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Welcome to Your Awesome Groupon Deal - \$399 Catalina Weekend!

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We may not be anthropologists, but our observations have shown that men and women living in the urban jungle are decidedly tame. Show off your wild side with today's deal from [Pacific Wilderness](#): Spend two weekends learning how to scuba dive and receiving the PADI Open Water Certification at this San Pedro habitat -- and off the coast of Catalina -- for \$399 (an \$899 value). For the first Saturday and Sunday session, study from the books and take part in two four-hour sessions with professional trainers in an indoor heated pool. On the second weekend, your focus group will head to Avalon (ferry tickets, transportation, and accommodations at [Seaport Village Inn](#) included). Spot eels, bat rays, sea lions, and more during your trip. This half-off deal is your chance to escape from reality & make a splash.

Schedule Options

Class #	Last Day to Enroll In Class	Weekend #1 (San Pedro Store)		Weekend #2 (Catalina Island Dives)	
		Date(s)	Class & Pool (Sat & Sun) San Pedro Store	Date(s)	Open Water Dives (Sat & Sun) Catalina Island
3-a	7-Jul	7/14 & 15	9 am - 4 pm	7/28 & 29	8 am to Noon
3-b	7-Jul	7/14 & 15	9 am - 4 pm	7/28 & 29	8 am to Noon
4-a	14-Jul	7/21 & 22	9 am - 4 pm	7/28 & 29	8 am to Noon
4-b	14-Jul	7/21 & 22	9 am - 4 pm	7/28 & 29	8 am to Noon
7-a	4-Aug	8/11 & 12	9 am - 4 pm	8/18 & 19	8 am to Noon
7-b	4-Aug	8/11 & 12	9 am - 4 pm	8/18 & 19	8 am to Noon
9-a	18-Aug	8/25 & 26	9 am - 4 pm	9/8 & 9	8 am to Noon
9-b	18-Aug	8/25 & 26	9 am - 4 pm	9/8 & 9	8 am to Noon
6-a	28-Jul	8/4 & 5	9 am - 4 pm	8/18 & 19	8 am to Noon
6-b	28-Jul	8/4 & 5	9 am - 4 pm	8/18 & 19	8 am to Noon
11-a	1-Sep	9/8 & 9	9 am - 4 pm	9/15 & 16	8 am to Noon
11-b	1-Sep	9/8 & 9	9 am - 4 pm	9/15 & 16	8 am to Noon

"A" & "B" Classes take the Sat. 6:15 am Boat to Catalina & the Sun 3:45 pm Return

Note: Highlighted Classes above DO NOT take place over two consecutive weekends

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Required Gear

Properly fitted [Personal Snorkeling Gear](#) (Silicone Mask, Snorkel, SCUBA Fins, Boots & Gloves) are not included in the price of today's Groupon Promo and must be paid for separately. Complete Packages run \$89 and up after your [\\$50 Instant Rebate](#).

Prior to Starting Your PADI Open Water Class with Pacific Wilderness:

- Pick a Schedule above. Please enroll at Least 1 Week prior to start date.
- Visit our San Pedro Dive Center to Pick-up your Books & Loaner DVD.
- Get fitted & Purchase your Basic Snorkeling Gear at either Location (San Pedro or Orange).
- Read your Open Water Book and Complete All 5 Knowledge Reviews.
- View your DVD in its entirety.
- Fill out your Medical release in FULL. **If you answer ANY of the questions on the Medical Form "Yes" you will need to get a signed release from your Doctor PRIOR to the start of Class.** Click [Here](#) for Medical.

Please Bring to your First Class/Pool Session:

- Your Signed Medical Release. (Doctor's Release if you answered any Med. Questions "Yes").
- Your Books and DVD (DVD to be returned), plus completed homework assignments (All 5 Chapters) to hand into your Instructor.
- Pen, Paper, Swimsuit & Towel plus your Basic Snorkeling Gear. (Both Days)

Typical Schedule:

Weekend #1

Saturday morning you'll meet at the San Pedro Store at 9:00 am and you'll do some paperwork, Classroom review and break for lunch. Following Lunch you'll do your swim assessment in our on site, indoor heated pool (85 degrees of comfy, clear, clean water). Following, you'll put on SCUBA gear & practice honing your Diving Skills. Class should wrap up sometime between 4 and 6 pm.

