



THE SAFETY STOP

COJO's MONTHLY NEWSLETTER

On Location from: COJO Headquarters!! Lincoln, New Brunswick

ISSUE 79

What's New

Welcome to the **August 2017** edition of the **COJO Diving Safety Stop newsletter**.

During June and July, COJO was absolutely **FLAT OUT** completing all of the open water diver courses, Wreck courses and many others as well as trips and events everywhere!!

There were Advanced Open Water courses, Rescue Diver, First Aid and Oxygen, both at the

COJO World Headquarters in Lincoln and at COJO North in Pointe Verte, New Brunswick!!

On top of that, **COJO has put in an air fill station at the Tara Manor in Saint Andrews, NB** so our customers there can now get air fills and service right at the Tara Manor Inn!! Come and check it out!! Woo hoo!!

A big congratulations to **Hubert, Jay and Pascal** on finishing their **PADI Dive Master** courses!! **Great work and welcome to the COJO Family!!**

This month **Doc Octo** not available due to work commitments but he will hopefully be back next month with another awesome article on diving medicine!!

COJO's Summer Store Hours:

Monday	5pm to 9pm
Tuesday	5pm to 9pm
Wednesday	5pm to 9pm
Thursday	5pm to 9pm
Friday	5pm to 9pm

Thanks and Safe Diving!!
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Courses During June and July

During **June and July**, COJO ran the following courses.

- **PADI** – Open Water Course
- **PADI** – Dive Master Course
- **PADI** – Rescue Diver Course
- **PADI** – Open Water course
- **PADI** – Sidemount Diver Course
- **COJO** – Drysuit Diver course
- **PADI** – Wreck Diver Course (Tobermory)
- **DAN** – Oxygen for Diving Emergencies
- **COJO** – Discover Diving
- **SDI** – Visual Inspection Course
- **Red Cross** – Basic First Aid / CPR Course
- **PADI** – Enriched Air Nitrox Course

June and July were so crazy that **Joe forgot to write a newsletter!! Woo hoo!!**



Congratulations to all the new PADI Divemasters!! Great work Jay DeGrace, Hubert Arseneau and Pascal Cyr!! If you are interested in Joining the Tribe of COJO Divemasters, send us a note!! We have a course starting in September!! Woo hoo!!



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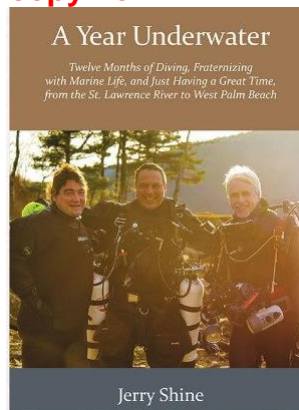
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Excursions During June/July

During June and July, COJO was CRAZY-BUSY the entire time!! Woo hoo!!

“A Year Underwater” Book Signing

On June 14th Joe headed to Massachusetts to meet up with **Diver Ed** and World Famous **Jerry Shine** for the launch of his new book “**A Year Underwater**”!! This is an absolutely awesome book for divers and Non-Divers!! Don't miss out, come in to COJO and **pick up your copy now!!**



While there, Jerry, Ed and Joe got a dive in at **Folly Cove!!** What an awesome time!!



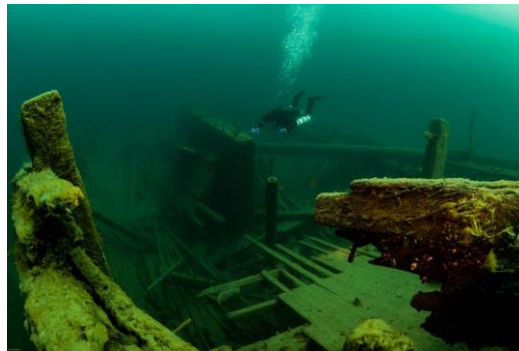


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Tobermory Wreck Diving Week

For the end of June and the beginning of July, Joe brought a group of divers down to **The Divers Den** in **Tobermory Ontario** for a long weekend of awesome Wreck Diving!! While there, they completed 20 dives of all different levels from 20 feet deep to 150 feet deep!! A **special thanks** to the entire gang at **The Divers Den** for all the awesome support!! We will be back!!





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Grand Manan GAFC and Whale Cove Clean Up

On **15 July**, COJO headed to **Grand Manan** for the **Great Annual Fish Count** and **Whale Cove Clean Up Dive**!! Thanks to all who came out to support!! Great job to all!!





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Courses To Come

Looking ahead for August, and beyond, The Training Calendar is chock-o-blocked full of courses!! Woo hoo!! We have tons of courses available for any level!! If you are interested in any of them or, if you don't see what you are looking for, just send a note to us at cojodiving@gmail.com or on **Facebook** for information on when we can run it for you!! Don't forget about the non-diving courses too such as **First Aid**, **Oxygen Provider**, **Advanced Medical First Responder**, **Equipment Maintenance** and much more!!



