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### What's New

Welcome to the July 2018 edition of the COJO Diving Safety Stop newsletter.

June was a crazy month and flew by!! COJO Diving was absolutely NUTS teaching Open Water, Rescue and tons of other courses

The **COJO Kids** course is in full swing and the children are getting ready to finish up the pool and head to the open water!! Great job COJO Kids!! **Woo Hoo!!** 



COJO also had a really awesome **Diver's Social** at **COJO North** in Atlas Park!! What an awesome start to the diving season!! Thanks to all who came out!!

COJO went crazy this month selling the new line of **Abyss drysuits!!** There are **several at the store** that you can see, touch and try on so come on in!!

The **COJO World Headquarters** store entrance has been **undergoing renovations!!** It is now complete (minus the grass!!). Come on in and check out the face lift and have a coffee with us!!

This is the last chance to sign up for the COJO Commercial Prep Program. If you are thinking of going to commercial school, this is the program you need!!

#### **COJO's Spring Store Hours:**

Monday	
Tuesday	
Wednesday	
Thursday	
Friday	

5pm to 9pm 5pm to 9pm 5pm to 9pm 5pm to 9pm 5pm to 9pm

Thanks and Safe Diving!! Connie and Joe COJO Diving





# **Courses During June**

During **June**, we were crazy with ongoing courses and events!! Some of the ones we completed, or that were ongoing during the month are

- > **PADI Open Water Diver course**
- PADI Rescue Diver course
- > PADI COJO Kids Jr Open Water course
- **PADI ReActivate**
- **COJO Drysuit Orientation**

Awesome job to all the students and thank you to all the COJO Instructors and Dive Masters for enabling a crazy awesome start to the summer dive season!! Woo Hoo!!





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### **Courses To Come**

Looking ahead into the Summer, the Training Calendar has tons of courses and options for classes for all levels!! 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!!

Our **PADI Sidemount** course will be moving a bit later in the summer so, if you were looking to do the recreational sidemount, it may be time for you to come on in and talk about it!!



- 9 to 13 July COJO Commercial Prep Program
- 14 to 15 July PADI Advanced Open Water Diver Course
- 23 to 24 July Abyss Drysuit Maintenance Training (COJO)
- 4 to 5 Aug PADI Jr Open Water course
- 9 to 12 Aug PADI Self Reliant Diver course





# **Events in June**

# **Diver Social, Atlas Park – June 10**



For the second year in a row, **COJO** has kicked off the dive season at **COJO North** with a **Diver's Social!!** This year was awesome!! We had a ton of divers out to enjoy the day and, even the Mayor of Pointe-Vert came to wish us an awesome summer!! Thanks to all who came out!! **Woo Hoo!!** 





### June 16 – Pirate Dive – McCann Head

**Doc Octo** managed to one-up last year's **Pirate Dive** with an awesome haul of pirate gold and fun!! We had a treasure hunt that was well set up and well executed!! Everyone who came out went away with tons of prizes and lots of memories!! Thanks very much to **Doc Octo** and to all who came out for the event!!



# **Coming Up in July – Woo Hoo!!**

#### Saquenay Trip – July 1<sup>st</sup> Weekend!!

What an awesome place to dive!! We are currently in Quebec at the **Saguenay** Fjord diving our brains out!! This is an amazing place to dive deep and enjoy totally awesome marine life!! Woo Hoo!!

There are **5** spots remaining on the October trip in Quebec. Divers must be Advanced with Deep Specialty and deep diving experience, or technical divers. The dives are deep ranging 80 to 100ft for most divers, with the opportunity to dive much deeper. Gas redundancy is an absolute requirement!

Contact us for more info!



#### Fun Dives July 21 – 22

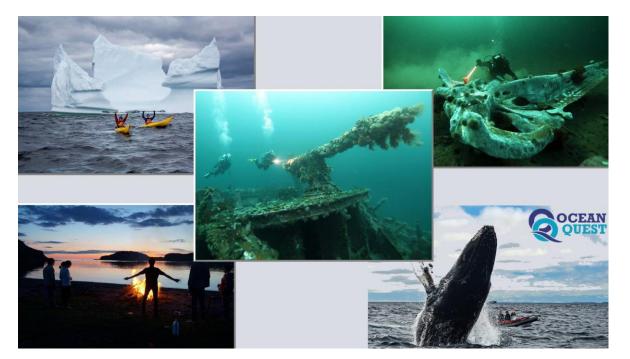
We will **announce soon** the location/times for dives the July 21 weekend. July 21 is PADI Women's Dive Day! We will celebrate that, as well have a sponsored REEF Fish count dive.

