SEPTEMBER 2 – 9, 2028
7 nights · Nassau to Nassau

BAHAMAS. EXUMA CAYS

M/V ALL STAR AQUA CAT

JOIN DAVID AND JAMIE FOR THEIR ANNUAL DIVING ADVENTURE

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Adventures Since 1990

DATES
SEPT 2 – 9 2028

NIGHTS ABOARD
7 double occupancy

DIVING OPPORTUNITIES
UP TO 26 dives

CABINS
11 king · queen · twin



Led by Jamie & David Morris
Professional Travel Leaders

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THE AQUA CAT

The Bahamas are known for beautiful white sand beaches and turquoise blue waters. Due to the remote nature of the islands, a liveaboard is the best way to experience the beauty of the diving and natural surroundings of the archipelago. With 40 years of experience, All Star has discovered some of the best dive locations — and has a **loyal following from around the world.**

900
sq. ft. dive deck, with individually assigned dive stations and storage

11
large main deck cabins — king, queen and over-sized twin beds, all with private baths

1
28-ft jet drive boat, **Sea Dog**, for shore excursions and eco adventures

2
dinghies along for diving safety

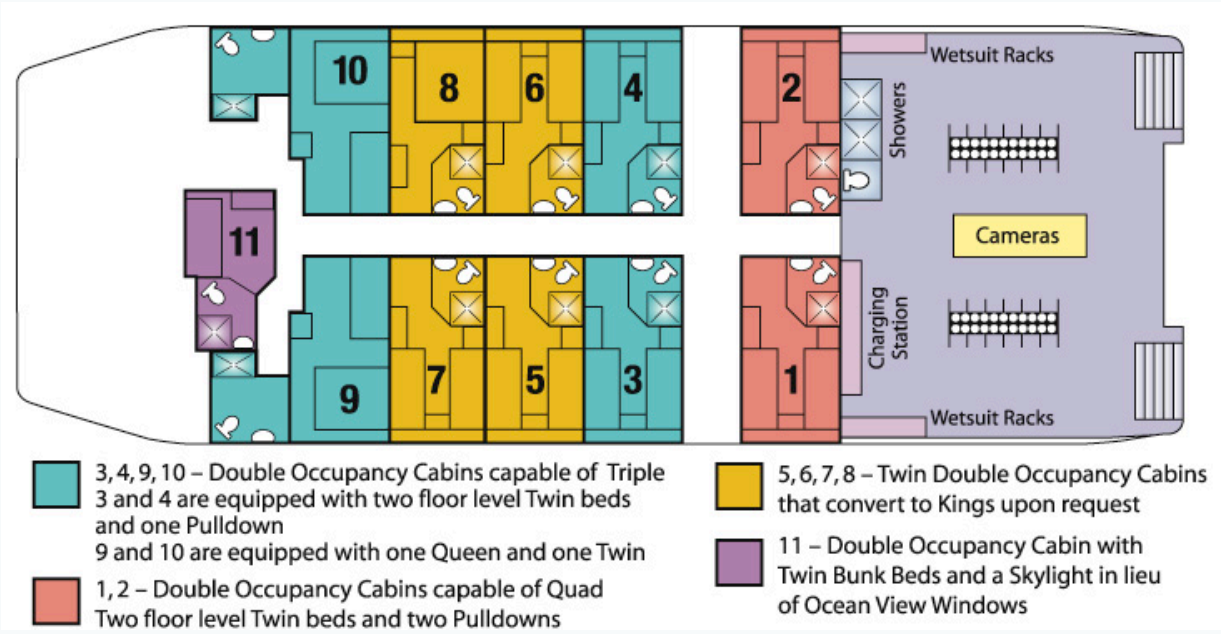
BUILT FOR DIVERS. PADDED FOR THE REST OF YOU.

- Main salon with dining and living areas, plus an **alfresco deck**
- Upper deck with **sundeck and bar**
- Beds, bunks and pull-downs — real flexibility for singles
- Non-divers can enjoy the land excursions and eco adventures, or relax, read and sunbathe. **Do as much or as little as you like.**
- All diving is done right from the Aqua Cat



The main salon — dining, living and a bar for after the last dive of the day.

CABIN DECK PLAN — THE LAYOUT YOU'LL BE ARGUING OVER



*Eleven cabins, four colors of bed configuration, one rule: **first deposit, first pick of cabin.** Cabin 11 is the twin-bunk cabin with a skylight instead of ocean-view windows.*

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UP TO 26 DIVES



COBIA CAGE · ELEUTHERA, BAHAMAS

Wrecks, reefs, blue holes, walls and high-speed drift dives — the variety is the whole point.

WHAT YOU'RE ACTUALLY SIGNING UP FOR

What makes the Bahamas — and especially the Exuma Cays — so popular is the variety of diving. During your time aboard the Aqua Cat we offer up to 26 diving opportunities, including daytime and night dives. Yes, **twenty-six**. Yes, you can skip one. No, you probably won't.

Cobia Cage **Barracuda Shoals** **Washing Machine** **Hammerhead Gulch** **Crab Wall** **Night dives**

The diversity and topography varies for all levels of divers.

AND WHEN YOU'RE VERTICAL

If you thought our scuba diving trips meant you'd be stranded on a boat for a week, think again. Divers and non-divers enjoy shore excursions — the jet drive boat **Sea Dog** moves guests from the vessel to shore for land-based activities. Staff can assist if you're new to any recreational activity.

