

Pompano Beach Wreck Trek with South Fla. Diving Headquarters

17-18 June 2023



On Saturday we will dive the Okinawa. It is a 107' x 26' Army Tug. The propeller is 8' in diameter and weighs over 2,000 lbs. The bow is sitting perfectly upright in 69'. The tug rises to 35' at the top of the pilot house. Renowned artist Dennis McDonald created whimsical dive bar called the Midnight Sun. The dive bar includes sea creatures and a magical mermaid holding a "Gazing Globe". You can actually penetrate the opening in front of the wheelhouse and swim into the engine room and up and out through the dive bar.

On Sunday we will dive the Sea Emperor (depth 72'). This little gem is more like a reef than a wreck. It is a 171-foot barge that rests upside down. There are drainage pipes and concrete structures that provide wonderful hiding places for loads of creatures such as green morays, grunts, and goliath grouper. This wreck is often frequented by southern stingrays and they are not shy to interact with divers. There is a rock path that leads you to another wreck called the United Caribbean about 100' away.

Cost: \$150 plus taxes and fees for 4 dives. Air tanks are \$10 per tank, Nitrox is \$14 per tank.

Sat: 12:30 show, 1:30 go, Sun: 7:30 am show, 8:30 am go.

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