



# The Villages Scuba Club

## AGENDA

**Meeting Date: November 1, 2023**

**Meeting Place: Laurel Manor Recreation Center**

**Meeting Time: 7:00 P.M.**

**Call to Order: Mike Blatti, President**

**Pledge of Allegiance**

**Recognition: New Members, Guests and Visitors**

**Treasurer's Report: Provide highlights and accept**

**Secretary's Report: Accept from minutes posted on website**

### **Presentation:**

Ocala Dive Center - Jeff Boles

### **OLD BUSINESS:**

- **Membership dues for 2024.** Dues are \$5. Contact Mike Gann, Treasurer, to pay your 2024 membership dues. Membership includes access to the Facebook page, email lists, and discounts for Club sponsored dive events (when offered).
- Club waiver forms must be signed by members and on file in order to attend Club-sponsored diving events. See Mike Gann for a waiver or download from the website. You only need to sign a Club waiver form once a lifetime.
- Check out our website at: [thevillagesclub.org](http://thevillagesclub.org).
- The Village Scuba Club is on [Facebook](#). Go online and ask to join and a board member will accept you. You must be a paid Club member to be accepted. Club policy is **no selling or advertising** of non-scuba products or events on our Facebook page.
- Club polo shirts can be purchased at Custom Apparel in Southern Trace Plaza.
- Mike Blatti has Scuba Club decals for sale (\$7)... or take a free one if you can get it posted at a dive destination.
- Reminder: Club policy is **no selling** of products or used gear during club meetings.  
**Also, please be sure to take your unclaimed gear after the meeting.**

### **Recap last month's trips/events:**

- Sep 21 - Oct 8 - Ultimate Egypt Adventure POC: Gail Chapman (937) 903-9062
- Oct 5 - Rainbow River Drift Dive/Snorkeling at KP Hole Park. POC: M. Helbock
- Oct 11 (Wednesday) - Kyalami Charters in Jupiter 2 tank dive POC: Mike Blatti
- Oct 16 (Monday) - Jupiter Dive Center 2 tank dive POC: Mike Blatti
- Oct 18 (Wednesday) - Blue Grotto Spring Dive POC: Mike Blatti
- Oct 23 (Monday) - Kyalami Charters in Jupiter 2 tank dive POC: Mike Blatti
- Anyone go anywhere else?



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## **NEW BUSINESS/ UPCOMING TRIPS AND ACTIVITIES:**

- Nov 9 (Thursday) - Kyalami Charters in Jupiter 2 tank dive POC: Mike Blatti
- Nov 14 (Tuesday) - Jupiter Dive Center 2 tank dive POC: Mike Blatti
- Nov 15 **10 AM** (Wednesday) - Devil's Den Spring Dive POC: Mike Blatti
- Nov 29 (Wednesday) - Kyalami Scuba Club, Riviera Beach 50'-60' Reef 2-tank dive POC: Mike Blatti
- Nov 30 - Night Golf at Saddlebrook Executive Golf Course POC: Warren Gross
- Dec 5 (Tuesday) - Kyalami Charters in Jupiter 2 tank dive POC: Mike Blatti
- Dec 6, 6 PM - The Villages Scuba Club Holiday Party at Bacall Recreation Center POC: Madeline Helbock
- Dec 9-16 - Roatan at CoCo View Resort in Honduras POC: Joanne Sargent
- Dec 13 (Wednesday) - Jupiter Dive Center 2 tank dive POC: Mike Blatti
- Dec 20 **10 AM** (Wednesday) - Blue Grotto Spring Dive POC: Mike Blatti
- Dec 28 (Thursday) - Kyalami Scuba Club, Riviera Beach 50'-60' Reef 2-tank dive POC: Mike Blatti
- Jan 3, 2024 - Club meeting at Laurel Manor Recreational Center
- Jan 10, 2024 - Kyalami Charters in Jupiter 2 tank dive POC: Mike Blatti
- Jan 17, 2024 **10 AM** (Wednesday) - Devil's Den Spring Dive POC: Mike Blatti
- Jan 24, 2024- Jupiter Dive Center 2 tank dive POC: Mike Blatti
- Jan 31, 2024 - Kyalami Scuba Club, Riviera Beach 50'-60' Reef 2-tank dive POC: Mike Blatti
- Jan 20-27, 2024 - Scuba Club Cozumel POC: Jack Farrell (727) 861-3483
- Feb 7, 2024 - Club meeting at Laurel Manor Recreational Center
- May 11-18, 2024 - Little Cayman Beach Resort POC: Joanne Sargent
- Jun 30 - Jul 5, 2024 - Bahamas 104ft Schooner Juliet departing Miami POC: Jack Farrell
- Sep 19 - Oct 3, 2024 - Egypt POC: Gail Chapman

See our website and Facebook for additional information on upcoming trips

## **Training Tip:**

Out of Air - Heath Davenport

## **50/50 Raffle**

**Next meeting : January 3, 2023 at Laurel Manor Recreation Center**

**NO GENERAL MEETING IN DECEMBER**



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