



## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Hello Tritons!

Go jump in the Lake. You heard me right, go jump in the Lake. Lake Michigan that is. The warm weather is definitely here so what better way to cool off than to go jump in the Lake and enjoy a nice summer time dive. There is still one spot available for the June 23rd Charter Dive out of Waukegan so pick up that phone and give Ron Levin a call before it is gone. We also have some great dive trips planned for July so be sure to check out the calendar later in this issue to see what is available. Summer goes by fast and you don't want to be looking back in September wishing you had done more diving this year.

This month's Business meeting is also our yearly Open House event. Do you know a diver looking for some great diving? Or, do you have a relative, friend or neighbor who has expressed some interest in learning to dive? If you do, be sure to invite them to our next meeting. Better yet, bring them with you to the meeting. There will be food, fun and a great entertainment event to share with them.

At last month's meeting we collected items for the New Hope Food depository in Norwood Park. I delivered our donations a few days after the meeting and they were extremely grateful for our club members' generosity of food and paper goods. Thank you to all who made a contribution. I plan to do this again in fall. If you know of other similar charities like this that you would like to recommend to the Board of Directors, please let any Board member know about the group and how they can be contacted.

I look forward to seeing all of you at the June meeting.

Good diving to all,  
Randy

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## MEMBERSHIP REPORT June, 2012

Our current membership is:

69 full members                      TOTAL 69 members

Adolph Habich - Membership Committee

## UPDATE YOUR ROSTERS

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## LOOKING FOR A FEW TICS

Check out the Events Calendar and Sign Up for the Event of Your Choice, contact Pam Romund.

# TRITON 2012 EVENTS CALENDAR

<b>June, 2012</b>		
Saturday, 6/23	Charter Dive Waukegan	Ron Levin 630-529-4633 <a href="mailto:snappyron@sbcglobal.net">snappyron@sbcglobal.net</a>
Tuesday, 6/26	<b>OPEN HOUSE</b> Invite Guests	Giuseppe's Restaurant - 7:30 PM 1062 Lee St, Des Plaines, Illinois, 60016
Saturday, 6/30	Emergency First Responder Training	Mike Leibovitz, <a href="mailto:WA9EVF@COMCAST.NET">WA9EVF@COMCAST.NET</a> Home: 773-465-0981
<b>July, 2012</b>		
Tuesday, 7/10	Triton Trib Deadline	Pam Romund 847-698-5490, <a href="mailto:promund@kraftfoods.com">promund@kraftfoods.com</a>
*Thursday, 7/12	Concert in the Park – AH	Pam Romund 847-698-5490, <a href="mailto:promund@kraftfoods.com">promund@kraftfoods.com</a>
S&S, 7/14-15	Open Water Classes Begin - ITT Campus	Board of Education – Rich Schak 312-608-4112 or Steve Leibovitz: 847-833-5379
F-Sun – 7/20/22	Dive Mermet Springs	Brian Clarke and Lea Hotton* Date may change
Tuesday, 7/24	Business Meeting	Giuseppe's Restaurant - 7:30 PM 1062 Lee St, Des Plaines, Illinois, 60016
Saturday, 7/28	Charter Dive - Chicago	<b>TIC Needed</b>
<b>August, 2012</b>		
Saturday, 8/4	Class / DEMP	Mike Leibovitz, <a href="mailto:wa9evf@comcase.net">wa9evf@comcase.net</a> 773-465-0981
*Sunday, 8/5	Howard/Etherton Day Pearl Lake	Board of Education – Contact Pam Romund 847-698-5490 <a href="mailto:promund@kraftfoods.com">promund@kraftfoods.com</a>
Sunday, 8/12	Segway Tour, Chicago	<b>TIC Needed</b>
Tuesday, 8/14	Triton Trib Deadline	Pam Romund 847-698-5490, <a href="mailto:promund@kraftfoods.com">promund@kraftfoods.com</a>
*Saturday, 8/25	Kane County Cougar Baseball Outing	Adolph Habich ( <a href="mailto:AHabich@aol.com">AHabich@aol.com</a> )
Sunday, 8/26	Wreck Dive, Milwaukee	<b>TIC Needed</b>
Tuesday, 8/28	Business Meeting	Giuseppe's Restaurant - 7:30 PM 1062 Lee St, Des Plaines, Illinois, 60016
<b>September, 2012</b>		
Sunday, 9/2	Irish/Polish/Mexican Fiesta! Hacienda Vemmer	Rosana Vemmer ( <a href="mailto:rymexicana@hotmail.com">rymexicana@hotmail.com</a> ), 847.698.1727 Jan O'Malley & Lourdes Alanso
Tuesday, 9/11	Triton Trib Deadline	Pam Romund 847-698-5490, <a href="mailto:promund@kraftfoods.com">promund@kraftfoods.com</a>
Saturday, 9/15	Sea of Cortez Trip	Randy Skiba ( <a href="mailto:r_skiba@comcast.net">r_skiba@comcast.net</a> )
Sunday, 9/16	Quarry Dive/TIC Choice	<b>TIC Needed</b>
Sunday, 9/23	Oktoberfest	<b>TIC Needed</b>
Tuesday, 9/25	Business Meeting	Giuseppe's Restaurant - 7:30 PM 1062 Lee St, Des Plaines, Illinois, 60016
<b>October, 2012</b>		
Saturday, 10/6	Underwater Pumpkin Carving – Haigh Quarry	Pam Romund 847-698-5490, <a href="mailto:promund@kraftfoods.com">promund@kraftfoods.com</a>
Sunday, 10/7	Lake Geneva Dive	Jim Hynan, ( <a href="mailto:jhynan74@gmail.com">jhynan74@gmail.com</a> )
Tuesday, 10/9	Triton Trib Deadline	Pam Romund 847-698-5490, <a href="mailto:promund@kraftfoods.com">promund@kraftfoods.com</a>
Sunday, 10/20	Chicago Cruise Tour	<b>TIC Needed</b>
Tuesday, 10/23	Business Meeting	Giuseppe's Restaurant - 7:30 PM 1062 Lee St, Des Plaines, Illinois, 60016
Saturday, 10/27	Haunted House & Costume Party	<b>TIC Needed</b>