- 11 to 15 Aug – PADI Open Water Diver Course (Soldier On)
- 12 – 13 Aug – PADI Open Water Diver Course (Pool (Bathurst))
- 20 Aug – COJO Discover SCUBA Diving @ Tara Manor Inn
- 26 – 27 Aug – PADI Open Water Checkout Dives
- 8 to 10 September – PADI Rescue Diver Course (Atlas Park)
- 19 – 20 Sept – Red Cross WSFA with CPR Level C
- 21 Sept – DAN Oxygen Provider course





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Events to Come!!

Fundy "Fun Dive"!!

On **5 August**, don't miss out on the **Fundy Fun Dive** at **McCann Head** in St Andrews!! This will be a dive for any level and there will be buddies-a-plenty!! Don't miss out! Woo hoo!!

Zombie Apocalypse Diver Course!!

On 15 October, don't miss out on the Annual Zombie Apocalypse Diver course!! This is a course that any diver of any level can take and improve their skills while fighting the Undead!! If you would like more information on this course, don't wait until it is too late or, it may be too late!!





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COJO Financing Options Now Available!!

For purchases as low as \$499, COJO customers (OAC) can now take advantage of no-interest and low-interest options with payment plans up to 36 months.

Canex No-Interest Payment Plan

\$499.99 - \$6,500 up to 36 months

For serving and retired military members and their families, RCMP, DND staff and other serving members and staff, the Canex plan is an excellent option! Contact us for more details or click the logo to go to the Canex site:



COJO Diving Financial Services

\$2,000 - \$10,000 up to 36 months

COJO Diving Financial Services is a great low-interest option for all customers looking to keep existing their existing credit line open! No fees and we offer an early payout option as well!



For more details go to our website:

[Financing Options](#)



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Other Great Programs from COJO!

COJO Discount Program

We offer several discount options for our military, EFR workers, full-time students, and supporters of Nature Trust of NB!

Read more [here](#).

COJO "Rent To Own" Program

The **COJO "Rent to Own" Program** is born from the need for divers to get into their own gear sooner. You've already decided the diving sport is awesome and you want to go diving as much as you can! But spending money on rental gear doesn't allow you to save up to buy your own gear. This program supports your dive habit AND gets you into your own gear sooner!

Read more [here](#).

COJO Weight Replacement Program

At COJO Diving we understand that emergency situations happen, and it may be necessary for divers to ditch their weights in order to achieve positive buoyancy at the surface. If you purchased your weights from COJO, contact us on how to replace your weights FREE of charge.

Read more [here](#).

COJO Pony / Bail-out Refill Program

At COJO Diving we strongly encourage all divers to carry a completely independent air source for emergency bail-out situations. We will top-up and refill pony bottles following use in an emergency or following annual inspections or hydros, or just any time to bring those tanks up to full pressure.

Read more [here](#).



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Featured Course

15 October (Fredericton)

PADI Zombie Apocalypse Diver Course!!



Cost \$125.00 + HST

We are again offering the PADI Distinctive Specialty - Zombie Apocalypse Diver course! This course benefits certified divers of every level! (Minimum age is 12).

Obtained over the course of 2 scenario-based dives, students will earn their certification by completing a unique series of challenges and obstacles. Divers will test their survival skills, rescue skills and a few skills they didn't even know they had. At the end they will obtain the most sought after certification card in SCUBA history: Zombie Apocalypse Diver.

Course Price: \$125.00+HST

- Includes classroom, open water dives, textbook and zombie bracelet (made from real zombie skin!!)
- On course completion, students will receive a Certificate of Completion and PADI Distinctive Specialty c-card.



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Gear Highlight!



Featured Product



Power dry your gear with the [HangAir](#), a system that dries in hours, not days. Using a built in high power fan, the [HangAir](#) dries your suit faster, slows the development of bad odors, and prolongs the life of your gear. Its strong structure and stainless steel hook can support up to 100 pounds!

The high-power waterproof fan is used to completely dry and ventilate suits of all kinds in mere hours. By maintaining equipment with the [HangAir® Drying System](#) you can enjoy the comfort of a freshly dried suit before every use. Ideal for scuba wet and dry suits, fire and electrical protective wear, leather cycling gear, etc.

Brushless fan motor does not generate ozone - healthy for wetsuits!

In stock \$79.95+HST



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COJO "Throwback" Pic!

April 2012 – Deer Island

The result of **COJO Diving** and the **Deer Island Rec Council** working together - **Diver Funding** and moving many wheelbarrows of gravel, **Divers** completed construction of a **NEW Diver Parking Area** at CanCat/Customs beach.





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COJO now has an **Air Fill Station** at the **Tara Manor Inn in St Andrews!!**

If you need fills, head to the Tara and get topped up by the gang there!!

Tank Fills are **\$10.00** (including tax)

Drop in or call [\(506\) 529-3304](tel:5065293304)

Stay tuned!! This is just the beginning of our expansion into St Andrews!!



We would love for you to follow us on **Facebook**. Become a **friend** of **COJO Diving** at <http://www.facebook.com/COJODiving> or join us on Twitter (@cojodiving) or Instagram (COJO Diving)

COJO also has a YouTube Channel where you can view some of our dives as well as training videos. It is constantly being updated so don't miss out!!

[Click for COJO YouTube Channel](#)

Thanks and we are looking forward to diving with you soon!!

Connie and Joe!!