#### **Diving Newfoundland 2019**

#### June 29 2019 - July 6 2019

We are excited to return to **Newfoundland** for another exciting dive adventure! Join us in **2019** as we spend a week with **Ocean Quest Adventures**. Explore the **Bell Island Wrecks**, discover sea caves, kayaking, icebergs & more!

We have 3 spots remaining on this trip, contact us for more info!





# **Commercial Prep Program 2018**

Registration is closing soon for the **COJO Commercial Diver** prep program scheduled for July. If you are interested to attend a Commercial Dive School but don't yet have the requisite number of dives, hours and experience – this is for you! Spots are very limited, contact us for info and to register!





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### **Canex No-Interest Payment Plan**

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

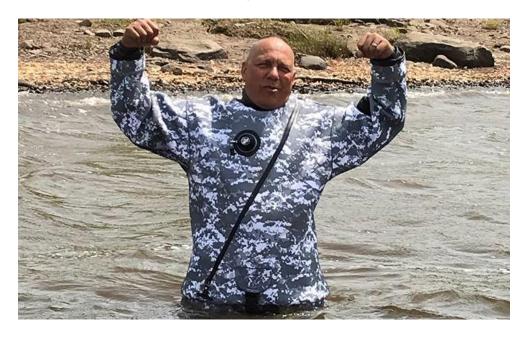
For serving and retired military members and their families, RCMP, DND staff and other serving members and staff, the Canex plan is an excellent option! Contact us for more details or click the logo to go to the Canex site:



### FEATURED COURSE

# **PADI Self-Reliant Diver Course**

Learn to dive independent from another diver. This course will teach you how to plan and execute dives in a totally self-reliant, redundant manner!!



### **\$300.00 + HST** Next course starts Aug 9 in the classroom!



# **FREE Drysuit Orientation with every Drysuit!**



Did you know... purchase any new drysuit from COJO and we include no charge a Drysuit Orientation in the classroom and pool. Upgrade to the full Certification Course for just \$75!

Ask us about discounted accessory packages for drysuit underwear, fins, hood and dry gloves!



# Summer Feature Products Abyss Drysuits!!





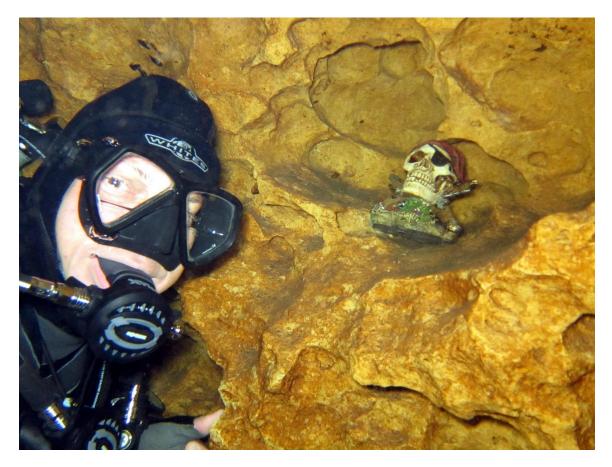


Woo Hoo!! **COJO Diving** has teamed up with **Abyss**, the **best drysuits** in the industry!! Come in and try on **your new suit!!** The **1mm tech neoprene** has all the room a tech diver needs to be able to manipulate their gear on that critical dive and, the **Pro suits** have the ruggedness required for a hard-working diver in cold, Canadian environments!! Both front and rear zip, with and without pockets and pee valves!! These things are so awesome, **Joe** already bought two!! Check them out!! They even stand up to **Diver Ed!!** There are tons of **unique patterns and configurations**!! A very special welcome to **Gim and Denise** to the **COJO Family!!** You'll be sorry!! **Woo Hoo!!** 



# COJO "Throwback" Pic! June 2010 – Florida Cave Diving!

Joe found a fun little pirate skull deep in a Florida cave.. spooky!



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!!