\*Date change Contact Pam Romund to sign up for an event 847-698-5490 or [promund@kraftfoods.com](mailto:promund@kraftfoods.com)

## **ENTERTAINMENT – JUNE MEETING**

This month is our annual OPEN HOUSE, bring your friends and family who might be interested in learning to dive. We are pleased to have at the meeting Deanna LaSusa-Hotchner. She will be presenting “Great White Sharks Defanging the Myths”.

Deanna became a diver twenty years ago. Since that time, her love for the ocean and diving has taken her all over the globe. Deanna has dove many places in the United States, Caribbean and South Pacific. Her favorite hobby is underwater videography. She is a recipient of the First Place award, Environmental Concern in the EPIC (Environmentally Aware Photographic Competition). Deanna also is the the head of Our World Underwater Scuba Show’s Children’s Program, Deanna teaches children about snorkeling and scuba diving and through arts and crafts, educates the children about the ocean animals they create.

The combination of Deanna’s zeal for marine conservation and her background as an elementary education major and trial attorney has shaped her major goals:

- to have people learn about the ocean and its inhabitants
- through this newfound knowledge inspire people to act to protect our Blue Planet & become ocean advocates

Deanna is a volunteer interpreter and diver at John G. Shedd Aquarium. She enhances aquarium guests’ experiences by sharing interesting information about the Shedd’s collections. Be sure to visit her website: DiscovertheDepths.com to find out more.

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## **FRONTERA FARMERS MARKET FIESTA**



On Sunday, June 10th, 3 Tritons and 3 friends attended Chef Rick Bayless’ **Fiesta** at Frontera Grill Restaurant. This is fundraising event to benefit **Frontera Farmer Foundation** which promotes small, sustainable farms serving the Chicago area by providing them with capital development grants

We had the chance to meet several of the farmers and sample from 15 different stations with appetizers prepared by the Frontera Grill staff using the farmer’s ingredients. My favorite was crispy cheese tacos with tomatillo salsa...

It was a traditional Mexican fiesta, with music, food and Margaritas.

