



NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF BLACK SCUBA DIVERS
28TH ANNUAL DIVE SUMMIT
Grand Lucayan Resort
Freeport, Grand Bahamas
NOVEMBER 3 – 10, 2018

WELCOME TO LIGHTHOUSE POINTE SEASIDE RETREAT*

WE ARE FAMILY! ONE NABS! COME TO FREEPORT WITH US



*For those who remember this property, Breaker's Cay tower is temporarily closed due to storm damage.

We are excited to welcome you to a “close to home” experience for the 2018 NABS Annual Summit. We are excited and delighted that you have chosen to spend time with your NABS Family. We are going to have a great experience, and I hope that you are recruiting, friends, family, and colleagues to join us on this trip.

Grand Bahama Island is the fourth largest island and second most popular tourist destination in the Bahamas. Located less than 70 miles from the coast of Florida, the island is 539 square miles in size and features long stretches of secluded beachfront.

Freeport is the main city on Grand Bahama, an island in the northwest Bahamas off the Florida coast. It's best known for the oceanfront Lucaya district, with beaches, resorts and shopping. Nearby, Deadman's Reef is popular for snorkeling, and the surrounding offshore waters host many dive sites. Up the coast, Lucayan National Park features extensive underwater caves, plus kayaking and nature trails.



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And while the divers are at “play” underwater, there are plenty of activities for non-divers as well. Some of the Island’s settlements such as Pinder’s Point, Russell Town, Smith’s Point, and William’s Town are named after the former families who founded them. Today, these settlements serve as cultural hot spots. There are three distinct destinations of Grand Bahama Island – East End, Freeport/Lucaya, and West End – each offering its own unique experience. There are three national parks, and on the south side miles of beautiful beaches.

Getting to Freeport

There are international flights that go directly to Freeport (FPO) usually with a stop in either Miami or Fort Lauderdale, Florida. A taxi ride to the hotel is about \$20 per person. Taxi’s are readily available at the airport.

Diving

The UNEXSO dive shop is located directly across the street from the hotel. UNEXSO plans to close its dive operation for the time we are there and dedicate its time and staff to NABS. We currently have 5 boats with a maximum 86 divers. The dive package includes five days of 2-tank am diving, and 4 days 1 tank afternoon dives. There will be an optional night dive and an optional shark dive (at additional cost).



The “Dive Package” includes the following:

- Tanks and Weights
- 4 days of 3 Tank Dives Daily –
- 1 day of 2 tank Dives

ACCOMODATIONS

Lighthouse Pointe Package Includes:

The “Resort Package” includes the following:

- 7 Nights’ Accommodations
- Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner daily
- Complimentary Wi-Fi
- Gratuities and Taxes

All rooms come with air-conditioning, alarm clock, hair dryer, compact refrigerator, coffee maker, in-room safe, microwave, telephone, and Wi-Fi.



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Island View Room



There are 5 rooms with 2 beds

Restful and relaxed, our 400-square-foot Island View Rooms have king beds, private furnished balconies and lush garden views.

Marina View Room



There are 25 rooms with 2 beds

There are 10 rooms with King bed

Shades of blue and cream create a restful and relaxing vibe in our 400-square foot Marina View Rooms overlook the marina and have private balconies and a choice of king or double-double beds



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Ocean View Room



Measuring 400 square feet, our calming blue and cream Ocean View Rooms offer breathtaking unobstructed ocean views from private furnished balconies with 2 double-double beds.

There are 17 rooms with 2 beds

Accessible Rooms



These rooms have roll-in shower and shower bars for balance.

RATES

Rates are per Person for 7-night stay and includes diving package:

Type of Room	Occupancy	Diver	Non-Diver
Marina View/Island View	Double	\$1,856	\$1,213
	Single	\$2,437	\$1,794
Ocean View	Double	\$2,052	\$1,409
	Single	\$2,822	\$2,179
Accessible	Double	\$2,052	\$1,409
	Single	\$2,822	\$2,179



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SUMMIT REGISTRATION

REGISTRATION IS NON-REFUNDABLE AND NON-TRANSFERABLE!

The registration fee only holds your room, you must pay the full balance by August 31st, 2018, or your registration will be forfeited, and your room released to the next person on the waiting list.

Members wishing to reserve a double room must identify their roommate on the registration form, and the room will not be held until both members have paid the registration fee.

Suites will not be held until all occupants of the suite pay their registration fee, and half of the balance must be paid by May 30, 2018, or the room will be released to the next person on the waiting list.

Membership Type	Regular Registration (3/1/18 to 6/30/18)	Late Registration (7/1/18 to 8/31/18)
NABS Member	\$385	\$435
Non-Member	\$425	\$475
Students	\$125	\$125

REGISTRATION FEE DOES NOT INCLUDE ACCOMMODATIONS AND/OR DIVING.



