

CAPTAIN SLATE'S ATLANTIS DIVE CENTER/DIVE PROFESSIONALS, INC.
COMPLETE SCUBA DIVING LIABILITY RELEASE

1. I understand the purpose of signing this document is to exempt and hold **CAPTAIN SLATE'S ATLANTIS DIVE CENTER/DIVE PROFESSIONALS, INC.**, its employees, its agents, and its boats (whether owned, operated, leased or chartered) and to hold these entities harmless from any and all liabilities arising as a consequence of the following, or any other acts or omissions on their part, including but not limited to negligence.
2. I am a certified diver or a student under the direct supervision of an instructor and have been taught and understand scuba diving has inherent risks and dangers associated therewith including but not limited to risks associated with equipment failure, perils of the sea, acts of fellow divers and **I SPECIFICALLY ASSUME SUCH RISKS.**
3. I have been diving within the past year or am currently participating in a refresher course.
4. I acknowledge that I am physically fit to scuba dive and snorkel and I will not hold any of the above named persons or entities responsible if I am injured as a result of heart problems, lung problems, or other illness or medical problems which occur while diving and/or snorkeling.
5. I do not have in my possession any illegal drugs, nor am I taking, nor have I recently consumed, any drugs or medication that would contraindicate diving. I am not under the influence of alcohol nor am I suffering from its after effects (i.e. hung over).
6. Prior to leaving the dock, I will inspect all equipment to be used. I will not hold **CAPTAIN SLATE'S ATLANTIS DIVE CENTER/DIVE PROFESSIONALS, INC.**, its employees or agents if any of my equipment is not functioning properly. I will not hold **CAPTAIN SLATE'S ATLANTIS DIVE CENTER/DIVE PROFESSIONALS, INC.** or its employees, agents or boats responsible for my failure to inspect my equipment prior to diving.
7. I will be present at and attentive to the safety briefing given by the divemaster and boat captain, and if there is anything I do not understand or have been taught differently, I will notify the boat captain immediately.
8. I understand I have a duty to plan and carry out my own dive and to be responsible for my own safety and the safety of my buddy.
9. **I WILL REMAIN WITH MY BUDDY AT ALL TIMES.**
10. I will start my ascent at the end of each dive with enough air to guarantee being on the boat with a minimum of 500 PSI remaining in my tank.
11. I will immediately stop my dive if:
 - A. I feel uncomfortable with my diving abilities and/or
 - B. Diving conditions are worse than those for which I have been trained or for which I have experience.
12. I am aware of the dangers of holding my breath while diving and of the dangers associated with rapid ascents and will not hold the above named persons or entities responsible for such acts.
13. *If I become distressed on the surface, I will IMMEDIATELY drop my weight belt and inflate my BC for permanent flotation assistance and if I want or need assistance from the boat, I will give the proper "diver in trouble" signal.*
14. I fully understand and I am aware that the dive boat has limited medical facilities and that in the event of illness or injury, appropriate medical help must be summoned by radio and that treatment will be delayed until I can be transported to a proper medical care facility.
15. **IT IS MY INTENTION BY THIS INSTRUMENT TO GIVE UP MY RIGHT TO SUE ALL PERSONS OR ENTITIES REFERRED TO HEREIN, WHETHER SPECIFICALLY NAMED OR NOT, AND IT IS ALSO MY INTENTION TO EXEMPT AND RELEASE CAPTAIN SLATE'S ATLANTIS DIVE CENTER/DIVE PROFESSIONALS, INC., ITS EMPLOYEES, ITS AGENTS, AND ITS BOATS (WHETHER OWNED, OPERATED, LEASED OR CHARTERED) AND TO HOLD THESE ENTITIES HARMLESS FROM ANY AND ALL LIABILITY FOR PERSONAL INJURY, PROPERTY DAMAGE OR WRONGFUL DEATH CAUSED BY NEGLIGENCE OR GROSS NEGLIGENCE, AND I ASSUME ALL RISK IN CONNECTION WITH SNORKELING AND SCUBA DIVING ACTIVITIES.**
16. **I HAVE READ AND I UNDERSTAND THE FOREGOING IN ITS ENTIRETY AND AGREE TO THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS HEREIN ABOVE SET FORTH ON BEHALF OF MYSELF, MY HEIRS, AND MY PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVES.**

INDIVIDUALS UNDER AGE 18 MUST HAVE PARENT'S SIGNATURE

Certification Agency: _____ Cert. Level: _____ Date you are diving: _____

Date of last dive: _____ Depth: _____ Email Address: _____

Certification Number: _____ Home Address: _____

Today's Buddy: _____ City, State, Zip: _____

Group Name: _____ Home Phone #: _____

Print Your Name: _____ Local Accommodations: _____

Your Signature: _____ Parent(s) Signature (If under 18): _____