrox available?** Yes - you get nitrox for \$100 for the week.