Please read carefully then sign & date

ASSUMPTION OF RISK AND LIABILITY WAIVER

I affirm that I am a certified diver over the age of 18 and I understand that SCUBA diving is a recreation which involves an element of personal risk, including the hazards of traveling to and from a dive site.

- I have the training and experience to be able to assess diving risks for myself and understand that I personally make the decision whether or not to undertake a specific diving activity.
- I undertake to make my own safety assessments in my diving with the ANU SCUBA Club (ANUSC), and I will ensure that any personal limitation or condition that might affect my capacity to dive is made clear to any trip coordinator, and to any diving buddies I have within the Club.
- I understand that under the ANUSC constitution it is my duty as a member to conduct my activities in such a manner as to not expose other members of the Club to any additional danger or undue risk.
- I will not hold the ANUSC responsible for my safety nor for the loss of or damage to my property.
- I further acknowledge that the ANUSC is a Club which is set up to facilitate trained and experienced individual members to undertake SCUBA diving activities with other similarly trained and experienced members and that the ANUSC accepts no responsibility for the training or guiding of its members.

Signed: ____________________ Date: ____________________

Witnessed (signature): ____________________
(ONLY SIGN WHEN WITNESSED)

Witness print name): ____________________
The Club
The ANU SCUBA Club aims to foster and promote SCUBA Diving in the ANU community by facilitating trained members to carry out high quality, cheap diving. Club members coordinate regular dive trips to the South Coast of New South Wales—from Eden to Sydney and everywhere in between. During summer/autumn Club members will run a dive weekend every two weeks or so.

Costs are kept to a minimum. The Club coordinates shared transport to the coast and arranges cheap accommodation.

The Club owns two boats which members use for CHEAP boat diving. A dive typically costs $10-$15 ($5-$10 for students) for the boat ride—an incredible bargain compared with charter rates. Regardless of your experience level, the ANU SCUBA Club is an excellent way to improve your diving skills. Members are more than happy to pass on their skills to newcomers.

Website
Our website has heaps of information including newsletters and an up-to-date dive calendar.

http://scuba.club.anu.edu.au

Membership Fees
ANU Student $30
Other ANUSRA Members $50

Learning to dive
The Sport & Recreation Association (ANUSRA) organises discounted courses through the nearby dive business, The SCUBA Store (www.scubastore.com.au), run by one of our past members. A number of Open Water courses are offered each year, generally 2 or 3 at the start of each University year and 1 or 2 at the end. You can find out more about these courses by contacting the ANUSRA Sport and Recreation Coordinator (phone 6125 8381) or checking out the Sports and Recreation Course booklet available. If you would rather make your booking directly, find out more about the courses, or if you’d like to arrange to do your course at a particular time then call The SCUBA Store (which operates from Straight Line in Braddon).

Club Contact
anusc-committee@anu.edu.au

or

The President or Secretary,
contact details at:

Lady Musgrave Island
In addition to our NSW Coast forays, the Club runs an annual winter pilgrimage to Lady Musgrave Island on the southern end of the Great Barrier Reef. Imagine: while Canberra freezes you could be diving with turtles and manta rays, relaxing on the beach of a coral cay island and watching the sun set over tropical waters. This is an outstanding holiday which in 2008 cost ANU students $970 for two weeks on Lady Musgrave Island, including transport from Gladstone to the island, camping fees, food and all the diving you can manage.

Equipment
In addition to the two boats, the Club has more than 12 sets of SCUBA gear (tanks, buoyancy vests & regulators) plus some weight belts. On Club trip weekends these are available for FREE to undergrad student members and at very cheap rates for other members. On non-Club trips, a small fee per item applies to all members. You must provide your own snorkeling gear (wetsuit, mask, fins, snorkel etc). If you don't own your own gear, Club members usually receive a discount at Straight Line in Braddon.