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“Scuba Diving goes down well”

Thornbury Leisure Centre’s holiday Scuba Diving courses are proving to be a real hit this summer. All four courses are already booked out with forty children, who each have the opportunity to experience swimming under water whilst learning the different skills connected to the exciting world of Scuba diving.

The courses follow the Padi (Professional Association of Diving Instructors) Seal Team structure, and are instructed by ‘Subaquaholics’. Following this success, Thornbury Leisure Centre will also be running a 5 week Padi Open Water Course for children aged 10 and over who have already completed their Padi Seal Team course. The course will include various “aquamissions” based on true diving experiences, wreck diving and navigation amongst other skills. There will also be a short session in the classroom and an exam. Those who are successful will then be able to attend a weekend in Brixham where students will do 4 open water dives. The course is an official world wide recognised qualification and will run during term time at Thornbury Leisure Centre each Friday from 4.30pm – 6.30pm. For further information and to book your place today, call 0300 333 0300.

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Notes to Editors

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- **PADI** is the Professional Association of Diving Instructors
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