We were lucky to be at the cooking demo by Chef Rick Bayless in his test kitchen. He prepared delicious tacos with greens and arbol chiles. And he announced the release of his next book “Guacamole and Margaritas”.

This event raised more than \$149,000!



Thank you everyone who attended the Fiesta!

TIC: Rosana Vemmer

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## **EVENTS COMMITTEE PLANNING FOR 2013**

I am looking for a few creative folks who would be interested in helping to put gather ideas for the 2013 Events Calendar. This will involve one night of work and I will feed you!!! Meeting will take place in late July, early August, at my home. All you need to do is bring your appetite and your imagination. Thanks!!

Events Chair – Pam Romund, Hm: 847-698-5490, Cell: 847-414-4337



# RUSH ARENA FOOTBALL

It was a fun night at the Allstate Arena on Saturday, June 16, nine Tritons and guests gathered to watch our very own Chicago Rush take on the Georgia Force. The Rush (8-5) scored on all but two of its possessions in a 62-27 victory over the Force (7-7). At the end of the game the score was 62 Rush and 21 for Atlanta.

It was also Teddy Bear Night so after the first Rush score of the evening the fans threw all shapes, sizes and colors of teddy bears on to the ice. They were quickly scooped up and all were donated to the Walter and Connie Payton Family Charity to be given to underprivileged children.

Because it was Family Night our tickets include a free soda and hot dog – all for \$20, and we received free posters, thunder sticks and more - great deal!

Once the game was over we headed over to Edwardo’s for pizza and beverages. The guys in the group had their heads spinning as a large group of very attractive, well-tanned women walked into the restaurant. They had participating in a body building conference earlier and were now done competing so it was time for them to eat and boy did they – several large platters of chicken wings, deep dish pizzas and assorted cocktails all disappeared. Note: they were accompanied by two gentlemen – their trainers. There was some kibitzing back and forth but we all had fun.

If you have never been to an arena football game it is something to see, the field takes up all the available space on the floor, no sidelines. But it moves quickly and the scores are usually high as a result. Glad everyone came.

TIC: Chris Demski

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## HAIGH QUARRY DIVE

Seven Tritons showed up at Haigh Quarry; Lea Hotton, Brian Clarke, Joe Leibovitz, David Vemmer, Ken Shields, Tricia Shields, and , Scott Reimer on Saturday, May 26<sup>th</sup>. Tricia and Ken showed up very early and reserved an excellent location right on the beach! It was a very hot and Sunny day. I learned how to put my tent up, thanks to Dave Vemmer. Everyone got two dives in, except for me. I got grill the ½ pound burgers with expert advice from Brian Clarke. I think everyone had a good time.



TIC: Scott Reimer

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## FLORIDA GETS A NEW ARTIFICIAL REEF

### U.S. Coast Guard Cutter Mohawk To Become Southwest Florida’s Latest Artificial Reef

The 165-foot-long Coast Guard cutter, *USS Mohawk*, put into use during WWII, is being prepared for its new life as an artificial reef near Fort Myers Beach for divers to explore. Sometime in the next few weeks (sinking sometime in July), the *Mohawk* will be sunk to 90 feet at Charlie's Reef, 28 miles west of Redfish Pass.

Replica deck guns and lifeboats will be mounted on the ship, and instead of being removed, the engine will be cleaned in place to add interest for divers, who will be able to swim down the smokestack to the engine room on the bottom deck.

The *Mohawk* is the last remaining ship of WWII's Battle of the Atlantic, launching 14 attacks against enemy submarines between August 1942 and April 1945, and it was the last vessel to radio Eisenhower that weather would be clear enough to launch the Normandy invasion.

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June, 2012

# SAFETYStop

Newsletter of Divers Alert Network

June is Dive Safety Month. And what better way to make sure you stay safe is to join the Divers' Alert Network (DAN). You can learn about dive safety with DAN's [Medical FAQs](#), [online seminars and video lecture series](#), [quizzes](#) as well as articles in *Alert Diver* and on [AlertDiver.com](#). Enhance your dive safety knowledge, and be prepared to assist in an emergency situation with [DAN training courses](#).

