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Dive Review of Pirates Point Resort in Cayman Islands/Little Cayman

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Pirates Point Resort: "Remains Superb", May, 2017,					
by Andrew Bernat, VA, US (🗯 Sr. Reviewer <u>10 reports</u> with 2 Helpful votes). Report 9599. <u>Email the</u> <u>author</u>					
Reporter and Travel					
Dive Experience	501-1000 dives				
Where else diving	Raja Ampat, Fiji, Great Barrier Reef, Bora Bora, Lembeh, Caribbean, Bali, Wakatobi				
Closest Airport		Getting There			
Dive Conditions					
Weather	sunny, windy, rainy, cloudy	Seas	calm, choppy		
Water Temp	83 to Fahrenheit	Wetsuit Thickness	3		
Water Visibility	50 to 75 Feet				
Dive Policy					
Dive own profile	yes				
Enforced diving restrictions	Depth limit is 100 feet (Cayman Islands limit). Return with 500 PSI. Don't go into deco mode.				
Liveaboard?	no	Nitrox Available?	yes		
What I Saw					
Sharks	1 or 2	Mantas	None		
Dolphins	None	Whale Sharks	None		
Turtles	> 2	Whales	None		
	Ratings 1(w	vorst) - 5 (best):			
Corals	***	Tropical Fish	***		
Small Critters	N/A	Large Fish	N/A		
Large Pelagics	N/A		•		
Underwater Photography 1 (worst) - 5 (best):					
Subject Matter	***	Boat Facilities	** ****		
Overall rating for UWP's	***	Shore Facilities			
UW Photo Comments	On the boat there is a rinse box and a dry table. At the resort there is a fresh water sink. When there was more than one rig, things were tight and one camera was rinsed in the box and placed on the table.				
Ratings and Overall Comments 1 (worst) - 5 (best): Was this report helpful?					

Accommodations	***	Food	****		
Service and Attitude	****	Environmental Sensitivity	****		
Dive Operation	****	Shore Diving	N/A		
Snorkeling	N/A				
	Overall Rating				
Value for \$\$	***				
Beginners	***				
Advanced	***				
Comments	This was our third trip so we obviously like the diving and the resort. The big concern has been that new owner Susan Howard, daughter and heiress of Gladys, would not have the connection and desire to keep the Pirates Point Resort we all love. The great news is that she does and is. One night at dinner she told us what she thought when she visited the new "resort" and dealt with the rats, lack of electricity, etc! The weather started improving the day we arrived (from unseasonably rainy and windy) and by the time we left was sunny and fairly calm. We could dive Bloody Bay and Jackson Bight each day. Their schedule is fairly unique - leisurely morning departing around 9:00 and returning for lunch around 2:30 following two tanks. Snacks at 6:30 and dinner at 7:30. Dinner was buffet style. The food remains absolutely first rate.				
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