



## Wreck Diving German Submarine U-701



### Join Woodbridge Scuba diving the U-701 October 8-9 2011

A type VIIC U-boat was sunk off the Coast of Cape Hatteras by aerial depth charge on 7/7/42. 218 ft in length, she displaced 1070 tons fully loaded. The crew was approximately 60 men with a full compliment. She was sunk by a Hudson A-29 Army bomber while on the surface. The U-701 was under constant attack for many days from the aerial bombers and this was to be the fatal blow. The U-701 returned to the surface to air out the interior of the boat when a lookout missed the attacking plane. Of the 17 crew that made it out of the sinking vessel, only 7 were to survive the action of the day. The U-701 site is on Diamond Shoals and this area provides some of the most challenging dives to be found on the Banks. The cooler Labrador current and the warmer Gulf water off Hatteras Island mix here and there are often currents in excess of 2 knots, making this a dive an advanced dive

Our dive boat – the Lion's Paw is pictured above. Specifications: Length: 42 ft Engines: Twin Caterpillar Diesels. Cruising speed in excess of 18 knots. Customized with your comfort and safety in mind. Fully enclosed and air conditioned passenger cabin.

We can take 6 divers on this trip. We will be diving with "Dive Hatteras". The cost is \$150 for 1 day and \$145 for the 2nd day. This price is for diving only. Tank fills, fuel surcharge and crew tips are additional.

**Required Equipment:** Two Tanks (Filled), Regulator w/alternate air source, Buoyancy Compensator, Weights and Weight Belt, Wetsuit, Air Gauge, Depth Gauge, Bottom Timer or Computer, Dive Tables, Knife, Certification Card(s), Logbook, Wreck Reel, Lift Bag, Underwater light, Surface Signaling device.

**Recommended Equipment:** Gloves, Hood, Sea Sick Medicine, Camera, Save-A-Dive kit, Dry Bag, Slate, Lunch/drinks, Sunglasses, Sunscreen, Hat, Dry Clothes, Towel, Redundant Light, Dive Insurance.

You are responsible for your own transportation to the dock and lodging.

U-boat Diving, Wreck Diving, Low visibility and Nitrox Classroom are available through Woodbridge Scuba.

**Contact us to join the fun at  
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<b>Diving on the U-701 and U-Boat Victims Two Dives each day</b>	
<b>Dates:</b>	<b>October 8-9, 2011</b>
<b>Day 1 cost: \$150.00</b>	
<b>Day 2 cost: \$145.00</b>	

Payment can be made at Woodbridge Scuba.

If a diver cannot make the trip, every effort will be made to fill that slot.