In addition, you can always contact DAN medics directly for information; call the Medical Information Line at +1-919-684-2948 or email [medic@dan.org](mailto:medic@dan.org).

This month DAN is featuring a safety quiz on pre-dive safety checks, dive planning and communication are essential to every dive. Are you practicing good dive safety habits? Go to: [http://www.diversalertnetwork.org/quiz/safe\\_diver](http://www.diversalertnetwork.org/quiz/safe_diver) to take the quiz yourself.

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Reprinted from: <http://www.scubadiving.com/training/basic-skills/8-tips-maintaining-your-bc>,  
Article by John Brumm, published on-line June, 19, 2012.

## **EIGHT TIPS FOR MAINTAINING YOUR BC**

1. Start by giving your BC a good freshwater rinse to hose off any big chunks of sand and dirt.
2. Fill a tub with fresh water, dunk the BC repeatedly, then leave it alone for a five-minute soak.
3. Remove the BC from the tub and give it another hose rinse. Direct the water stream into the power inflator so the bladder fills with fresh water.
4. Drain the bladder using the exhaust valves so their internal parts get a good flush.
5. Inspect the BC's corrugated hose and hardware for cracks and signs of wear. Also check all valve caps to make sure they're tight.
6. Examine the integrated weight system. Ballast pouches need to be removed and cleaned to clear the quick-release buckles of any obstructions.
7. Finally, make sure everything is in working order by fully inflating the bladder and checking for leaks, then pulling the corrugated hose dump and remote exhaust valve cords to make sure they work.
8. Job completed, partially inflate the bladder to give it some shape and hang-dry it in some shade, ready for your next dive.

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## **HOWARD – ETHERTON DAY**

### **Dive & Picnic, Pearl Lake**

### **Sunday, August 5**

We last visited Pearl in June and we will be heading out there again on Sunday, August 5 for our annual Howard/Etherton Day. This is a time for everyone to kick back and relax – the day will be easy going and very casual.

Marsh Howard was a founding member of the club and one of the original instructors. Jim Etherton was an instructor and president of the club and each were just all-around great guys. Both of them died way too young and this day is set aside by the Board of Education for all to enjoy a day diving and family activities as they loved to do. Come to dive, come to hike, bike or use the beach.

We will eat about 1:30 or so, and there will be plenty for all. Just let me know you will be coming so I can plan accordingly. Best of all you only need to pay your entrance to Pearl, \$20 if you are diving and \$10 for non-divers. The cost of the picnic is FREE!

TIC: Pam Romund 847-698-5490, Cell: 847-414-4347

Reprinted from: <http://blog.tsa.gov/2012/05/its-time-to-go-scuba-diving-travel-tips.html>, May 18, 2012, Article by Charlie Foreman, a Customer Support Manager in Mississippi. He's been diving since the early 80's and instructing since 1985. He's got over 5,500 dives under his belt and was inducted into Platinum Pro Instructor Foundation as well as the Platinum Pro Diver Foundation.

## ***TSA TRAVEL TIPS FOR DIVERS***

Before you get on that plane that takes you to an exciting destination, you must first think about how you should pack your dive gear for the flight. Here are some suggestions to make sure your expensive equipment arrives safely to your paradise adventure.

**Always** pack your expensive dive equipment and accessories in your carry-on luggage.

**Always** pack any prescription masks with you in carry-on luggage. If you lose this item it could ruin your whole trip.

**Always** pack your dive computers and regulators in carry-on luggage because these items are sensitive and do not need to be tossed around under the plane by baggage handlers.

Carry any prescriptions with you in your carry-on bag so they will not be lost.

Now that you have your carry-on bag packed, you can pay attention to packing your dive equipment that goes into the baggage area of the plane.

Pack your dive jacket( B.C, Stab Jacket, Buoyancy Compensators) in your dive bag first and place them in the middle of the bag.

Surround the jacket with your fins to protect it during the flight.

If you choose not to carry your mask with you on the plane make sure it is in a protective mask box and it is wrapped with dive skins or your wetsuit to protect it from getting broken. Always carry a spare mask in your bag. Masks are very expensive if you have to replace one on your vacation. Make sure you place your dive knife in your checked baggage and not your carry-on. This item is prohibited on board an aircraft.

