National Weather Service Hotline 707-443-7062
KOZT Radio Coastline 1-800-39 COAST
Salt Point State Park Dive Line - 707-847-3222

SAFETY TIPS FOR ABALONE DIVERS

CHECK LOCAL CONDITIONS - Always check the weather forecast and ocean conditions before diving.

CHECK YOURSELF OUT - Honestly assess your capabilities in light of the weather forecast and local water conditions. Are you in shape? Are you sober?

DRINKING AND DIVING DON'T MIX!

BUDDY UP - Always dive with a partner. Make a dive plan and stick to it. And stay together.

GET A LIFT - Drop your weight belt if you get tired or in trouble! Have a hook or strap on your dive tube that you can hang your belt on anytime you need a break. And don't over weight. About 10% of your body weight is all you should carry.

AND PLEASE REMEMBER, THE OCEAN AND ABALONE WILL BE THERE TOMORROW. MAKE A GO/NO-GO DECISION YOU CAN LIVE WITH!

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