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Master Liveboards goes Bikini



After launching Maldives, Bahamas and Red Sea only late 2016, Master Liveboards are pleased to announce yet another exciting destination: Bikini Atoll in the Marshall Islands! This exclusive and unparalleled diving destination is undisputedly ranked first on any serious wreck & technical divers' bucket list. This is well justified; as nowhere else on earth you will be able to dive such a unique collection of historic battleships, cruisers, as well as the world famous USS Saratoga aircraft carrier with its 270m (888ft.) flight deck. For this reason, Bikini Atoll has been declared the first UNESCO World Heritage site for the Marshall Islands archipelago in 2010.

In the 1940's and 50's, the

United States designated Bikini a testing site to launch a multitude of atomic bombs on a collection of war naval ships. This resulted in the most exciting and interesting underwater wreck graveyard in the world surrounded by untouched coral gardens. The ultimate wreck diving for the true fans.

Regular trips will start from May 2018 and will be operated by the Truk Master, offering a choice of 10 and 11 nights' trips to a maximum of 11 guests per cruise. Most wrecks in Bikini Atoll are located beyond recreational diving maximum depths; therefore technical diving skills and wreck experience are required.

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JUST ANNOUNCED!

Seasick Productions Bali Photo and Video Workshop September 26 - October 4, 2017

Seasick Productions announces their Bali Photo and Video workshop featuring three of the industry's leading image-makers: widely published and renowned educator Mike Bartick, producer of the award-winning films *Bali Close up* and *Not So Silent World* Evan Sherman, and Asia's celebrity snooter Ajiex Dharma. The workshop will take place at Scuba Seraya Resort located in Tulamben, Bali and be held September 26 – October 4, 2017.

The workshop will emphasize macro and super macro imaging techniques, and guests will receive hands on coaching in and out of the water. Major equipment manufacturers will supply a variety of camera equipment allowing guests

the opportunity to test some of the industry's newest photographic tools.

Seasick Productions has limited the number of participating guests to maximize learning. Mike Bartick will be coaching on photography, Evan Sherman on videography, and Ajiex Dharma on snooting. All levels of experience are encouraged to attend.

Seasick Productions is a mixed media production company that specializes in underwater videography and photography, editing, authoring and marketing. Seasick Productions is a wholly owned subsidiary of Underwater Exposures, Inc., founded in 1994. For more information about the company, please visit

www.seasickproductions.com

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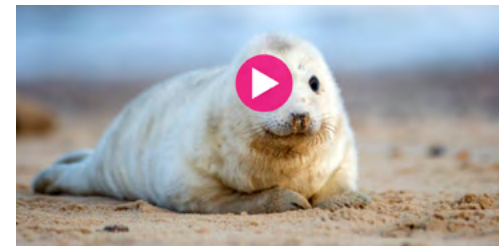
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'Wildlife Exposed' crowd funding

I've launched 'Wildlife Exposed' a crowd funding campaign to get a TV pilot funded on wildlife photography.

The idea is to help fund a TV pilot on wildlife photography, which would then be made into a full series. Wildlife photography has never been more popular, with more affordable digital cameras and quality smart phones, it's easier than ever to take great images yourself. The natural world is full of fantastic opportunities, from the Scottish highlands to your own back garden, this series will help you pick up a few hints and tips, while also highlighting wildlife conservation issues.

Groups like Fotospeed, Opticron and Weird fish have all lent there support and added rewards to the campaign with Affinty being the principle sponsors.

I'm not expecting financial support from you but by spreading the word you'd be helping the project.



The pilot is being filmed in Shetland with the help of Shetland Nature and should it get picked up for a full series we'll visit other sites around the UK.

Wildlife photography has never been more popular but has little presence on TV until now! Crowdfunding is a democratic way to support the fundraising needs of your community. Make a contribution today!

If your not familiar with me do have a look at my website.

Jack Perks

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Lembeh Photo Fun Week

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It's that time once again, after the massive success of our Photo Fun Week 2016 with the Underwater Tribe, Underwater Lightroom, and the team at NAD Lembeh Resort, we are excited to announce an all new 2017 event! We have scheduled this event during the best season for critters in the Lembeh Strait.

