

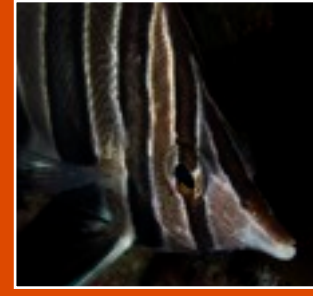


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Coloured Pylons

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You should also see

pipe fish, nudibranchs, flat worms, decorator crabs, hermit crabs, old wives, moonlighters, cuttlefish, blennies, magpie perch, blue ring octopus, anglerfish



Night diving

The jetty is also a great and easy night dive. At night expect to see blue ringed octopus, shrimp and maybe even dumpling squid and pyjama squid.

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downunderpix is arranging a fun weekend to Edithburgh on 10 to 12 January 2014. Underwater photographer Paul Macdonald will lead the dives. It will be an ideal weekend to continue to hone your underwater photography skills and Paul will be on hand for help and advice. All divers are welcome to attend whether or not they



are taking photographs as are non diving partners. Edithburgh is a magnificent location for easy shore based diving and an ideal destination for underwater photography. You should expect to see Leafy Sea Dragons, Anglerfish, Sea Horses, Blue Ring Octopus and (with some luck) Pyjama Squid. The cost of the weekend is \$245 and includes up to 6 shore dives at Edithburgh, two nights accommodation at Sultana Point



Lodge and Breakfast each morning. The cost for non diving partners is \$85.

The likely itinerary is:

Friday 10 January:

6.30 pm Arrive Sultana Point Lodge.

Saturday 11 January:

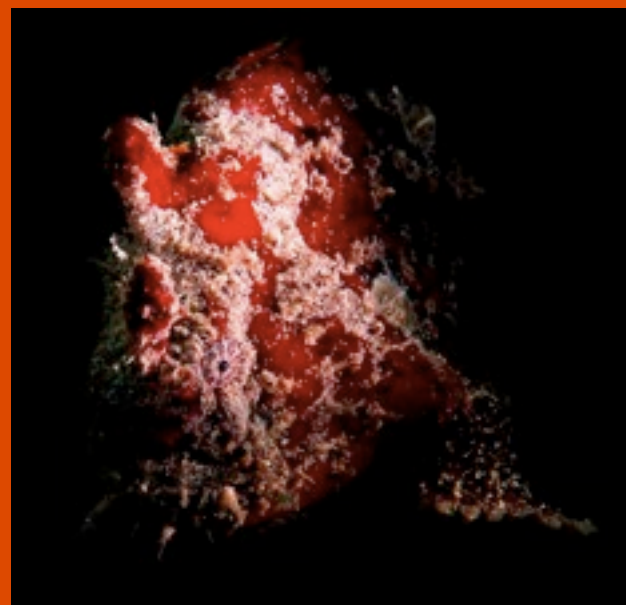
7.30 am Breakfast
9.00 am Dive 1
11.00 am Dive 2
12.30 pm Lunch (do your own thing)
3.00 pm Dive 3
6.00 pm Dinner at pub (optional)
8.00 pm Dive 4

Sunday 12 January:

7.30 am Breakfast
9.00 am Dive 5
11.00 am Dive 6
12.30 pm Depart Sultana Point Lodge

Edithburgh jetty was opened in 1873 to service the local salt, flour and gypsum trade. Originally 45 metres long, the jetty was lengthened to 82 metres in 1875 with further extensions in 1883 and 1900 to provide its current length of 175 metres. The jetty was also widened to its present width in 1921. In

its heyday Edithburgh was a thriving port and at one stage was the third busiest in South Australia. Drop straight down from the steps and head seaward on the north side of the jetty. Swim amongst the weed a few metres



out from the jetty and look closely for the numerous seahorses with their tails wrapped onto the weed. Here the sand has been dredged out and you can continue down to about 8m depth. Whilst there is lots of debris and interesting stuff on the sand, stay in close to the jetty and check out the brightly coloured growth on the pylons. The marine life on this dive is amazing. You should see nudibranchs, decorator crabs, hermit crabs, old wives, moonlighters, cuttlefish, blennies, magpie perch, blue ring octopus, anglerfish and on occasion, port jackson sharks and rays. The southern side of the jetty is shallower by comparison, but interesting just the same.

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