## Florida Training Series

**Hosted by Panama City Fire Department**

**Panama City, FL ~ March, 2018**

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### Location

All classes will be held at Panama City Fire Department Training Academy  
1121 Beck Ave  
Panama City, FL 32401  
**Classes begin at 0800***  
*Check PSSI schedule for class times.

### Rental Equipment

The host recommends Dive Locker  
106 Thomas Drive  
Panama City, FL 32408  
(850) 230-8006  
http://www.divelocker.net/

### Accommodations

The host recommends the **Country Inn**  
2203 Harrison Ave, Panama City, FL 32405  
3.9 miles to Training Academy  
Call (850) 913-0074 for reservations.  
**OR**  
**Red Roof Inn** - 217 US-231, Panama City, FL 32405  
3.3 miles to Training Academy  
Call (850) 215-2727 for reservations.  
**OR**  
**La Quinta** - 1030 E 23rd St, Panama City, FL 32405  
4.5 miles to Training Academy  
Call (850) 914-0022 for reservations.
All diving programs are designed for personnel who are physically fit. Participants are encouraged to participate after successfully completing the IADRS Watermanship Test or testing to a fitness level of 13 MET (Metabolic Equivalents) or greater. Participants with aerobic fitness questions or concerns should consult their physician prior to in-water training. Participants who have poor aerobic fitness may attend this program as surface support personnel with the approval of the instructor.

**Dive Rescue I**

Dive Rescue I is the internationally renowned three-day training course for certified divers and surface support personnel. Successful completion of a Dive Rescue I program will provide basic methods and skills necessary to function effectively at a water accident scene. Course topics include: Public safety drowning accidents, Selecting, training, and equipping dive teams, Scene evaluation, Dealing with family, media, and other agencies, Search patterns, Victim retrieval, Vehicle accidents, Accident scene evaluation, Introduction to specialized equipment, and Field exercises.

**Prerequisites:** Students must be a current member of a public safety agency and at least 18 years of age. Diving students must provide proof of open water certification. Participants must read and complete an RSTC Medical Statement prior to attending class. Any diver answering yes to a contraindication is required to have a physician's signature to participate in the diving portions of the program.

**Dive Rescue II**

Dive Rescue II is an intensive five-day course in advanced dive rescue skills. Dive Rescue International has developed this training course to enable public safety divers to successfully meet the challenges of their environment, maximize their resources, and safeguard their own lives in a multitude of water-related operations. Topics include: Evidence Recovery Operations and Light Salvage and Recovery.

**Current Diving**

- Hydrology/Dynamics of Moving Water
- Scene Evaluation
- Pre planning Current Diving Operations
- Self-Rescue Techniques
- Rescue Procedures for Surface Support Personnel
- Selecting Specialized Equipment
- Search Patterns in Current
- Search Techniques
- Handling Panic and Stress
- Field Scenarios

**Prerequisites:** Students must be a member of a public safety agency, at least 18 years of age and have Dive Rescue I certification. All participants must read and complete an RSTC Medical Statement prior to attending class. Any diver answering yes to a contraindication is required to have a physician's signature to participate in the diving portions of the program.

**Public Safety Diver Survival**

- Classify the causes and characteristics of diver stress
- Identify pre-dive and dive stress
- Conceptualize the behavioral and psychological signs of stress
- Define the stages of stress
- Recognize factors leading to panic
- Relate the coping styles for panic
Med Dive

This is an in-depth study of preventative and on-site emergency care for injured divers. This program is a must for any team interested in optimizing member safety. Skills learned can be used by non-medical personnel as well as the most experienced responder. The program is recommended for all emergency medical professionals, rescue and dive team members. Course topics include: Medical evaluations of divers, Decompression physiology and bubble formation, Signs and symptoms of decompression sickness, Pulmonary barotrauma, Rapid field neurological exam, Field treatment of compressed gas injuries, Oxygen administration, Post-diving considerations, Integration of Med Dive Specialists into dive operations, Advanced treatment principles, and Monitoring of divers. *Entire program will be held in the classroom

Prerequisites: All students must be a member of a public safety agency or health care field, and be at least 18 years old. Students must bring verification of current First Aid and CPR. Be Sure to Bring: Students must bring a pen, pencil, notebook and proof of CPR and First Aid training.

Public Safety Scuba Instructor

Our most physically demanding and study intensive program. This unique program is designed to help dive teams cost effectively develop certified Public Safety Divers (PSDs). By sending one of your team’s most experienced divers through this program, your department’s Public Safety Scuba Instructor (PSSI) will be able to standardize non-divers and open-water divers as PSDs. A PSD certification combines the fundamentals taught in an open-water class with an emphasis on the exacting skills required to successfully dive in a rescue/recovery operation. After completion of the PSSI program, graduates may purchase PSD student kits to train members of their own department as PSDs. *60 hours pre-course study & 74 hours of instruction over 5 days.

Prerequisites: All students must be: a member of a public safety agency, at least 21 years of age, open water scuba certified with a minimum of 100 logged dives (at least 50 of the dives must be public safety training or operational dives), and must have current First Aid and CPR training. Students must also provide a completed RSTC medical statement signed by a physician and have certification in Dive Rescue I and Med Dive. All students will be required to wear professional attire during classroom sessions.

Dive Rescue I Trainer

This program is designed for the department trainer who through experience and education is prepared to advance to the prestigious position of a Dive Rescue I Trainer. You already have an extensive knowledge of scuba diving and rescue/recovery operations, now learn how to teach more effectively and confidently. Completion of this program allows graduates to teach the Dive Rescue I program to members of their own department. The Dive Rescue I program teaches the fundamentals of dive team operations. This is an excellent opportunity to standardize training throughout your department in a cost-effective manner. Student kits must be purchased in order to teach the Dive Rescue I program. *50 hours pre-course study & 60 hours of instruction over 5 days.

Prerequisites: All students must be: a member of a public safety agency, 21 years of age, a Public Safety Scuba Instructor or certified current recreational scuba instructor, and current in First Aid and CPR. Students must also provide a completed RSTC medical statement signed by a physician, and have current certification in Dive Rescue I, Dive Rescue II & Med Dive. All students will be required to wear professional attire during classroom sessions.
Be Sure to Bring: US Coast Guard approved P.F.D. with knife and whistle, adequate clothing and protection from the environment and pen and paper for note-taking and sketching. Diving students must provide their own equipment: Scuba regulator: recently serviced and environmentally protected with alternate air source (i.e.: octopus, Air II, etc.), timing device, depth and submersible pressure gauges, BC with oral/power inflator, two tanks with current Hydro & VIP, mask, snorkel, fins, weight belt and two cutting tools (knife, wire cutters, or trauma shears)

Registration

First Name ___________________________________________ Last Name ___________________________________________
Phone ____________________________ E-mail ____________________________

Department _______________________________________________________________________________________

Billing Information

Credit Card Number____________________________________ Exp.date __________ CVC __________

[ ] Dept.card  [ ] Personal

Billing Address ______________________________________________________________________________________

[ ] Bill my Department

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To register for a program

Call us at (800) 248-3483 ext. 18
Fax this form to (970) 482-0893 Attn: Registrations
Email this form to Info@DiveRescueIntl.com
Visit the training page of our website at www.DiveRescueIntl.com

Cancellation Policy

Cancellations received prior to 3 weeks before the start of the class will receive a full refund. Cancellations received 8-21 days prior to class will receive a 50% refund. Cancellations received 0-7 days prior to class will not receive a refund.