

Dive Against Debris Dive Checklist

Use this checklist to prepare for your Dive Against debris survey

Dive Leader Checklist

Make diver safety your primary concern when supervising a Dive Against Debris survey.

- Received permission to dive at the chosen site
- Checked weather/tide/current conditions
- Dive Roster
- Safety/first aid equipment
- Dive flags
- Emergency Assistance Plan
- Paperwork (ask divers to submit prior to the event to avoid long pre-dive delays)
- Check diver has completed Dive Against Debris online training
- Dive Against Debris Liability Release www.projectaware.org/resources
- Remind divers to bring water, snacks, sunscreen, hat, exposure protection



Survey Coordinator Checklist

Review the Data Sheet and the Training Course to make sure you know how to fill in all Data Sheet fields.

- Dive Against Debris Data Sheet
- Mesh bags for diver use
- GPS
- Weighing scales
- Sharps container

Survey Diver Checklist

Make sure you have all the dive gear you need and your cylinder has been filled.

- Dive gloves for hand protection (kitchen/garden gloves ok)
- Dive tool/knife
- Scissors/clippers for cutting fishing line and nets
- Review Marine Debris Photo Identification Guide
- Blank slate and pencil
- Underwater camera if available