We will be limiting the number of divers to maximize everyone's personal time with the instructors both underwater and in the resort. One of the highlights of our workshops is that the instructors don't bring their cameras underwater, instead we spend time one on one with each participant helping them to compose their photos, aim their strobes, hold a snoot, and anything else that helps them make the most of their time underwater.

Our Fun Photo Weeks are geared toward anyone with a camera who wants to improve their skills in the water. Although we always start with the basics; we soon move on to more advanced topics such as: Achieving Black or Blue Water Macro Backgrounds, Advanced Strobe Positioning, Shooting Wide in Lembeh (CFWA), Super Macro, Snooting and others.

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Of course with post processing guru Doug Sloss in attendance, we will also be delving into Lightroom for image organization and editing so that everyone can get the utmost from their photographs.

We are happy to announce a 5 day macro and wide angle Bali Underwater Photo Workshop as an addition to our annual Lembeh Photo Fun week. The dates for this 5 day event will be 22-27 July 2017 and will take place in two of Bali's best diving locations, Tulamben and Nusa Penida. This will be the perfect addition for folks who are joining us in Lembeh Strait and are looking to extend their time in Indonesia.

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Featured-Creatures online magazine

Featured-Creatures announces its new monthly online magazine that shares age-appropriate text, spectacular photographs and video clips from oceans around the world. Able to be viewed on a computer monitor, tablet, or mobile phone, Featured-Creatures provides subject matter that is fun to look at and educational for kids and adults to share with each other, their families and their friends. Every edition of Featured-Creatures serves two main purposes: educating while entertaining children, and providing



a pathway that makes it easy for children and adults to talk with each other and share a common interest.

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Worldwide Dive and Sail to merge



Worldwide Dive and Sail are extremely excited to announce that they are currently in the final stages of merging with the UK's largest dive travel company, blue o two!

Since its foundations in 2004, Worldwide Dive and Sail has pushed the boundaries of liveaboard diving, firstly in the Asia Pacific region with Siren Fleet, followed by Master Liveaboards on a global scale in 2014. Throughout this time we have consistently driven forwards, expanding into new locations and improving standards across the board.

Master Liveaboards was founded jointly with blue o two to take you to the best dive locations in the world on board a series of liveaboards that featured the very latest in both equipment and vessel specifications

and after beginning with one boat in Galapagos, the fleet has now grown to five vessels operating with yet another to begin operations in 2018.

The upcoming merger is the culmination of four years' of talks, and we plan to build upon this existing, and successful partnership.

As a merged group, we will operate our own liveaboards that can take our scuba divers to the Red Sea, the Maldives, Palau, the Philippines, Fiji, Indonesia, Palau, Truk, Galapagos, French Polynesia, the Bahamas and Thailand – make sure you follow the group on social media to hear all of the latest developments!

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As ever our season will be starting with diving from our base in Oban from March onwards with some specific exploration of the Falls of Lora then moving into our Seal & lagoon tours from April onwards.

Into June we have our Hebrides wildlife tours then onto our busy shark season Jul-Oct.

We're excited to running a freedive specific tour around the Hebrides this year at the end of August. We hope to visit some of our favourite spots around the islands and have some memorable interactions with wildlife. Seals, sharks, caves, drifts, clear water, shipwrecks and some yoga thrown in! If you are into free diving, or just advanced



