

Course Overview

The purpose of the Wreck Diver programme is to provide an introduction to basic wreck diving skills allowing the diver to make safe, limited penetration dives. The course will introduce the skills required to safely dive on wrecks and other overhead environments. You'll get to practice line laying skills, identify hazards and find suitable entry points, whilst having time to check out the history and splendour of the shipwrecks off our coastline.

Prerequisites

To enrol in the course, you must be 18 years old and be certified as an Advanced Open Water diver.

What's Involved

This course has three components: Knowledge development, land drills and open water dives. These will be scheduled to suit divers enrolled in each course, but typically will be run over one weekend. The course will cover aspects of wreck diving and wreck penetration, including identification of hazards, line protocols/reel use and mapping of wrecks. Four dives will be conducted, with the last dive generally being a penetration into the wreck.

Course Skills

Identification of hazards, mapping and surveying for wreck penetration, wreck reel use.

Why Do the Course?

This course will appeal to divers who may have encountered wrecks whilst diving and felt the draw to explore them more fully, and are keen to experience the mysteries that lie beyond those shadowy entrances and portholes!

What's Included

The standard course fee is fully inclusive of instructional time, certification costs, gas fills (excl. nitrox) and two days of boat diving. Gear hire is not included.

What You Need

In addition to standard scuba equipment, students are required to have at least two torches and a reel. These may be rented for the duration of the course. (Please note if you are unfamiliar with different reel types we suggest you use our reels during the course as these are specifically designed for ease of use.)



Student testimonials

"Back onshore, Mel gave us a de-briefing and expanded on the benefits of working as a team. Sharing planning and outcomes certainly expands the enjoyment of the exercise. The amount of laughter as we talked over our experiences and reactions highlighted the just-plain-good-fun part of the TechDive Wreck Diver Course. I recommend it."
[Dean D. – Orewa]

Further Information

Enquires regarding this course may be directed to your local dive shop, or contact us direct by email: info@techdivenz.com.



Course Information

Course Price
\$850

Prerequisites
Advanced Open Water

Student to Instructor Ratio
4:1 (maximum)

No. Sessions
4 wreck dives

Mandatory Equipment
2 torches
Reel

Suggested Equipment
Regulator with 2m hose

Related Courses
PADI Advanced Wreck Diver
PADI Cavern Diver



SATISFACTION GUARANTEED!

We are so confident that we can improve both your knowledge and skills on a Techdive course that we offer a money back guarantee.*

* Full terms and conditions can be found on our website.