

**THE BUCKEYE SCUBA CLUB
STATEMENT OF UNDERSTANDING
FOR ALL LEVELS OF SCUBA TRAINING**

·The Buckeye Scuba Club has requested that Randy McNeal and Andy Silverman provide YSCUBA™ Open Water training exclusively for members in good standing with The Buckeye SCUBA Club.

·The Ohio State University has waived the facility fee for the club’s certification classes.

·Randy McNeal and Andy Silverman will be teaching YSCUBA™ Open Water training.

·All of the above teachers must provide a copy of their Instructor or Divemaster card showing that they are in “Active Teaching Status.” They must also provide the club a copy of their "Scuba Insurance Program" which includes effective dates. These must be on file before students or instructors can get into the water with SCUBA equipment.

·A \$100 deposit is due no later than the first confined water session, and the balance is due by the third confined water session. For all classes that do not require confined water sessions the total is due at the start of the course.

·For confined water dives, The Buckeye SCUBA Club will supply: Tank, regulator, gauges, BCD with inflator, weight belt, weights, mask, fins, and snorkel.

Confined Water Expenses:

·Randy McNeal and Andy Silverman will provide the following confined water training related items for the following costs:

- a. Seven classroom and confined water dives for a total of 24 hours of instruction.....\$180
- b. Textbooks and materials:
 - Textbook (librariated).....\$0
 - Logbook.....\$0
 - Dive tables.....\$0
 - Air fills.....\$0
- c. equipment usage for seven confined water dives:
 - (Supplied by OSU).....\$0
- d. Certification card fee.....\$20

Total confined water expense.....\$200

It is understood that although itemized, the total cost of \$200 above is a packaged price.

Open Water Expenses:

·For open water dives, The Buckeye SCUBA Club will supply: Regulator, gauges, BCD with inflator, weight belt, weights, mask, fins, and snorkel.

·I understand that I must provide the following for open water dives:

a. Entry fees.....	\$20
b. Airfills.....	\$12
c. Tank rental.....	\$14
d. Exposure suit.....	\$0-\$20

Total open water expenses.....\$46-\$66

Make-Up Class Expenses:

·Make-up classroom and confined water sessions will cost:

a. Instruction.....	\$50
b. Entry fee to outside pool facility.....	\$5

Total.....~\$55

(Classes can only be made-up if there is a corresponding class in progress)

Refund Policy:

·Once a class has started, money will only be refunded if the student is:

- Determined to be medically unfit for diving
- If after the second confined water session the student decides they no longer want to pursue SCUBA diving as a recreational activity

·I understand everything outlined above, agree to these policies in my open water certification with The Buckeye SCUBA Club, and understand that the cost of Open Water YSCUBA™ certification through The Buckeye SCUBA Club will be about \$246.

Provider Signature

Date

Good Standing:

I understand to be a member in good standing of The Buckeye Scuba Club I must:

- a. Pay annual club dues
- b. Sign a sport club liability waiver
- c. Abide by the sport club and student organizations code of conduct
- d. File a copy of my highest level of SCUBA certification in the SCUBA room
- e. Sign and file the "Standard Safe Diving Practices Statement of Understanding"

Other Criteria:

As a member in good standing of The Buckeye Scuba Club, I understand that:

_____ 1. Make-up sessions and Open Water training dives will be held off campus and I must provide my own transportation to these sites.

_____ 2. Open Water training will be held between May 1st and September 1st. If I choose any other time, or a non-supported dive location, I will assume all additional costs (ie. trip fees, charter fees, etc.).

_____ 3. I must pay for entry fees, airfills, tank fills, and exposure suit rentals at the open water training sites (Estimated cost \$46-\$66).

_____ 4. Certification is not guaranteed. If I require extra sessions to develop my skills, I will pay \$55 per confined water session and/or \$25 per open water training dive.

_____ 5. If I choose to be certified elsewhere, a referral letter will be provided upon successful completion of all knowledge development and confined water sessions.

Print Name

Student Signature

Date