Sunday morning you'll meet at the San Pedro Store at 9:00 am again. Start with a Classroom review, Final exam and break for lunch around Noon. Following Lunch you'll put on SCUBA gear & practice honing your Diving Skills and run through Dive scenarios to make you comfortable in the water. Class should wrap up sometime between 4 and 6 pm.

Weekend #2

Friday the day before your Catalina Dives, you'll need to come into either our Orange or San Pedro Location to pick up your **SCUBA Rental Gear** (Included in the class). Plan on about 30 to 45 minutes for fitting, so please don't show up at 10 minutes till closing (which is 7 pm). You'll need a "Full Pack" which includes Regulator System, Tank, BC, Weight Belt & Weights, Wetsuit & Hood. You'll also need to pack your **Basic Snorkeling Gear** for Catalina as well. Prep your Gear Friday night when you get home and prepare for some weekend Fun!

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Saturday morning you'll take the Early [Catalina Express](#) Boat to Avalon with fellow students and your Instructor(s). When you arrive in Avalon, the [Seaport Village Inn](#) Van will meet our Group at the Dock to help us with Gear & People Transport to the Dive Site. They will take your Luggage to the Hotel and store it while your group prepares to Dive. You'll make two Dives with your PADI Instructor at [Casino Point](#). Following the dives, the Van will pick you & your gear up and take you to the Hotel. You can then clean up if you wish and have the rest of the day off to enjoy Avalon. You'll be spending the night in a 4-5 person "Bedroom Guest Suite" with a full Bath and Kitchen. We will put Couples in the room and singles in the main area. We will accommodate everyone's requests whenever possible.

Sunday morning you'll awaken to an early Breakfast (Included) prior to making your final two Beach dives off [Casino Point](#). The [Seaport Village Inn](#) Van will meet our Group at the Hotel to help us with Gear & People Transport to the Dive Site. Following the dives to complete your Open Water Certification, the Van will bring you back to the Hotel. You should be wrapped up by noon and depart back to the mainland between 4 & 7 pm. So you'll have some time to get some lunch and share stories with your fellow - newly certified divers!

NOTE: All Hotel and boat reservations are booked more than 10 days in advance - Because of this we may not be able to accommodate special requests. Additionally, we pay a fee based on the number of people who register for the class. Should you wish to cancel after you have already made payment our Cancellation Policy is;

- Less than 7 days from the departure date - we will try to fill your spot with another diver. If we are unable to sell your spot, you will be charged the \$170 accommodation loss.
- Less than 2 days from the departure date - you will be charged the \$170 accommodation loss.

What's Included in this Getaway

PADI OpenWater Class, all PADI Course Materials, PADI Lifetime Certification Card, SCUBA Rental Gear, Class Tuition, Pool Use, 4 Supervised Dives at Casino Point, Catalina Express (Round Trip), Seaport Village Inn Hotel Accommodations, Shuttles to & from Avalon Terminal and to Hotel & from Hotel to Dive Site. Hotel Breakfast Sunday Morning.

What's NOT Included in this Getaway

Basic Snorkeling Gear, Meals on Catalina (other than Sunday's breakfast), Parking fees at Catalina Express - Long Beach Terminal (\$15 per day), Air Re-fills at Casino Point (3 @ \$7 each), Tips.

About Us

[Pacific Wilderness](#) is one of the Top PADI SCUBA Centers in the Country and is in the Top 2% of ALL Dive shops Nationwide in SCUBA Sales. We will be more than happy to assist you with any Gear Purchase needs – we back all gear with a **“30 Day Lowest Price Guarantee!”** We also keep students informed of special events even after certification, providing new adventures with your new friends for years to come! [Pacific Wilderness](#) is a Full Service Dive Specialty shop that has been in business serving Divers **of all levels** - including Most Area Public Safety Teams - **since 1953.**