

## Manatee Tour & Central Florida Springs

January 12-16, 2012



### The Lodging

We will be staying at the Best Western Resort in Crystal River which is located on Florida's Nature Coast on the edge of the Kings Bay. The resort will be our base of operations for our daily diving to the various springs, grottos and caverns in the area. This first class resort offers an on site swimming pool, hot tub, complimentary continental breakfast, gift shop, boat rentals, and more.

### The Diving

We'll start our trip off Friday morning with a day of diving with our friends at Adventure Dive Center in nearby Crystal River. We will visit several of the local manatee gathering sites, including Three Sisters, Kings Cavern, and some secret holes in the Crystal River basin. After a brief on-shore stop for lunch, we'll motor up to the Rainbow River and enjoy a leisurely 3 mile drift dive down the river, starting at the headwaters that pump six millions gallons of fresh, clear 72 degree water daily down this river. Depths vary from 5 to 25 feet, and the diving is as relaxing and kicked back as can be.

Saturday we are in for a treat, with a very special two tank drift dive with Adventure Dive Center down the Silver River, just outside of Ocala. This wild and scenic river, which winds through one of Florida's wilderness preservation areas, is untouched and totally undeveloped. The river supports a tremendous number of springs and the flow is, well, phenomenal! Lots of cool critters, great underwater and on the surface, lots of monkeys, semi-hibernating alligators, turtles, birds and more.

Sunday we'll cruise up to Devil's Den and Blue Grotto, two of the more famous Florida Springs dive sites. An optional run to a third spring may be arranged upon a group consensus. Each of these sites offer a unique dive experience in some of the springs and caverns that north central Florida is famous for.

Monday will be an optional day of diving, with our site being Ginnie Springs, one of the nicest and most developed of the Florida springs dive site. We'll visit Devil's Ear, Devil's Eye, Little Devil, and the Ballroom, with a drift dive down the Santa Fe River to boot!

### COST:

**\$650/person**  
**Double Occupancy**

### Package:

- ▶ 4 nights lodging at the Best Western Crystal River Resort, double occupancy
- ▶ Crystal River & Rainbow River Drift Dive with Adventure Dive Center, incl. tanks & weights
- ▶ Silver River Drift Dive with Adventure Dive Center, incl. tanks & weights
- ▶ Springs & cavern entrance fees for Blue Grotto & Devils Den, including one tank of air and weights, are included
- ▶ The optional day of diving at Ginnie Springs, and additional night of lodging, is not included in the package price below, and will be quoted separately upon request.

### Please Note:

Add-on flights from any departure city available at an additional charge.

Airfare portion of package not guaranteed until ticketed.

No changes to the trip as shown and no refunds will be granted for unused services.



# Dive Adventures

## EXCLUDED

- ▶ **Flight costs** – unless otherwise noted
- ▶ **Optional adventure activities & tours**
- ▶ **Misc. trip costs** – Additional meals, checked bag fees (if applicable), equipment rental, departure taxes/fees
- ▶ **Travel & Dive insurance** – both are highly recommended for this trip. [Click here](#) to enroll in DAN and [Click here](#) to learn more about DAN Medial Insurance
- ▶ **Equipment rental** is not included in package pricing
- ▶ **Tanks, airfills and weights** are not included in package unless noted above

## TERMS: Refund Policy & Customer Responsibilities

- ▶ No refund or credit will be made on any payments
- ▶ No refund or credit will be made for any activities or lodging not used by the customer by choice or due to inclement weather
- ▶ Any payment made to Indian Valley Travel indicates acceptance of the terms and conditions
- ▶ Valid passport or valid government identification with original birth certificate required
- ▶ Indian Valley Travel shall not, at any time, be responsible in any way for loss, injury, or damage arising from any causes beyond its control including but not limited to theft, cancellation, regulations or illness
- ▶ Indian Valley Travel accepts no liability for the consequences of personal activity by any customer
- ▶ The customer will be responsible for concerns of health, fitness to participate and personal safety
- ▶ Indian Valley Travel reserves the right, without notice, to make changes and/or cancellations as it deems necessary
- ▶ Customers have the sole responsibility of ensuring their compliance with all immigration laws of the United States & the destination countries

## PAYMENT SCHEDULE: Securing your trip reservation

- ▶ \$350 non-refundable deposit per person is required at time of reservation
- ▶ Balance due 60 days prior to expedition start date

## PERSONAL CONTACT INFORMATION

Passport/Full Legal Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Trip: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

*I have read & accept the above terms & conditions.*

Signature

Date

Signature of Parent or Guardian (if under age 18)

Date

When communicating personal details and trip needs with an IVT associate, please have the following handy:  
Passport # and expiration date, DAN Membership #, C-Card #, Agency & Diver Level