Be sure to pack extra fin straps and repair items you might need as well as motion sickness medicines just in case. It is not necessary to carry weights and tanks with you since all resorts provide tanks and weights with the dive packages.

If you do chose to carry you own personal small emergency air source make sure the valve is out of the cylinder and it can be inspected at your time of departure.

Do not forget the most important item! Make sure you **lock your baggage** with a TSA approved lock. This will prevent anyone from removing items out of your dive bags.

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## ***CONCERT IN THE PARK***

**Thursday, July 12**

**Arlington Heights Harmony Park**

It is summertime and time for concerts in the park. Almost every community in the area does offer free concerts at least one day each week from late June to late August. Check out the website of your local city or village to see what is offered, you might be surprised.

This year we will be attending a concert in Arlington Heights to hear one of our own, Ron Levin. What better way to show our support to a fellow Triton that to hear him play. Come one, come all to hear the Reunion Jazz Orchestra on Thursday, July 12 at Harmony Park in downtown Arlington Heights.

Harmony Park is located in the Downtown area of Arlington Heights, at Vail Avenue and Campbell Street, just two blocks south of the Arlington Heights Train Station. There is a parking garage where you can park for free for the evening. I will be bringing water, cheese and crackers and a bottle of wine. Bring your lawn chair and come on out for a fun evening under the stars. Concert begins at 7:00, be there early to get the best space. I will be there by 6:00 PM.

TIC: Pam Romund Home 847-698-5490, Cell: 847-414-4347

Many thanks to Bruce Longman for the following. Reprinted from:  
<http://www.tradeonlytoday.com/home/520311-canada-helping-to-keep-asian-carp-out-of-great-lakes>

## **CANADA HELPING TO KEEP ASIAN CARP OUT OF GREAT LAKES**

Canadian and U.S. officials are working to protect the Great Lakes from Asian carp.

Canada is making a \$17.5 million contribution during the next five years to help keep the invasive species out of the lakes, and a bill introduced by Sen. Debbie Stabenow (D-Mich.) and Rep. Dave Camp (R-Mich.) also would seek to protect waters from the fish, according to press releases.

Asian carp are voracious feeders, and if allowed to enter the Great Lakes they will quickly out-compete the forage base of valuable sportfish, such as walleye, trout and salmon, according to an NMMA statement.

Canada will work with the United States to develop an extensive early warning and monitoring system, according to a Canadian release.

"The Great Lakes are important to the economic and cultural makeup of Canadians who live and work on these waters. These lakes support both recreational and commercial fisheries and a way of life for our people," said Keith Ashfield, Canada's minister of fisheries and oceans.

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## **MEMORIAL DAY BIKE RIDE SUNDAY, MAY 27, 2012**



Forty-three Tritons and guests arrived at 10 AM on the day before Memorial Day for a donut fest, since the bikers and walkers needed energy. The weather was sunny with a vengeance, with two of the eight walkers telling Margy and Milt in a thank you note that they loved the day including the "death march" at Independence Grove Forest Preserve. Eighteen bikers

started out the ride at Old School Forest Preserve in Libertyville, with many biking through Independence Grove and on to Gurnee and back. When some got to Independence Grove, they decided to ride around the lake which sounded cool. Since there was no shade at all, it felt even hotter than the nominal 97 degrees. It just proves that the Tritons are a tough bunch. Many appetizers, Chris Demski's great pulled pork, and Margy's chicken casserole and beef chili were just a warm-up for a million desserts. Tritons know how to party.

TICs Milt and Margy Levenberg

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Many thanks to Bob Gadbois for sending this to our attention.

## **GREAT LAKES INFORMATION – FREE!**

There is a great website with loads of information on both the Great Lakes and our marine environment. There are brochures and flyers on such diverse subjects as plankton, fish life, invasive species, water quality, physics, NOAA projects underway in the Great Lakes and many, many more. Go to: <http://www.glerl.noaa.gov/pubs/brochures/> for a complete listing and to download anything that might be of interest to you.

