

# The Rebel Yell

A Newsletter from Diving Rebels, Inc.

-Oldest Scuba Club in Texas-

Established in 1958

**ADOPT A HIGHWAY  
LITTER CONTROL  
NEXT 2 MILES**

**THE DIVING REBELS  
SCUBA CLUB**

## **ADOPT-A-HIGHWAY CLEANUP**

When: 10:00 am, Feb 3, 2001  
(Weather Permitting)

Where: Pioneer Parkway  
(between Collins & 360)

Meet at Electronic Discount Parking Lot  
(Southeast corner  
Collins @ Pioneer Parkway)

Bags and vests will be supplied ♦

## **February Meeting Information**

When: Wednesday, February 7  
Where: J. Gilligan's Bar & Grill  
400 E. Abrams Road, Arlington  
(Between Collins and Center)  
Time: Social Hour 6:30-7:30pm  
Meeting Time 7:30pm  
Speaker: Kammala Shaddocks  
North Carolina Wreck Dives



## **FEBRUARY OUTING**

The February outing is the Wine and Cheese Tasting event as in previous years. This year's party is scheduled for February 24 at Marietta Landing, Lake Murray, Oklahoma.

Steve Sadler is coordinating (and cooking) this one and is planning a Barbecue dinner. As in previous years, there will be lots to eat, and the annual Wine and Cheese Tasting events so bring your best entries. Tickets for the dinner will be \$7.00 per person if purchased prior to February 15 and \$10.00 per person at the lake.

This is always a great outing with lots of multi-club participation, diving, kayaking, cheese-eating and wine-tasting, fire building, etc. We have invited the Scubadillo's, Finz, Reef Riders and the Bottom Timers.

Directions to Lake Murray:  
Take I35 N to OK and follow the signs to Lake Murray. At mile marker 25 look for a sign pointing to the Lake. Turn Right (east) and go until Scenic 77 Hwy. Then make a right. Follow Hwy. 77 until you see Marrietta Landing, turn in there and look for Rebel signs. ♦



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## REBEL-WEAR INCENTIVE

Pooh Bear is cute, Ralph Lauren is hip, Tommy is chic.... but Rebel-wear is a **MUST**. Diving Rebels, you are challenged to wear your Rebel insignia! The ante has been raised from 25 cents to 50 cents for neglecting to wear your Rebel insignia to the meetings!

This is very easy to do with all the Rebel gear options available. Rebel T-shirts, jackets, and caps all count! Show your club spirit and wear your stuff.

If your Rebel items are getting a little worn, you can replace them with some of the following:

- ❖ Rebel T-Shirt, gray, short-sleeved
- ❖ Rebel polo-style shirt, short sleeved, color selection
- ❖ Rebel denim jacket
- ❖ Rebel cap

2001 is the year to revive your Rebel wardrobe and support the club by donning your Rebel-wear. ♦

## DUES ARE DUE

Wow! Another year of diving has come and gone! Once again, it is that time of year to pay your dues. Dues are:

\$20 per member

\$10 for additional household member

Please make your checks payable to: Diving Rebels, Inc. You may bring your check to the February membership meeting or mail to the club Treasurer:

Stephen Herman  
4808 Hidden Oaks Lane  
Arlington, Texas 76017



## D.R.I.F.T.

(DIVING REBELS INDUCE FREQUENT TOGETHERNESS)

As you all remember, our past President Linda Magnuson established the D.R.I.F.T. incentive plan to encourage meeting/outing participation and **DIVING**. D.R.I.F.T. points will be maintained for 2001 so don't forget to sign-in at meetings and outings. ♦

## FROM THE HISTORIAN – Calvis Hawes REBEL HISTORY – PAST FEBRUARYS

1967 Lake Caddo - A diver was shot and killed by a duck hunter. (Is this an extreme sport?)

1983 Lake Murray – 16 Rebels, 10 divers including Calvis Hawes and Jim Magnuson

1995 Lake Murray – 16 Rebels, 2 kids and 4 dogs. Calvis Hawes and Greg H. braved a 25-minute dive with a water temperature of 39 degrees!