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NABS Diver Registration Form

Name:		
Certifying agency:		Level of certification:
How many dives logged:		Date of last dive:
Types of dives (check all that apply):		
<input type="checkbox"/> Boat	<input type="checkbox"/> Fresh Water	<input type="checkbox"/> Deep Dive
<input type="checkbox"/> Salt Water	<input type="checkbox"/> Night Dive	How Many ft? :
<input type="checkbox"/> Wreck Diving	<input type="checkbox"/> Limited Visibility	When? :
Do you have dive insurance? If yes, please provide name and number:		
Will you be diving with tables or a dive computer?:		
Will you be diving with new equipment? :		
Will you be diving with equipment that is borrowed? :		
Will you be doing any other dives outside of the summit? If yes answer below:		
Before?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
During?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
After?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Do you suffer from:		
Anxiety Attacks?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Equalization Problems?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Vertigo?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Respiratory Problems?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
If yes, what type:		
Would you be interested in obtaining any additional diving certifications at the Summit? If yes, please specify which ones:		

Please bring your Log book to the summit. We will be checking your log books at check in.
Thank you for your assistance,

NABS Aqua Corp Safety Officer



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SUMMIT REGISTRATION FORM

ONE REGISTRATION FORM PER PERSON

PARTICIPANT INFORMATION (please print clearly):

Full Name:					
Mailing Address:					
City:		State:		Zip:	
Home Phone #:		Cell #:			
Email Address:					
Emergency Contact:					
Emergency Contact #:		Relationship:			
What is your tee shirt size?: S _____ M _____ L _____ XL _____ XXL _____					

ROOM TYPE (Island View; Marina View; Ocean View; Accessible): **YOU MUST COMPLETE THIS SECTION.**

Double or Single Room:	
If double room, Roommate's Name:	
1st Choice of Room type:	
2nd Choice of Room Type	

NABS MEMBER INFORMATION (only fill out if you are a NABS member):

NABS Member: Yes No

NABS Member Number: _____

Type of Membership: Lifetime Full Member Non-Diver
 Family Student

NABS Club Name: _____



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The submission of the summit registration form, constitutes clear and binding acceptance of the Terms and Conditions listed below:

1. I understand that to attend the NABS Summit, **I must book my summit package (including accommodations and diving) through NABS.**
2. Rooms can only be held with receipt of the NABS registration payment (double rooms with the receipt of both parties' registration payments). Submittal of only the registration form does not hold your room.
3. Registration payments made for the Summit are non-refundable.
4. Registration closes on 8/31/2018, no exceptions! Registration forms and payments received after this date will be returned to the sender.
5. All rooms must be paid in full by 8/31/18, or the room will be released to the next person on the waiting list.
6. Cancellations must be requested at least 60 days before the summit to receive a full refund (minus registration fee).
7. Only registered paid-in-full attendees can dive on the NABS Dive boats.
8. Divers MUST provide valid proof of current dive insurance with registration and during onsite check-in. Failure to do so may result in forfeiture of your NABS group diving privileges and possibly loss of diving funds paid.
9. NABS is not responsible for finding attendees a roommate. If you list a double room, you must provide the name of the roommate on the registration form or it will be returned to you.
10. A NABS photographer may be on-site to capture images for the Summit. By registering for the NABS summit you consent to be photographed and provide permission for photos to be used by NABS in any NABS communication material.

IMPORTANT NOTE: By completing this registration, you attest that you are a responsible diver and traveler and are willing to abide by rules and regulations of NABS officers, Safety Corp, and the Hotel and are willing to personally accept responsibility for your own actions, personal liability and well-being, both underwater and above.

Signed: _____ Date: _____



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SUMMIT PAYMENT FORM

If you put down a double room or suite, PLEASE list your roommate. Everyone must pay the registration fee to reserve/hold the room.

	<i>Description</i>		Cost	No.	Total
Registration	Summit Registration				
Island View Double- 5 rooms	Diving Package	Double Room	\$1,856		
		Single Room	\$2,437		
	Non-Diver Package	Double Room	\$1,213		
		Single Room	\$1,794		
Marina View King -10 rooms	Diving Package	Double Room	\$1,856		
		Single Room	\$2,437		
	Non-Diver Package	Double Room	\$1,213		
		Single Room	\$1,794		
Marina View Double – 25 rooms	Diving Package	Double Room	\$1,856		
		Single Room	\$2,437		
	Non-Diver Package	Double Room	\$1,213		
		Single Room	\$1,794		
Ocean View – Double -17 rooms	Diving Package	Double Room	\$2,052		
		Single Room	\$2,822		
	Non-Diver Package	Double Room	\$1,409		
		Single Room	\$2,179		
Accessible - 2	Diving Package	Double Room	\$2,052		
		Single Room	\$2,822		
	Non-Diver Package	Double Room	\$1,409		
		Single Room	\$2,179		
			Sub-Total		
			Optional Night Dive - \$63		
			Optional Shark Dive - \$85		
			Minus Payments Made		
			Grand Total		
			Total Due by August 31, 2018*		

Please note that the total on this page DOES NOT INCLUDE registration.

There are two ways to pay:

1. Pay by Check – Make your check payable to “NABS”, and send it with the completed registration form, diver registration form (if pertinent), payment form, and signed terms and conditions to:

National Association of Black Scuba Divers
C/o Ruthie Browning
13204 Horned Lark Drive
Charlotte, NC 28278
Email: rbrowningw@aol.com



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2. Pay with Credit Card – You can pay with your credit card on NABS E-commerce site. Be aware that there is a 5% handling fee added to cover processing cost. If you pay on E-commerce, you need to either mail your forms to the address above, or email your registration forms to rbrowningw@aol.com.