



Cage Diver San Francisco

An Incredible Great White Shark Adventure

What is Cage Diving?

Cage diving allows divers, researchers and film crews to view the extraordinary world of Great White Sharks in comfort and safety. Specially designed shark viewing cages provide adequate protection for the sharks from sport divers, while allowing divers total freedom of movement and panoramic views. Our shark diving crews are industry professionals who care about your safety and enjoyment. Equally important, they care about making our dives safe for the sharks.

Is Shark Diving Dangerous?

Our Great White Shark Adventure is as safe as we can make it. White sharks have many myths surrounding them. One is that they are killing machines attacking anything in sight. We have found that even at the height of a feeding event with multiple animals around a carcass, white sharks prove to be shy, slow moving animals. Our divers are amazed to learn first hand that these animals are almost gentle. That said, divers should always maintain a healthy respect for these awesome predators, in and out of the water!

Do I Need to be a Certified Diver?

You do not need to be dive certified to enjoy an incredible great white shark adventure, but this adventure is best for those who have had some snorkeling or underwater experience. Our boat is equipped with a Brownie's Third Lung hookah system, which allows participants to connect to an air source onboard. This eliminates the need to wear air tanks, which would restrict your movement within the cage. A certified dive instructor will explain the equipment and supervise your time in the cage. Those uncomfortable underwater can join our adventure as a topside observer and watch shark action from the deck.

Adventure Location: The Gulf of the Farallons National Marine Sanctuary, located just off the coast of San Francisco, offers some of the world's largest white sharks. The sharks range in size from 15 to 20 feet.

Dive Season: Weekends, from mid-September to mid-November. Weekdays are available for private group charters. Contact us for specific dates & availability.

Booking Details: A limited number of dives are offered and dates often sell out months in advance. Full payment is required the day you book your dive and is NON-REFUNDABLE. We will make every effort to reschedule your dive if it is cancelled due to weather conditions or mechanical difficulties.

No Shark Guarantee: We cannot guarantee you will see great white sharks. We will take you to the best viewing spots during the best time of year, but nature can be unpredictable. If you do not see sharks, there is no refund. If space permits, we'll allow you to join a future trip within the same season as a topside, non-diving participant.

Itinerary: Your white shark dive expedition leaves the dock at 7 am. Total time at the dive site varies, but expect to be back at the dock no later than 5 pm. A continental breakfast, light lunch and beverages are provided for you. Our boat is equipped to handle 12 divers and 6 topside viewers in comfort.

Diver Requirements: No dive certification is required if you are over the age of 18. Anyone under the age of 18 must be dive certified and accompanied by a parent or guardian.

Equipment Required: We will provide you with a wetsuit to wear during your cage dive or you may bring your own. You will receive a suggested packing list for your day at sea prior to your adventure. Please know that seas can be very rough and the waters near the Farallons are known for being cold and murky.



Price: \$875 for cage diving \$375 for topside viewing

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Our Incredible Shark Team

When you join us for a Great White Shark adventure to San Francisco's Farallon Islands, you'll find yourself in very good hands. Leading each trip will be Greg Barron, our Director of West Coast Shark Ops. Greg has spent his entire life living and diving along the North Coast of California and has been part of our shark dive operation since the beginning. Greg helped the great people at DOER Marine design and build our massive shark cage and has worked to transform our boat into one of the best shark diving platforms in the world. He's also the man responsible for assembling what is surely the Number One Shark Diving Team on the planet. Our dive instructors, videographer and customer service team are worth bragging about and work together to make your shark adventure incredible.



A trip to San Francisco's Farallon Islands is so much more than a great white shark adventure. It's a chance to go where few have gone and to experience nature in a very special way. We're very lucky to have Peter Winch, the naturalist for the Farallons Marine Sanctuary with us on each trip. Peter has a very special way of pointing out things and teaching you a lot, without making you feel like you're back in school. With binoculars in hand, he'll be on the deck, scanning the horizon for fins and calling your attention to whales, dolphins, jellyfish, rare birds and more.



Adventure Notes:

Our great white shark adventures depart from San Francisco's Fisherman's Wharf. The marina is located in the heart of San Francisco and is near several great hotels. For a list of suggested accommodations, visit www.fishermanswharf.org

Cage divers will need to supply a mask. All other dive gear will be provided for you.

Weather CAN be a problem. If we must cancel a trip due to rough seas, we will work to get you rebooked on another date. There is no refund, so having a back-up day is a must!

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Ocean Outreach, Inc. is a 501 C-3 non-profit organization founded in April 2002, by the Taylor brothers: explorer/naturalist Tim, entrepreneur/businessman Dan, and Air Force Lt. Colonel Andrew. It aims to create educational outreach projects and support ongoing scientific research. Many of these programs have evolved from the work currently established by Tim Taylor and Research Vessel Tiburon Inc.

Ocean Outreach understands the desire and recognizes the ability of people to affect change in their world. By giving our shark expedition participants knowledge, tools and first hand experience, we provide a structure in which they may act as agents of this change to spread awareness about environmental issues, cultural projects and their connection to the ocean's ecosystem and our heritage. In this manner we foster an awareness we hope will find its way to the forefront of our national conscience.
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