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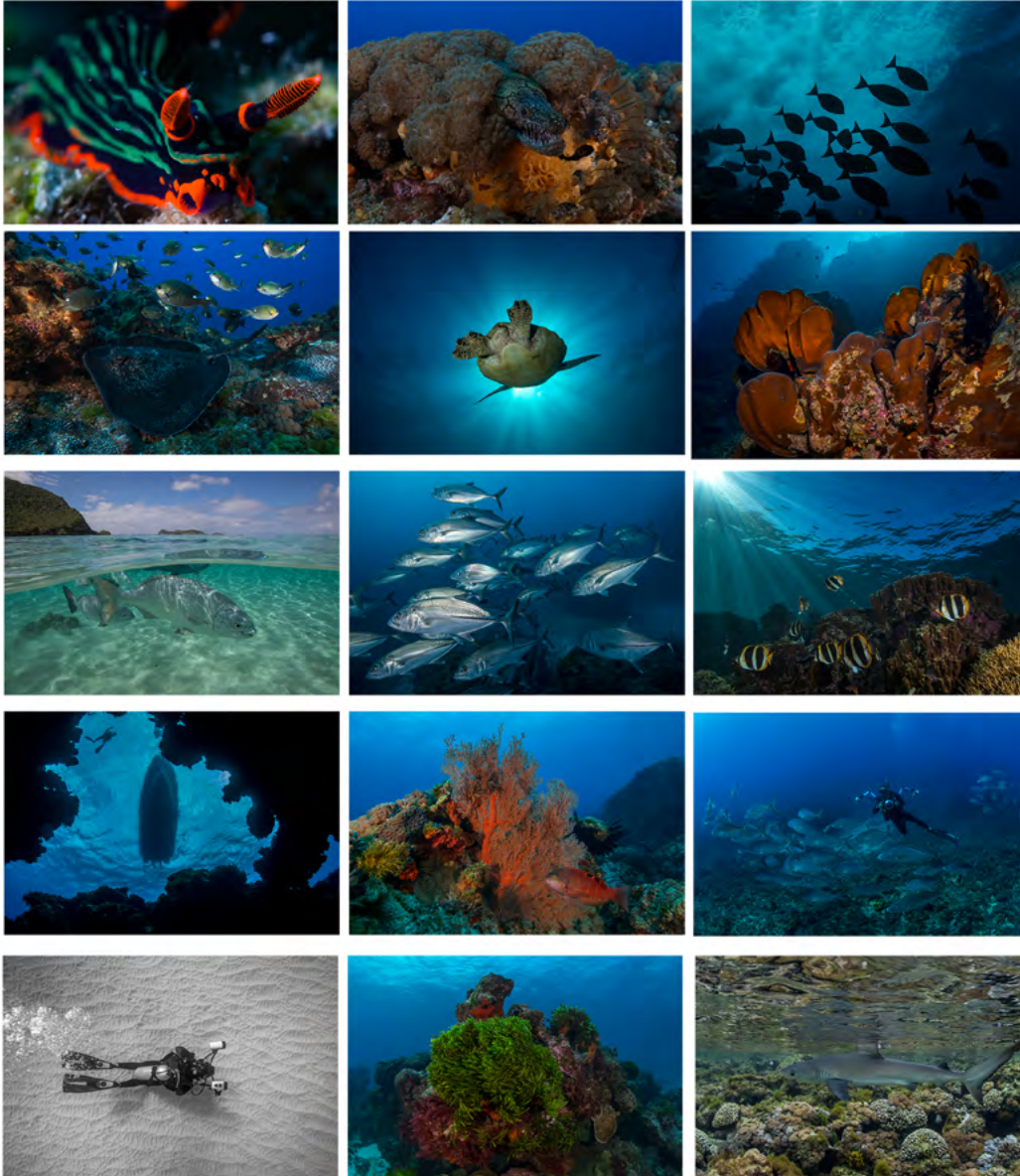
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During the 2016 Lembbeh vs Gulen shootout, two teams did battle to decide which would be champion. After an intense battle and by a narrow margin, Lembbeh eventually proved victorious.

In 2018, round two commences. From 15 to 23 June, two teams of photographers will again gather at Gulen Diver Resort, Norway and Lembbeh Resort, Indonesia to compete for individual and team glory. Guided and mentored by professional and acclaimed underwater photographers, the teams will strive to produce amazing imagery in a series of categories.

The quality of images that were produced by the teams in 2016 under

contest conditions is a true tribute to their abilities. The 2018 Shootout will provide the same challenges and an opportunities for all photographers to show their mettle. Join a team and help decide which will be the winner!

Contact Gulen Dive Resort or Lembbeh Resort for more details of diving and accommodation packages for the Shootout.

The event will be featured in local and international media and the subject of follow up articles in the diving and mainstream press.

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