

NEW HORIZONS DIVE SOCIETY UK TRIP BOOKING FORM

Personal Information Name					
	Post Code				
Contact No	_ Email				
Diving Qualification	No of DivesDate Last Dive				
Emergency Contact Name	Relationship				
Address					
	Post Code				
Contact No	_ Email				
Trip Information Destination	Start Date				
Accommodation Preference					
Equipment Rental Required					

Now please read and sign the Terms and Conditions overleaf and return this form to New Horizons with the required payments as detailed on the Trip Information Sheet.

For Office Use Only				New Horizons Dive Society	
	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Method</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Rec'd By</u>	51-53 Park Lane Macclesfield
Deposit					Cheshire SK11 6TX
Balance					Tel: 01625 611108 info@new-horizon.co.uk www.new-horizon.co.uk
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BOOKINGS CAN ONLY BE ACCEPTED ON RECEIPT OF THIS SIGNED DOCUMENT. PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING VERY CAREFULLY. IT IS STRONGLY RECOMMENDED THAT YOU TAKE OUT HOLIDAY INSURANCE TO PROTECT YOURSELF.

Terms and Conditions of Business of New Horizons Dive Society.

- 1. Reservations will only be confirmed upon receipt of a completed booking form and payment of the required nonrefundable deposit .
- 2. The balance of the payment for the Trip must be received 8 weeks before the starting date of the Trip otherwise your booking will be deemed to be cancelled and the deposit is non-refundable.
- 3. Cancellations must be made in writing. On cancellation, reimbursement of the balance paid will be at the discretion of New Horizons Dive Society.

PADI Standard Safe Diving Practices Statement of Understanding

This is a statement in which you are informed of the established safe diving procedures for skin and scuba diving. These practices have been compiled for your review & acknowledgement and are intended to increase your diving comfort and safety. Your signature on this statement is required as proof that you are aware of these safe diving practices. Read and discuss the statement prior to signing it. If you are a minor, this form must also be signed by a parent or guardian. I understand that as a diver I should:

- 1. Keep good mental and physical fitness for diving. Avoid being under the influence of alcohol or dangerous drugs when diving. Keep proficient in diving skills, striving to increase them through continuing education and reviewing them in controlled conditions after a period of diving inactivity or in new geographic areas.
- 2. If diving conditions are worse than those in which I am experienced, postpone diving or select an alternate site with better conditions. Engage only in diving activities consistent with my training and experience. Do not engage in cave or technical diving unless specially trained to do so.
- 3. Use complete, well maintained, reliable equipment with which I am familiar; inspecting it for correct fit and function prior to each dive. Always have a buoyancy control device and submersible pressure gauge when scuba diving. Recognise the desirability of an alternate air source and a low-pressure buoyancy control inflation system.
- 4. Listen carefully to dive briefings and directions and respect the advice of those supervising my diving activities. Recognize that additional training is recommended for participation in speciality diving activities.
- 5. Adhere to the buddy system throughout every dive.
- 6. Make all dives no-decompression dives and allow a margin of safety. Have a means to monitor depth and time underwater. Limit max. depth to my level of training and experience. Ascend at a rate of no more than 18m/60 feet per min. Make a safety stop as an added precaution, usually at 5 metres/15 feet for three minutes or longer.
- 7. Maintain proper buoyancy.
- 8. Breathe properly for diving. Never breath hold or skip breath when breathing compressed air & avoid excessive hyperventilation when breath hold diving. Avoid overexertion in and under the water and dive within my limitations.
- 9. Know and obey local diving laws and regulations and respect the environment.

Liability Release and Express Assumption of Risk

I hereby affirm that I am voluntarily engaging in the recreational activities planned for my Trip which may include, but are not limited to, scuba diving, snorkelling and boating. If I engage in scuba diving, I affirm that I am a certified diver or a student diver under the control and supervision of a certified scuba instructor, and that I thoroughly understand the hazards of scuba diving. I further affirm that I am thoroughly familiar with the hazards of boating, whether or not said boating involves scuba diving or snor-kelling activities. By signing this certificate I certify that I am fully aware of and expressly assume all risks involved in scuba diving, snorkelling and boating. I understand and agree that neither New Horizons Dive Society, New Horizons Dive Centre Ltd, nor International PADI, Inc., nor PADI International, Ltd., nor the owners, officers, employees, agents, or assigns of the above listed individuals and/or entities may be held liable or responsible in any way for any occurrence on this trip which may result in personal injury, property damage, wrongful death or other damage to me or my family, heirs, or assigns that may occur as a result of my participation in this trip or as a result of any matter or condition, under my control. I further state that I am of lawful age and legally competent to sign this certificate of understanding, or that I have obtained the written consent of my parent or guardian.

Name	_Signature	_ Date
Name Signature of parent or guardian if under 18	_ Signature	_ Date