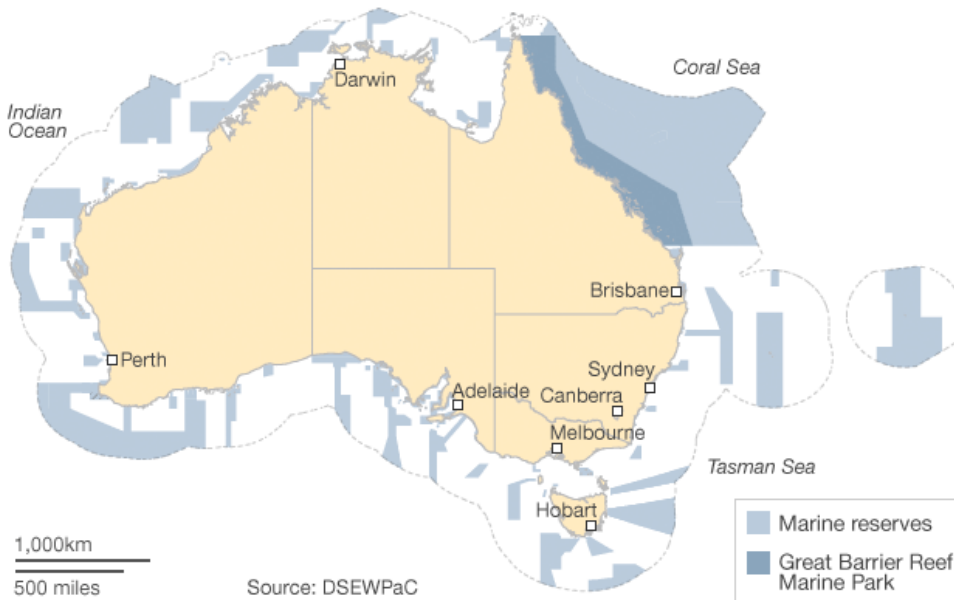
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## **DIVE MERMET SPRINGS**

Mermet Springs is an 8.5 spring feed quarry located deep in southern Illinois. We are planning a trip there later this summer, at this point the date is TBD. Sights to see are the spoonbill paddlefish, one of the largest freshwater fish in North America, they can reach 5 feet or more in length and can weigh more than 60 pounds. There is also a 727 Boeing Airliner and if you are very, very lucky, you might see a Freshwater Jellyfish. These translucent and whitish or greenish tinged, bell-shaped jellyfish, are small; about the size of a penny to quarter. Let us know if you are interested in heading down to dive Mermet to see the sights!

TICs: Brian Clarke and Lea Hotten.

## **AUSTRALIA TO CREATE WORLD'S LARGEST MARINE RESERVE**



**Australia says it will create the world's largest network of marine parks ahead of the Rio+20 summit.**

The reserves will cover 3.1 million sq km of ocean, including the Coral Sea. Restrictions will be placed on fishing and oil and gas exploration in the protected zone covering more than a third of Australia's waters.

Environment Minister Tony Burke, who made the announcement, will attend the earth summit in Brazil next week with Prime Minister Julia Gillard. "It's time for the world

to turn a corner on protection of our oceans," Mr Burke said. "And Australia today is leading that next step."

Australia has timed its announcement to coincide with the run-up to the Rio+20 Earth Summit - a global gathering of leaders from more than 130 nations to discuss protecting key parts of the environment, including the ocean, says the BBC's Duncan Kennedy.

The plans, which have been years in the making, will proceed after a final consultation process.

### **Ocean parks**



Last year, the Australian government announced plans to protect the marine life in the Coral Sea - an area of nearly 1 million sq km.

The sea - off the Queensland coast in northeastern Australia - is home to sharks and tuna, isolated tropical reefs and deep sea canyons. It is also the resting place of three US navy ships sunk in the Battle of the Coral Sea in 1942.

The network of marine reserve will also include the Great Barrier Reef, a Unesco World Heritage site.

The Coral Sea is home to diverse wildlife, including sharks and tuna

The plan will see the numbers of marine reserves off the Australian coast increased from 27 to 60. "What we've done is effectively create a national parks estate in the ocean," Mr Burke told Australian media.

