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NIGHT DIVING

Bass Lake has a **minimum set of standards to be adhered to**, if we are to consider bookings, for night dives at Bass Lake.

1. All Night Diving groups must have O2 equipment and a back board, with the correct certification for this equipment.
2. A rescue diver must be on the surface throughout the dive, in the interests of diver safety, who is qualified in CPR and 0² administration. Bass Lake does not have any first aid staff on site and no staff are on duty, at the waterfront area at night. Bass Lake supplies a gate entry/ exit controller only, for emergency vehicle access and night diver entry/ exit purposes. All will exit by no later than 9h30 p.m.
3. The responsible instructor, (or Dive Master: applicable ONLY where ALL divers participating in the night dive are certified for night diving) must ensure that:
 - 3.1 all divers have proof of certification and up to date log books. This log book should indicate all dives made, including where and when last dived.
 - 3.2 all divers should have 2 Torches (1 main + 1 back up), 1 cylume and an alternate air supply.
4. The instructor (or Dive Master: applicable ONLY where ALL divers participating in the night dive are certified for night diving) must have the same as the above (refer point 3) and a marker light on the surface.
5. The instructor (or Dive Master: applicable ONLY where ALL divers participating in the night dive are certified for night diving) is to ensure that both a dive plan **and an** emergency plan are available for the rescue diver, as well as for all other divers diving. Please ask us, if you need any assistance in this regard. We have a draft outline that you can add to or amend, as you see fit. We are also able to provide you with emergency assistance information pertinent to our area, if you require this.

A safety briefing must be held before the dive. **Bass Lake must be sent a copy of the complete dive plan and emergency plan at least 24 hours before arrival. We regret that if this is not received on time, the night dive will be cancelled and the night diving levy paid will be forfeited, with no refund.**

6. All dives to adhere to Certifying Agency Rules, including the diver/ instructor ratio, depths, equipment etc.

You need to advise if you are able to comply with the above. If so, please submit a letter to us, confirming that you are able to comply with the above ASAP, to basslake@basslake.co.za, for us to be able to confirm if a night dive booking is possible. The R250 night diving levy is payable immediately thereafter, on confirmation from us. **Please Note: we need to finalise and confirm your booking at least 72 hours prior to your arrival.**

You furthermore need to submit all requirements per point 5. above on time

Thanking You

Regards

MANAGEMENT