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Action – Set – Go! Underwater Video Workshop in Palau

Learn from award winning filmmaker Nick Martorano

Koror/Munich, November 3, 2009 –Ocean Wonders Productions and Sam's Tours Palau to host an exciting 7-day underwater video workshop offered by award winning filmmaker Nick Martorano, PhD

Nick Martorano is an internationally-known and multi-awarded High Definition cameraman, filmmaker and digital media producer. His credits include National Geographic, "Survivor", GEO, and others. Martorano is also the resident video pro at Sam's Tours, Palau's premier scuba diving and eco-adventure company. This is an action packed week full of diving and instruction for five lucky divers. The video expert is keeping the ratio small to provide top notch, hands on instruction and interaction. This course is being offered for beginner and intermediate students with a lot of time being spent in the water.

Palau, one of the best diving destinations in the world, offers a huge array of underwater subjects, including sharks, mantas, barracudas, jacks, turtles, napoleon wrasses, and even the elusive mandarin fish.

The underwater video workshop will take place from April 05 – 11, 2010.

For more information, please visit

www.oceanwonders.org/UW_video_workshop_Apr2010/Index.html



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About Sam's Tours

Sam's Tours is an independent 5* PADI National Geographic Dive Center and eco-adventure tour company based in Malakal Harbor, Koror, Palau. Offers include scuba dive trips, snorkel trips, rock island tours, land tours, kayak trips and sailing charters.

The well-equipped dive center offers the complete range of scuba experiences from introductory Scuba programs through PADI Instructor certification and includes a digital photography and videography shop, technical diving services like rebreather support, authorized Scubapro and Aqua Lung sales & service. Sam's Tours offers complimentary Nitrox up to 36% with proof of certification.

Sam's Tours is a leader in efforts to protect the archipelago's natural resources and the only Palau dive center to receive the Palau Conservation Society „Corporate Partner in Conservation 10 Year Award“. Sam's Tours is also a corporate sponsor of the Palau Shark Sanctuary Fund. Sam's Tours is a member of Quality Divers, a dive network promoting a common set of quality standards by its associated members.