

DIVER'S WORLD

2011 Lake Erie Wreck Passport Rules

Scuba diving is an adventure sport and we at Diver's World are interested in adding to your adventure so we have introduced the 2011 Lake Erie Wreck Passport. This Passport will lead you through many of our local dive sites and wrecks with the intent of improving your dive skills, creating excitement about local diving and providing some rewards.

You have two ways to get valuable rewards associated with your Passport:

1 – Passport Rewards

various rewards for completing groups of dives.

2 – Suunto D9 giveaway

a drawing for a new \$1,575 Suunto D9 dive computer at the end of the Passport season.

We are grateful to Georgann and Mike Wachter for permission to utilize the wreck site references, images and descriptions from their wonderful books *Erie Wrecks East* and *Erie Wrecks & Lights*. At their suggestion, we have adopted the Wachter's convention on site references: sites in your Passport taken from *Erie Wrecks East* start with the letter "E" and those taken from *Erie Wrecks & Lights* start with the letter "L". Detailing over 140 wrecks, these books are rich in history, locations, and other fascinating facts about some of the sites you may dive this summer. We encourage you to pick up one of these books available at Diver's World. You may send any updates on the condition of the wrecks and/or new wreck locations directly to the Wachters at wachter@eriewrecks.com.

We are also very grateful to Brian Miller and Aqualung for sponsoring the Suunto D9 giveaway. Brian is a big advocate of local diving and a great industry resource. He has helped to develop some of the ideas for the Passport and generously offered the D9 as a reward for our Diver's World divers.

Passport cost \$9.95. Passport replacements are \$7.95. Sorry, no refunds on Passports.

Passport Rewards

- Dive Points are awarded on two tiers as shown below. You achieve dive points by completing a dive and having that dive "stamped" at Diver's World. Actual dive point values are listed within the Passport on each page. Each dive site may be used a maximum of two times (two stamps) toward your point totals.

Dive Points	Typical Dives*
1	Quarries, Shore Dives, Shallow Charters
2	Deeper Charters, Destination Dives

*see Passport for actual point values

- A "dive" is defined as a single underwater dive at least 20 minutes in length (19 minutes does not count... go back down for one more minute). A maximum of *two dives per day* may be used toward your point totals.
- Award Levels

Cumulative Points	Award
4	5 Free airfills (\$25 value)
10	Free Whites Diving Dry Suit Rental* (\$45 value) + "Dive the History" shirt
16	Free pony reg & bottle rental (\$15 value) + 3 Free NITROX fills (\$30 value)
22 (maximum)	Aqualung Vintage Hoodie (\$60 value) + One free 8oz. bottle of "Sink the Stink" (you need it!)

*you must be a drysuit diver or attend a Diver's World Dry Suit Intro class prior to use in open water.

- You must bring your Passport into Diver's World to get it stamped. There are three ways to receive credit to get a dive stamped:
 - Authorized dive charter from Diver's World.
 - Dive with Diver's World staff member (training dives, DW organized dives, Blue Dolphins organized dives)
 - Buddy Dive
 - Suunto Dive Computer Users** - Dive with your buddy and then bring in your Suunto dive computer to be downloaded into Suunto Dive Manager (Gekko computers must be brought in to review dive log).
 - Non-Suunto users** - Pre-register your dive plan with Diver's World (phone call is ok), Dive with your buddy, bring in your *completed* log book pages and/or dive computers showing date, time and depth of dive.
- 2011 Passport Season: May 15, 2011 – October 14, 2011. No dives will be counted prior to May 15, 2011 with the exception of an authorized Channel Dive (see Passport). The last day to get your dives stamped to receive your awards is **Friday, October 14, 2011**.
- Safety first
 - Always dive with a buddy.
 - C-cards must be on file at Diver's World (or produced) in order to receive credit for dives.
 - Dive within your limits. Your passport will not be stamped nor will you be entered into the drawing for any dive that exceeds your level of certification.
- Advanced, Master, Deep and Nitrox training dives may be used toward your Passport completions
- Although Diver's World will endeavor to conduct charters throughout the Dive Season, arranging, conducting and performing your dives is up to you. A called-off, blown-off or cancelled charter does not qualify as a completed dive.
- Individual dive statuses will be updated on Diver's World website at www.scubaerie.com/passport throughout the season.
- Passports are issued by name to an individual and are non- transferrable. Dives must be completed by that individual. It is unsafe to dive with someone else's dive computer.

11. Diver's World makes no warranties or guarantees associated with this promotion. The Passport has no cash value nor is it a substitution for a dive log. We encourage all divers to keep a dive log.
12. These rules may be changed and/or dives may be added at Diver's World discretion.
 - a. Any changes will be posted on the Diver's World website at www.scubaerie.com/passport
 - b. We have tried to be as comprehensive as possible however, if a particular site that you are interested in diving is not listed within the passport, please let us know and we will evaluate if it should be included. Although we don't make any guarantees, we will consider any sites that are within the limits of sport diving and reasonably close to Erie.
 - c. Diver's World may substitute another award of similar value at Diver's World discretion.
 - d. Diver's World reserves the right to revoke and refund any Passport at Diver's World discretion.
13. By purchasing the Passport, you are agreeing to all of these terms and agreeing to abide by both the letter and spirit of this promotion. Please have fun and spread your enjoyment of this exciting sport.
14. Even though this Passport looks cool and nifty, it is not suitable for international travel and, most likely, would not be accepted by immigration officials. However, we strongly encourage you to obtain your U.S. Passport so that you can join us on some of our exciting international Scuba Adventures and Trips!

Direct all inquiries to:

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Suunto D9 Giveaway

1. With each *stamped dive* you get your name entered in a drawing for a Suunto D9 (sponsored by Aqualung and Miller Group Sales & Marketing). *You must come to Diver's World to get your passport/dive stamped and your name entered in the drawing.* The last day to get your dives stamped is **Friday, October 14, 2011.**
2. The more dives you complete, the more times your name is entered (until your passport is completed with a maximum of 22 *points*).
3. Drawing will take place on October 15, 2011, at Diver's World. You do not need to be present to win the Suunto D9.
4. Diver's World staff and family members are excluded from the drawing. Diver's World Training Assistants may participate.
5. We will have drawings for a number of other items provided by Diver's World and our sponsors. You must be present to win these items including:
 - a. *Erie Wrecks Eastern* by Georgann and Michael Wachter.
 - b. Gift Certificate for free 2012 charter from Lakeshore Towing
 - c. Gift Certificate for free 2012 charter from Osprey Dive Charters
 - d. Free box of Romolo Chocolates
 - e. Many more! Go to www.scubaerie.com/passport for more details!



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