

# Lauderdale-By-The-Sea, FL

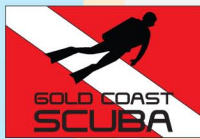
## "Shipwreck Snorkel Trail" (Artificial Reef)

Welcome to the Town of Lauderdale-By-The-Sea the official "Shore Diving Capital of Florida." Divers and snorkelers from around the world flock to our Seaside Village for the spectacular bands of living coral reefs along our shoreline just a short swim away and in only 10 to 15 feet of water!

The Snorkel Trail starts behind the Windjammer Resort at Datura Avenue and El Mar Drive. You can see divers and snorkelers entering the water live at [Windjammerc.com](http://Windjammerc.com). Swim only 100 yards out directly East to the swim buoy. Once at the buoy, head 100ft. NE to the Shipwreck Snorkel Trail.

The Shipwreck Snorkel Trail is an artificial reef that was dedicated in May 2002 by underwater explorer Jean-Michel Cousteau. The artificial reef was constructed by the Marine Archaeological Council to promote Broward County's maritime heritage. The trail was started in 1998 and took 4 years to complete. Today, it's a starting point and a finishing point for local divers.

Just beyond the snorkel trail, you will find our beloved coral reef and the "BioRock Reef Project", currently the only such project in the US, marked by two yellow solar paneled bouys.



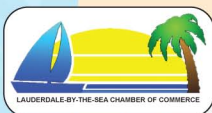
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All along the coast of our small beach town, divers and snorkelers enjoy long stretches of colorful reef systems and the wildlife that inhabits the reef. Among them are lobsters, eels, nurse sharks, sea turtles, stingrays, sergeant majors, cuttlefish, barracuda, trumpet fish, angelfish, parrotfish, wrasse, tarpon, manta rays, eagle rays, octopus and more.

Gold Coast Scuba is the leading dive shop when it comes to organizing beach and boat dives and dive related events in the area. Stop by the shop at 259 Commercial Blvd for more information, instruction, gear, group dives, social dive events and more. Check out [GoldCoastScuba.net](http://GoldCoastScuba.net) and [Meetup.com/goldcoastscuba](http://Meetup.com/goldcoastscuba) for details.



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Pine Ave.

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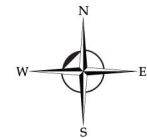
El Mar Dr.

Datura Ave

Hibiscus Ave

Palm Ave

Imperial Ln.



### Map Key

- = Shipwreck Snorkel Trail
- = Biorock Project
- = Public Parking
- = Beach Access
- = Reef
- = Ocean & Intercoastal
- = Beach & Land
- = Roads

MAP IS TO SCALE

Across from the Seawatch Restaurant 1/4 mile North.

To the S.S. Copenhagen Shipwreck



**Shipwreck Snorkel Trail**

- 2 Cannons
- Anchor
- Ballast Pile
- 3 Cannons

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