

For additional details and registration forms please go to the Gulf Stream Council website
www.GulfStreamCouncil.org

Thank you Jupiter Dive Center for delivering a great program for our Scouts at summer camp. Please note that Jupiter Dive Center offers SCUBA certification year-round. To make arrangements for your unit to get certified outside of summer camp, please contact Jupiter Dive Center directly at (561) 745-7807.



Camp Tanah Keeta
2011 Summer Camp Program Guide
for

SCUBA

Contact Information

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SCUBA Diving Merit Badge and PADI Open Water Dive Certification

SCUBA Program Requirements:

- ◆ MUST be 14 years of age or older.
- ◆ MUST be comfortable in the water and pass the BSA Swim Test.
- ◆ MUST complete the BSA Annual Health and Medical Record form, Parts A, B, and C and have signed form (parent and doctor) at camp when reporting at 2:00 pm.
- ◆ MUST complete PADI required forms (4): STANDARD SAFE DIVING PRACTICES STATEMENT OF UNDERSTANDING; MEDICAL STATEMENT; LIABILITY RELEASE AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK AGREEMENT; and STATEMENT OF RISKS AND LIABILITY.

SCUBA Schedule at Camp Tanah Keeta

Sunday

- Check-in at 2:00 p.m. with Troop/Crew
- Health review with camp medical team
- Gear to camp site—change into bathing suit
- Swim Test at Pool
- Dinner - Opening Campfire

Monday

- SCUBA safety and classroom preparation in morning, skills and pool instruction towards afternoon (progress at pace of the group).

Tuesday—Thursday

- Practice and certification dives in pool, shallow water and finally boat entry. Meals and evenings with unit.

Friday

- Make-up - Closing Campfire

Saturday

- Breakdown camp and head home with Troop/Crew

Equipment List to bring to Camp

Arrive in Class 'A' Uniform	Swim Trunks, Boys / One piece suit, Girls
Activities Uniform, Class 'B'	1-2 pair of shorts
Rain Gear	Several T-shirts
Toiletry Kit	Walking shoes
2 Towels	Bug spray
Water Bottle with clip	Sunscreen (SPF 30+)
Sleeping bag or sheets w/blanket	Sunglasses
Tent	Wide brimmed hat
Prescription Medication	

The Gulf Stream Council is proud to be working in conjunction with the Jupiter Dive Center to offer the SCUBA Diving Merit Badge and PADI Open Water Dive Certification.

Much like Scouting, the overall philosophy of SCUBA encourages the quest for adventure. It is a life changing experience that enables young men and women to embrace challenges in a whole new way. That first breath underwater; the feeling of total weightlessness as you embark into a foreign world enables you to be part of something so powerful it transforms your life! You can dive anywhere in the world! Whether you're on the coast or centrally located there's an ocean, lake or quarry available for you to explore.

SCUBA at the Tanah Keeta summer camp will allow older Scouts and Crew members to participate with their unit at summer camp while still achieving the goal of high adventure. Youth and Adult participants will earn the Open Water Dive Certification and Scouts will complete all the requirements for the SCUBA Diving Merit Badge. This is a lifetime certification that is only the first step into an endless world of underwater experiences.

Cost for this program is \$550.00 for the early bird registration (paid in-full by April 1, 2011) for Youth and Adults. The cost will increase to \$580.00 if paid in –full after April but prior to 2 weeks before camp. No registration will be taken for SCUBA less than 2 weeks before camp due to required paperwork. Price includes: Equipment rental, dive trips, food for the week and camping at TK with your unit. As an addition Jupiter Dive Center will give every participant a free mask, fin and snorkel set.

SCUBA will be offered the four weeks of Traditional summer camp:

June 20 – June 25	Boy Scout Week 1 (Monday Check-In)
June 26 – July 2	Boy Scout Week 2
July 5 – July 9	Resident Camp for Wolves, Bears, and Webeles
July 10 – July 16	Boy Scout Week 3

Once you register for the Tanah Keeta Summer Camp SCUBA program, the Council will share your contact information with the Jupiter Dive Center. They will send you a packet of material including a Scuba Text Book, Dive Logbook and the four PADI required forms. Doctors approval is required so, please set an appointment with your doctor to review the medical forms and approve your participation.