However, activists and environmental protection groups are likely to be less than satisfied with the plans, having called for a complete ban on commercial fishing in the Coral Sea.

The fishing industry is set to receive hundreds of millions of dollars in compensation, reports say.

Some have also noted that oil and gas exploration continue to be allowed near some protected areas, particularly off western Australia. The Australian Conservation Foundation said that although the plan didn't go as far as they would like, it was a major achievement in terms of ocean conservation.

Currently the world's largest marine reserve is a 545,000-sq-km area established by the UK around the Chagos Islands in the Indian Ocean.



# EMERGENCY FIRST RESPONSE<sup>AE</sup>

**Help** save the lives of  
your family, friends and  
neighbors

Get prepared with Emergency First Response



Recent world events have proven that the ability to manage medical emergencies is critical when disaster strikes and emergency services are overwhelmed or nonexistent. Now you can get prepared to save the lives of your family, friends, coworkers and neighbors by taking Emergency First Response CPR and first aid courses. Or, become an Emergency First Response Instructor and pass these essential skills on to others in your community.

Contact your local Emergency First Response Instructor:

**Michael Leibovitz**

[Wa9evf@comcast.net](mailto:Wa9evf@comcast.net) or 773-251-7463

**Class Date:** June 30, 2012

**Note:** Class will last 6 – 8 hours

**This will be a Emergency First response and First Aid class**



# **PLAY BALL**

**PLUS FIREWORKS**



**AUGUST 25 2012**

**6:30 PM**

**BOX SEATS \$14.00**

**Fifth Third Ballpark**

**34W002 Cherry Lane**

**Geneva, Illinois 60134**

**TIC Adolph Habich**

**Phone 773-625-3019**

**E-mail [ahabich@aol.com](mailto:ahabich@aol.com)**

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The following businesses support our organization and we thank them for the generosity. The next time you stop in mention you are a Triton & personally thank them for their support.

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Naperville, IL 60540  
630-820-2531

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732 S. Rand Road  
Lake Zurich, IL 60047  
847-540-7211

## **DJ'S SCUBA LOCKER**

7840 W. Ogden, Suite #9  
Lyons, IL 60534  
708-442-4388

## **HAIGH QUARRY**

2738 E 2000 North Road  
Kankakee, IL 60901  
815-939-7797

## **PIRATE'S COVE DIVING**

1103 West Oklahoma Avenue  
Milwaukee, WI 53215  
414-482-1430

## **SCUBA SYSTEMS**

3919 Oakton  
Skokie, IL 60076  
847-674-0222

## **BERRY DIVE CENTER**

3402 N. Milwaukee  
Northbrook, IL  
847-358-3848

## **DD DIVE SHOP**

1039 Waukegan Road  
Glenview, IL 60025  
847-657-3483

## **ENTERPRISE MARINE**

420 Michael Court  
Des Plaines, IL 60016  
847-640-8113

## **PEARL LAKE RESORT**

Highway 251  
South Beloit, IL 61080  
815-389-1479

## **SCUBA EMPORIUM**

16336 S. 104th Avenue  
Orland Park, IL 60467  
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## **UNDERSEAS SCUBA CENTER**

611 N. Addison Avenue  
Villa Park, IL 60181  
630-833-8383

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## **PEARL LAKE DIVE & PICNIC**

Saturday, June 2, a picture perfect day at the lake, blue skies and big white fluffy clouds – and as an added bonus DUI Days were also being held at the lake so several headed over there to check out the suits. It was very relaxed and a good day to try out new gear before heading out on the Big Pond. In between the dives we dined on Italian Sausage (mild and hot), potato salad, and the usual picnic accompaniments.

Scott Reimer brought the OREO Cookies so we did have plenty of goodies to munch on through-out the day. Ron Levin contributed some great background music to the festivities - the one CD by Eric Clapton and BB King was fantastic!!! Thank to Mike Leibovitz for his instructor expertise in making sure everything was running smoothly and doing some minor field repairs. Thanks to Cathy Leibovitz for being good company once everyone was in the water. The next dive & picnic at Pearl, Sunday, August 5, plan now!

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