



Dive center Sam's Tours awarded again

Munich, December 18, 2008 - Palau based dive center and eco-adventure tour company Sam's Tours has been elected as "TOUR OPERATOR OF THE YEAR" for 2008 by the Palau Visitors Authority (PVA), Palau's official tourism board. Sam's Tours has been repeatedly recognized by government and industry bodies for their commitment to development of sustainable tourism in Palau as well as by their customers for consistent service excellence.

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Sam's Tours is an independent PADI Five Star Dive National Geographic Dive Center and ecoadventure 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.