



# North Current



Monthly Newsletter of the Aquatic Explorers Scuba Club Inc.  
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## Next Meeting

### *Club Meeting*

November 7, 2011 @ 8:00 PM

Club Meetings are held at the America Legion Post on Overlook Rd.

### *Board Meeting*

November 28, 2011 @ 7:00 PM

Board Meetings are held at Marsh Scuba

### *Club Meeting*

December 5, 2011 @ 8:00 PM

Club Meetings are held at the America Legion Post on Overlook Rd.

## *A Good Diver is Always Learning*

Congratulations to Mark Habinowski, Lynn Smith, Tony Smith and Mike Waters for achieving the level of PADI Dive Master and congratulations to Jab Swart and Bob Kverek for achieving the level of PADI Rescue Diver.

## *Spring Trip*

Marsh Scuba Supply has posted a trip to Sunset House in Grand Cayman for April 21 thru 28, 2012. For more details visit the shop or the Marsh Scuba web site.

## Upcoming Events

November 12 Cape Ann, MA

December 5 Club Spaghetti Dinner

For updates and the full club event calendar visit the club web site at <http://www.aquaticexplorers.org/calendar.htm>

## *Help the Newsletter!*

The newsletter is a tool for members to communicate with other members discussing places to dive, providing information about new products, and discussing other topics of interest. It is a great forum to provide valuable information to club members.

In the past few months there has been a lack of content provided for publishing in the newsletter. Please help us keep the newsletter interesting and valuable to members.

## *Club Officer Elections are Fast Approaching*

Elections for club officers occurs at the December club meeting. This year's elections will be held on December 5th.

Nominations for the board will be taken at the November club meeting, held on November 7th. Nominated board positions include President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer, and Member at Large.

Nominations will be announced in the November edition of the club newsletter and on the club web site.

## ***2011 Club Officers***

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## ***Club Hours***

December is fast approaching. If you find yourself short on meeting your club work hours for the year, its not to late. There are still a few ways to get in your hours.

The club is looking for people able to help with the December Spaghetti dinner to be held during the December club meeting. If you would like to help you can contact Andy Viviano at marshscuba@optonline.net.

We are also looking for people to send dive journals for trips taken for the web site. Dive journals help members learn about new dive locations and provide insights about where to stay, eat and dive. You can earn time toward your work hours for each dive journal you submit. Send your dive journals to Tony Smith at tsmith2099@optonline.net.

## ***Local Diving***

A handful of Aquatic Explorers Club members are planning a trip to Cape Ann MA for some shore diving the weekend of November 12th.

All club members are welcome and encouraged to come. There is no fee for this trip.

If you care to join us, you will be responsible for your own accommodations, meals, and transportation. Room reservations can be made at the Cape Ann Marina Motel at 800-626-7660.

For more details contact [www.capeannmarina.com](http://www.capeannmarina.com). Anyone having any questions about the trip or interested in joining can contact Andy Viviano at 845-452-8994 or at marshscuba@optonline.net.