OFF THE BOAT, ON PURPOSE

- Visiting **Exuma Land & Sea Park**
- Beachcombing on uninhabited cays
- Guided walking tours of uninhabited Bahamian islands — history, nature, legend and lore
- Local wildlife: sea and shorebirds, iguanas and **yes, even pigs**
- Relaxing on a secluded beach
- Kayaking along the beach and in the creek amid mangroves
- Learning or mastering stand up paddleboarding (SUPs)
- Snorkeling along the beach and in grottos, discovering life below the waterline
- Knee boarding or tubing
- Jumping into the water from our make-shift tree swing
- Fishing for local favorites

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SUNDAY NIGHT. THE CORN MOON GOES FULL.

SEPTEMBER 3, 2028 · 7:48 PM · SOMEWHERE IN THE EXUMA CAYS

This is not a gimmick we bolted onto the trip — it is the reason the dates exist. When the full moon lands on night two of a liveaboard in the Bahamas, you do the only reasonable thing a boat full of divers can do: **throw a party about it.**

THE DRESS CODE

Something that glows. Bioluminescent-adjacent. If it lights up under a dive torch, it counts. Biodegradable glitter encouraged — and yes, we know it is basically impossible to get out of a wetsuit. That's between you and your wetsuit.

THE SOUNDTRACK

Somebody's speaker, somebody's playlist, and one song request nobody is allowed to argue about. Submit it early. Voting is by volume.

THE PHOTOGRAPHIC RECORD

The moon will be at peak brightness and your phone will be deeply unqualified for this. The photos will be terrible. The stories will not be.

FULL MOON. NIGHT DIVING. ALL OF US. ON A BOAT IN THE BAHAMAS. WHAT COULD POSSIBLY GO WRONG?

To be clear: nothing has to go wrong. Moonrise over the Exuma Cays, twenty-plus dives behind you, good company and a quiet anchorage ahead. The moon does the heavy lifting. We supply the music and the questionable decisions about dessert.

THE DETAILS

INCLUDED

- 7 Nights' double occupancy accommodations
- Meals, Beverages (beer on tap, wine, rum & vodka)
- Nitrox. Tanks, Weights, Weight Belts
- RT airport transfer if traveling with the group
- Fees (VAT, Port Tax, Park Fees, Fuel Surcharge as of 10/01/2026)
- Kayaks, Paddleboards
- Daily Shore Excursions Offered
- Up to 26 Dives
- Trip Gift
- Adventure and Travel Guide
- Pre-Trip Meet & Greet
- Professional Travel Leaders Jamie and David Morris

NOT INCLUDED

- Airfare
- Crew Gratuity, apx 15% is customary ($550 to $750 pp)
- Meals in transit
- Hotel stays prior or post boarding
- Ground Transfers in Nassau if not with the group
- Changes in government, park or port fees
- Anything else not listed above

FARE — ALL PRICES IN USD

$4365 per person double occupancy

discounted for cash form payment (dfc)

$8230 for single occupancy dfc

SPECIAL CABIN 11 TWIN ONLY:

$3965 pp

double booked together only or $7430 for single occupancy.

PAYMENT SCHEDULE

Deposit: **$500** due with trip application and insurance

Second Payment due: **$500** due Jan 15, 2027

Third Payment due: **$1,200** Sept. 2 , 2027

Final Balance due March 1, 2028

EARLY BIRD SPECIAL

$100 per person savings if deposited and forms completed by **Jan 15, 2027!!!**

FIRST DEPOSIT, FIRST PICK OF CABIN.

Eleven cabins, and they get claimed in the order the deposits land. Cabin 11 — twin only — is the value play.

REQUIRED

Advanced Open Water or Equivalent, and a SCUBA Skills Update if you have not been diving in a year. The vessel does require a RSTC Medical to be completed.

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READY TO BOOK, OR JUST HAVE A QUESTION?

Ann has been putting divers on boats for 36 years. Call her and she'll walk you through the forms, the insurance and the cabin you want.

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PLEASE NOTE

All prices are subject to change until booked and ticketed. As with most small island properties and vessels, cancellations are more of an issue, so they have limited ability to fill unused spaces, or unused services booked. We highly recommend trip insurance to help avoid any unnecessary problems. No refunds for missed flights or changes in plans, illness, or expired passport. All funds are due on deposit, are non-refundable and payments are only considered a no-interest financing. Trip insurance should be made within 14 days of deposit for the most benefit. Diving insurance is required. Both can be found at **oceanicventures.com/travel-insurance1**. Both Dive Assure/DAN and Travel Guard have a family plan. Please plan to bring a copy of your logbook, c-card, and diving insurance. Oceanic Ventures and the destination trip application are required and deposit to secure space. All guests are subject to the terms and conditions of the destination above and Oceanic Ventures Travel terms and conditions **oceanicventures.net/travel_forms/**

All divers are required to have a properly serviced total diving equipment system including proper safety equipment: alternate air source, dive computer, surface signal marker, and lifeline (available to purchase or rent.) Some destination may require a fit to dive medical.

Passport must have a minimum of 6 months validity prior to passport expiration.

Fees: Fees are subject to change. All Star reserves the right to impose or pass a fuel supplement or similar incidental surcharge and no right of cancellation shall be implied. Surcharges include but are not limited to, VAT, Port Tax, Park Fees, Fuel, and other similar incidental charges. Surcharges may be implemented at any time and must be paid prior to boarding.

Thank you again for your request and asking us to assist in your travel and diving adventure!!!



Bahamas travel application

Scan the code, or open oceanicventures.net/travel_forms/oceanic-ventures-travel-information-bahamas-2028/ — the application and the dive insurance both go in with the deposit.

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