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Underwater Imaging Sustainable Underwater Expedition to Taman Laut Pulau Payar, Kedah Darulaman

2nd to 10th May 2024



Group photo with the Nudi Dive Centre team, Mr Mohd Fuad Osman (NAUI Instructor), Noor Liza Ali, Kapten (B) Iziady bin Isa, Mohd Fushal @ Mohd Faisal bin Osman and Muhammad Izat bin Zainol, Mr. Hazahar bin Ahmad and GKF2134 Underwater Imaging lecturer, Miss Aslina Mohd Jainal and Mr. Anuar Ayob with students.

Students of GKF2134 Underwater Imaging were immersed in the fascinating world of underwater imaging during their field trip from May 2nd to 10th, 2024.

Led by the experienced guidance of Mr. Fuad Osman and his awesome team from the Nudi Dive Centre affiliated with the National Association of Underwater Instructors (NAUI), this expedition to Taman Laut Pulau Payar, Kedah, left a significant mark on the 20 students.

Over the 9 days, 16 students achieved certification as Open Water SCUBA Divers, while 4 advanced their skills to the level of Advanced Open Water Divers. The itinerary wasn't just about certification.

It was a holistic exploration of marine conservation and creativity. Students engaged in captivating photo and videography sessions, capturing the vibrant marine life that grows well beneath the surface.

Moreover, they contributed to coral restoration efforts alongside the dedicated staff of Taman Laut, Mr. Hatim bin Ramizon (Pembantu Laut, Jabatan Perikanan Negeri Kedah), recognizing the importance of conserving and protecting our oceans and their habitats.

As they returned to shore, each participant carried with them not only newfound certifications and captured the ocean's secrets but also a deeper understanding of the beauty and fragility of our underwater ecosystems.

By:
Aslina Mohd Jainal and Anuar Ayob



Taman Laut Pulau Payar's stunning scenery through the eyes of Anuar Ayob, lecturer of GKF2134 Underwater Imaging course.

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Coral restoration efforts guided by Mr. Hatim bin Ramizon, Pembantu Laut at Jabatan Perikanan Negeri Kedah.



SCUBA certifications for Open Water SCUBA Diver and Advanced Open Water Diver led by Mohd Fuad Osman, a NAUI Instructor from the Nudi Dive Centre and his outstanding team.



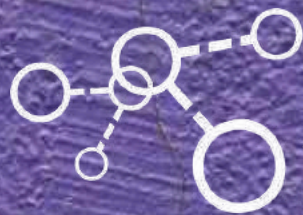
Capturing the underwater wonders. Students in action at Taman Laut Pulau Payar taken by Aslina Mohd Jainal and Zairun Ruslan, Fine Art's Master Student.



The ocean's secrets through the eyes of students (1st row; Nixander Petrus, Lim Xiao Yuan, Dayang Aqilah, Aimizzul Fawwaz, Carey Yik and Danny Sagoh. 2nd row; Nur Misha, Angelie Angie, Chai Jia Qian, Ferrina Miranda and Zara Ueni. 3rd row; Hii Sieh Ing, Syabil Qawiem, Doris Lungan and Puteri Athma. Last row; Sylvester Demang, Nilly Liyana, Tang See Kang, Daphne and Jemaah.



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