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Underwater Imaging & Expedition Specialists



GUIDED PHOTOGRAPHIC CHARTER

24-31 MARCH 2011 OR 01-08 APRIL 2011 OR 24 MARCH-08 APRIL 2011

MISOOL ECO RESORT
SOUTHERN RAJA AMPAT

THE BEST TIME OF YEAR FOR THIS DREAMY RESORT



So, what makes this photographic charter different?

Because <u>we are different</u>. We 'get' that this is a unique window of opportunity for you to gain some insight from us, and we will go out of our way to share our knowledge. There are two of us, which means more individualised attention.

Two decades of experience in diving instruction & guiding, personalised service, as well as <u>real experience in both</u> <u>underwater photo & video</u> on a seriously professional level, will become apparent as the week progresses.



BEFORE, DURING & AFTER EACH DIVE

We have a tendency to be very 'hand's on', offering practical assistance at every opportunity. At the beginning of the trip we evaluate your imagery, then during the trip, both in and out of the water, we focus on your specific needs. We see to it that you understand your system better, we tweak your shooting methods, and teach you how to assess each situation in order to make concise adjustments and see consistent results. And towards the end of the trip, we encourage you to put into practice what you have learned, independently. 'Luck' plays a very minor role in underwater imaging and we firmly believe that a combination of knowledge and application provides the key to consistency.





BOOST THE LEARNING CURVE

Since we are at your disposal throughout the <u>trip</u>, feel free to request topics for mini interactive workshops & presentations in between dives, for a more 'in depth' approach. (or not, up to you...)

We provide critique sessions on a 21.5" iMac monitor as a matter of course after each day's diving; not only does this provide tremendous insight and an efficient way to track your progress, it also offers a substantial glimpse into the world of underwater photoshop, and the art of applying truly subtle enhancing techniques to your images. Turn ordinary good shots, into WOW shots! For video shooters, the same applies to reviewing and critiquing your footage and demonstrating effective editing techniques.

This 'before & after' process, is one of the most effective ways to significantly boost your learning curve!





NY UNDERWATER SYSTEM WILL DO

In addition to assisting with the needs of the SLR shooters, we are also familiar with the majority of the current compact camera systems out there, which essentially means that we have the ability to quickly assess the strengths and weaknesses of any underwater system and help you get results fast.



ANY GENRE

Misool has rather amazing dive sites with a wide variety of subject matter. We can cover wide angle, macro, over-under splits, stills, video, lights, ur pro filter, strobe, natural light, muck, shallow, caverns, fish, critters, mantas, using a model...you name it... even topside photography... just ask and we can assist...



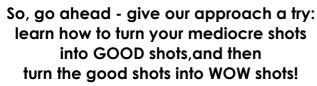
EXPERT ADVICE

And should you be in the market for a new system, or be upgrading in preparation for the trip, feel free to contact us in advance for expert advice on user friendly products and choices, and in so doing, easily avoid the inevitable: "...if only I had checked with you first...."



SPARE EQUIPMENT

We also provide a miscellaneous variety of limited spare accessories - like spare compact cameras & housings, arms, strobes, fibre optic kits and sync cords, should you want to try using a strobe or even try shooting underwater for the first time!



Allow the Bittenbysharks Dream Team to inspire you to capture the true essence and spirit of the underwater realm...

Satisfied **GUEST COMMENTS:** please attitude and can-do approach is altogether

Professional endorsements HERE

"Many thanks...your aim to refreshing!" (USA)



WIDE ANGLE, MACRO, SHARKS , PYGMYS, ASTOUNDING CRITTERS, SUPER **FISHY** DIVES, SPECTACULAR CORALS CAVERNS & OVERHANGS, MANTAS...and more....

> READ FULL **TRIP DETAILS**

CONTACT US FOR MORE INFORMATION

I cannot imagine better diving opportunities, or a more highly efficient team than Claudia & Leon, my U/W imaging skills have improved by leaps and bounds!" (UK)

"Very very specially, thankyou Claudia for your time and effort, making your expertise and love of the art of photography available to me, my photography has improved tremendously!" (Switzerland)

