

# BOTTOM TIMES

## REDWOOD EMPIRE DIVERS

### General Meeting

The first Thursday of the month.

**When: 7-2-09**

**Time: 6:00 pm**

**Where:** Paul Whyte's Home  
336 Pleasant Hill Ave. N.  
Sebastopol, CA

### Dive Channel Islands

**July 9<sup>th</sup>**

Come join the club for a boat Safari to the Channel Islands



### PLAN FOR VAN DAMME by James

We are getting organized for our first of 3 trips to Van Damme this summer. August 21-23 is our first trip and we need you to sign up if you plan on having a vehicle in the group site. There is a limited number of **vehicles** allowed in the group site and club members have preference over guests and extra vehicles. We also need to account for trailers since they are counted as vehicles. Since we have not had any problem in the past with exceeding the total **people** allowed in the site, guests can still pay to park their vehicle across Hwy 101 and camp in the group site.

Taking the lead on organizing this Campout is Brian Gross ---  
Thanks Brian!  
Brian Gross - Cell #707-337-3689  
he's expecting your call to sign you up.

### Summer BBQ

By Paul Whyte

Yes party at my house 7/2/09 start at 6:00 PM. Bring your kids, park (volleyball anyone) across the street, pool in back yard ,bring your favorite dish. Address 336 Pleasant Hill Ave. N. Sebastopol.

SEE MAP ATTACHED.

### SCUBA KNIGHTS EVENT...

In May - Paul, Ryan, Brian, Nikki and others joined the Scuba Nights for a diving event out of Ocean Cove.

Here are a couple pictures....



Read Brian's Post at the link below:

<http://www.spearboard.com/showthread.php?t=84292>

### AB Poachers

**“Poaching red abs from a healthy Mendocino population sucks.**

**Poaching black abs from a recovering Monterey population goes beyond sucking.”** - We'll stated by long time member Jed.

DFG News Release

### Poachers Threaten Monterey's Endangered Black Abalone

June 2, 2009

**Contact:**  
**Patrick Foy, Department of Fish and Game, (916) 651-2084**  
**Ed Hazel, Monterey County District Attorney's Office, (831) 755-5070**

California game wardens recently made two new arrests in a series of black abalone poaching cases in Monterey County. Jerry Jones, 37, of Monterey, and Terry Callahan, 47, of Seaside were arrested by the Department of Fish and Game (DFG) on May 13 after being found in possession of 51 black abalone from Point Lobos State Park. Poaching charges against the two men are pending.

READ COMPLETE RELEASE  
AT :

<http://www.dfg.ca.gov/news/news09/2009060201.asp>

# PARTY AT PAUL'S THURSDAY JULY 2<sup>nd</sup> 2009 6 pm

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## **SIGN UP FOR REEF CHECK TRAINING**



Class session at Sonoma State University; Cypress Sea out of Monterey (6 dives)

July 18-19, 2009 [class/pool] & July 25-26, 2009 [field]

[http://reefcheck.org/rcca/training\\_schedule.php](http://reefcheck.org/rcca/training_schedule.php)

# RED EVENTS CALENDAR – 2009

UPDATED 6/21/09

## GENERAL MEETINGS

First Thursday of the month  
Starts at 7:00 pm at Stony Point Round  
Table Pizzeria. 2065 Occidental Rd.,  
Santa Rosa.

JULY MEETING BBQ- POTLUCK

## DIVES

Single day dives meet at 8:00 am. at  
chosen site. Alternate dives two weeks  
later at same location only if dive was  
called.

## CLUB EQUIPMENT

Picnic supplies- Paul Whyte

## CLUB OFFICERS

President Paul Whyte  
Vice President Gary Baumuel  
Secretary  
Treasurer Paul Damgaard  
Editor James Cameron

## July 2009

**7-2 General Meeting  
Paul's Home - Potluck.  
7-9 Departure for the Boat  
Safari to the Channel Islands**

## August 2009

**8-6 General Meeting**

**Aug. 21-23**

**Campout Van Damme**

## September 2009

**9-3 General Meeting**

**Sept. 11-13**

**Campout Van Damme**

## October 2009

**10-1 General Meeting**

**Oct. 16-18**

**Campout Van Damme**

## November 2009

**11-5 General Meeting**

**11-7 Dive at Fort Ross**

**11-7 Crab dive at Doran**

**11-12 to 14 PEACE Dive the  
Channel Islands.**



Mike Mendoza is taking deposits for the trip aboard the PEACE. The deposit of \$150.00 will hold your spot. The total trip cost is \$450. Dates are November 12-13-14 TH-FR-SA Outer Islands departs at 2AM call 415-516-0155 to sign up

## December 2009

**12-3 General Meeting**

**12-5 Dive at Timber Cove**

**12-? Christmas Dinner**

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