Best wine – Ed Cason

Best cheese – Jerry & Sabrina Jones

Best flame – Glenn Whitmire

Worst (really bad) cheese – Phyllis Kirchoff

1997 Lake Murray – Divers Steve Sadler, Clyde Freeman and Robin make a 30-minute dive with a water temperature of 47 degrees!

1999 Lake Murray – Multi-club outing: Rebels, Scubadillos and Reef Riders 50 adults, 6 kids, 7 dogs, 2 snakes, 1 goat and 1 rabbit in attendance 55lbs of brisket, 30lbs of potato salad and 4gal of beans served

Wine and cheese contest: 17 wines and 9 cheeses entered! ♦



## CALENDAR OF EVENTS 2001

### FEBRUARY - WINE & CHEESE FUNDRAISER

PLACE MARIETTA LANDING, LAKE MURRAY  
DATE/TIME FEBRUARY 24

### MARCH OUTING

PLACE SQUAW CREEK  
DATE/TIME MARCH 17

### APRIL OUTING

PLACE TYLER STATE PARK  
DATE/TIME APRIL 7

### MAY OUTING

PLACE TBD  
DATE/TIME MEMORIAL WEEKEND, MAY 26

### JUNE OUTING

PLACE TBD  
DATE/TIME

### JULY/AUGUST OUTING

PLACE TBD  
DATE/TIME

### SEPTEMBER OUTING

PLACE OUACHITA  
DATE/TIME LABOR DAY WEEKEND, SEPT. 1

## BOARD MEETING: MEMBERS WELCOME

At the January membership meeting, President Steve Sadler extended an open invitation to any member who would like to attend the Diving Rebel Board meeting. Board meetings are held the last Wednesday of the month at Steve and Fay's house in North Arlington, usually starting between 6:30pm and 7pm. For specific information and directions, give Steve at call at 817-461-9313.

This is your opportunity to get involved and see how the planning occurs. If you have ever considered running for office but are intimidated by the job, buddy up with an officer at the Board meeting. The Board will sincerely appreciate your support and you'll see how all the important decisions are made! ♦

## UPCOMING EVENTS

Submitted by Cindy Jackson

### March Outing: Squaw Creek

Plans are well on the way for our March project and outing scheduled for March 17 at Squaw Creek. This outing will focus on improvements to the Squaw Creek diving area. Kirby is in the process of making the molds for our markers and Scott and Ronnie will be making the markers in February.

Rebel members and divemaster candidates will be mapping the area in early March (burr freeze – hey that means me)! We will be passing around a sheet at the next meeting for people to sign up to work on this one. We will need people to work on the platform and people to set the markers. Robert Dove is coordinating this outing and he should have more details on camping and meal shares. More details at the February membership meeting. This outing should have a lasting impact for the better.

### Blue Water Trip

I know August seems along way away but it will be here before we know it. Diane with the travel agency is getting prices around for package deals to the areas we are interested in. So far people have suggested the Florida Key, North Carolina, Grand Cayman and Cozumel. I will be looking for your input so its not to late to help plan this one. Anyone who is interested in planning or going on the Blue Water Trip, let me know. We can get together one evening for Mexican food and Margaritas.

Diane did have one suggestion for our consideration: Costa Rica. She said the prices have become comparable to prices for Cozumel. She said she went last year and it was fantastic. Located in the Pacific over volcanic rock the water is a deep blue full of things to see.

Star fish, sea horses, dolphins, large schools of fish everywhere and she even saw a whale shark. Plus lots of interesting non-diving activities including rainforest tours and white water rafting. ♦



## WELCOME JANUARY GUESTS

**Kevin Chin  
George Bartulevicz  
Richard Ries**

*We appreciate you checking out The Diving Rebels and we hope to see you again!♦*

## NEW REBEL MEMBER

The Diving Rebels are starting 2001 with a new member, **Doug Sheppard**. Doug was a guest in our September meeting, has participated in several of our outings and attended many meetings. We look forward to great diving with you Doug! ♦

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