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Welcome to Your PADI OpenWater Class!

$399 Referral Out Format – 2027 Schedules

Our Referral program is for those of you limited on time or not wishing to Dive in our Beautiful (although Slightly Colder) Local Waters. The Referral Program incorporates about 15 hours of Instruction focusing only on Classroom and Pool Skills. You may complete the Final Four Open Water Dives in more Tropical Waters. Although this class costs less, be aware you will incur expenses at the other end to complete your Certification.



Your PADI OpenWater Diver Course is divided into three segments taking place over One Weekend + Vacation Time:

- Class Session (s) (Approximately 6-8 Hours Covering Five Chapters)
- Confined Water – Pool Session (s) (Approximately 6-8 Hours)
- Open Water – These Dives will be Completed at the Destination you choose at an Additional Cost (Payable to the final Shop you choose).

Each segment is designed to ensure you learn the skills needed to enjoy diving to the fullest. Listed below are our PADI Open Water Program **REFERRAL DIVING** Schedules conveniently offered on a year-round basis; this course is your key to an unforgettable underwater adventure you'll treasure for a lifetime!

		Weekend #1		Weekend #2	
Class #	Last Day to Enroll	Date(s)	Class & Pool Session (Sat. & Sun.) San Pedro Store		
2027 CLASSES					
OW BCH #01	16-Jan	01/23 & 24	9 am - 5 pm		
OW BCH #02	13-Mar	03/20 & 21	9 am - 5 pm		
OW BCH #03	17-Apr	04/24 & 25	9 am - 5 pm		
OW BCH #04	8-May	05/15 & 16	9 am - 5 pm		
OW BCH #05	5-Jun	06/12 & 13	9 am - 5 pm		
OW BCH #06	17-Jul	07/24 & 25	9 am - 5 pm		
OW BCH #07	14-Aug	08/21 & 22	9 am - 5 pm		
OW BCH #08	2-Oct	10/09 & 10	9 am - 5 pm		
OW BCH #09	30-Oct	11/06 & 07	9 am - 5 pm		
HOLIDAY #A	19-Dec	12/26 & 27	9 am - 5 pm (Sun/Mon)		
HOLIDAY #B	19-Dec	12/26 & 27	10 am - 5 pm (Sun/Mon)		

Dates in **RED are either Holidays or near a Holiday. Please check your Schedule before choosing a Class

Required Gear

Properly fitted Basic **Personal Snorkeling Gear** (Silicone Mask & Snorkel, SCUBA Fins, Boots & Gloves) are not included in the price of today's Coupon Promo and must be paid for separately. **Your Complete PADI OpenWater Materials Package is INCLUDED for FREE if you purchase ALL 5 Pieces of Basic Personal Snorkeling Gear at Pacific Wilderness**. Should you choose to buy elsewhere (and pay more), the PADI OpenWater Book Package / Certification PIC / Class DVD ($319.00 List) will run an **Additional $150**. **Personal Snorkeling Gear** will run $185 and up. Note: Students who purchase all 5 required items PRIOR to the start of class not only get FREE CLASS MATERIALS, but also receive our 30 Day Lowest Price Guarantee and have the option to exchange any piece of gear during the Pool Session (Gear must be in New Condition).

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Prior to Starting Your PADI Open Water Class with Pacific Wilderness (at Least 1 Week Prior):

- Pick a Schedule above. Please enroll **at Least 1 Week prior to start date**.
- Visit our San Pedro Dive Center to Pick-up your OW Books & Loaner DVD.
  Please Note: Materials will run $150 but are FREE if you purchase ALL 5 Pieces of the Required Basic Snorkeling Gear at ONE TIME here at Pacific Wilderness.
  Get fitted & Purchase your Basic Snorkeling Gear at our San Pedro Location.
- **Read your Open Water Book and Complete All 5 Knowledge Reviews.**
- **View your DVD in its entirety.**
- Complete your Medical release. **If you answer ANY question on the Medical Form "Yes" you will need to get a signed release from your Doctor PRIOR to Class.** Click **Here** for Med. form.
- **All OpenWater Class Candidates must know how to Swim.**

Please Bring to your First Class/Pool Session:

- Your Signed Medical Release. (**Doctor's Release if you answered any Med Question "Yes"**).
- Your Books and Loaner DVD (DVD to be returned), plus completed homework assignments (All 5 Chapters) to hand into your Instructor.
- Pen, Paper, Swimsuit & Towel plus your Basic Snorkeling Gear. (Both Days)

Typical Schedule:

Weekend #1

Saturday morning you'll meet at the San Pedro Store at 9:00 am and you'll do some paperwork, Classroom review and break for lunch. Following Lunch, you'll do your swim assessment in our on site, indoor heated pool (85 degrees of comfy, clear, clean water). Following, you'll put on SCUBA gear & practice honing your Diving Skills. Class should wrap up sometime between 4 and 6 pm.

Sunday morning you'll meet at the San Pedro Store at 9:00 am again. Start with a Classroom review, Final exam and break for lunch around Noon. Following Lunch, you'll put on SCUBA gear & practice honing your Diving Skills and run through Dive scenarios to make you comfortable in the water. Class should wrap up sometime between 4 and 6 pm.

For Completion

(4) OpenWater Dives – When you complete your Classroom & Pool Sessions at Pacific Wilderness, we will Issue you a "PADI Referral Form" showing your Destination Dive Center that you have satisfactorily completed all Class & Confined Water Requirements. You'll then need to make arrangements with a PADI Dive Center of your choice to complete your PADI OpenWater Certification. PADI has a complete listing of PADI Dive Centers Here.

It's our experience you will pay approximately $275 to $450 to finish your dives elsewhere – (note "approximately" means just that – whomever you deal with for completion is free to charge any amount).

What's Included in your $399 Group Referral Program

PADI OpenWater Class, all PADI Course Materials (IF you purchase your Basic Snorkeling Gear at Pacific Wilderness), SCUBA Rental Gear, Class Tuition, Pool Use plus your Referral form to complete your class.

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What's NOT Included in this Program

Basic Snorkeling Gear (Available here), OpenWater Materials Package ($150) / **FREE** if Required Basic Snorkeling Gear is purchased here & Instructor/DM Tips.

Cancellation Policy

- More than 14 days from the start date - you will be charged a $50 Tuition Cancellation fee.
- Less than 14 days from the start date - you will be charged a $100 Tuition Cancellation fee.
- Less than 7 days from the start date - you will be charged a $149 Tuition & Pool Rental Fee.

Makeup Fees

- **Weekend #1 Class & Pool Session** - $75 per session. However, if you miss Saturday's Session – you will not be able to attend Sunday's Session since Sunday's class builds on Saturday's Lesson. If this is the case, you'll need to Pay $150 to make up both sessions. ANY missed Session must be made up PRIOR to your Ocean Dives the following weekend.

About Us

Pacific Wilderness is one of the Top 15 PADI SCUBA Centers in All U S Territories (Including Guam, Hawaii & Okinawa) and in the Top 2% for ALL Dive shops in Sales of SCUBA Gear. We will be more than happy to assist you with any Gear Purchase needs – all gear is backed with a **"30 Day Lowest Price Guarantee!"** Pacific Wilderness is a Full-Service Dive Specialty shop serving Divers **of all levels** - including Most Area Public Safety Teams - **since 1953.**