

DISPLAYING DIVE SITE DETAILS
"NORTH BONDI"



DIVE SITE INFORMATION

DIVE SITE NAME: NORTH BONDI

LOCATION: Bondi Sydney (NSW)

TRAVEL TIME: 1 Minutes

MAX DEPTH: 17 Metres

AVERAGE VIZ: 10 Metres

DIVE RATING: Open Water

AVG DEPTH: 12 Metres

ACCESS VIA: SHORE

HOW TO FIND THE DIVE SITE

Head for Bondi Beach from the city. Follow the road along the front (beach on right). At end of the beach turn right and follow the road out to the headland.

DIVE SITE DESCRIPTION

A great dive site, but limited parking - get there early (very early at weekends)!

This is also the location of a reasonably famous statue. The statues have gone or been removed, but the boulder they were mounted on makes an easy reference point.

Entry depends on conditions and experience. Anywhere between the large boulder and the boat ramp. The boat ramp is safest (although very slippery), but means a fair swim around to get any depth. Exit is always best made at the boat-ramp. If the conditions are heavy, then you can be swept past the boat-ramp, in which case your next exit point is Bondi Beach and that is one loooong walk back.

Swim out about 20 meters and line yourself between the large boulder on the shore and the South Bondi headland. There shoreline is littered with large rocks leading out onto the sand. Keep up on the rocks as things are more interesting up there. Follow the shore around to the West/North West, passing the "Amphitheatre" and out to the small caves. I have not been much past the caves as that normally marks turn-around point. Lots of sea-life down amongst the rocks. Some are large and allow a fair number of swim-throughs. Lots of Port Jackson's last time I was there.

This is one of my favorite sites in Sydney. Watch out for the swell though if the surf is up!

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