

ULSAC Trip Report Form

Please include on this form any details you think will help organise another trip to this area. Please include details of any problems encountered, or any particularly good things/places in the area, such as good or awful restaurants and pubs.

Logistics

Date	26/27 February 2010	Springs <input type="checkbox"/> Neaps <input type="checkbox"/>
Venue	Vobster Quarry	
Manager	Anthony Chaddock	
Overseer	Martin Greaves	
Number of People	8	
List of attendees with Diver Grade in brackets (e.g SD, DL etc)	Anthony Chaddock (DL)	
	Martin Greaves (AD)	
	Chris Higgins (AD)	
	Ivan Djordevic (DL)	
	Vanessa Woolhead (SD)	
	Siobhan Cox (SD)	
	Steve Salvatore	
	Dave Pearce (SD/DL)	
Accommodation	Cerberus Speleological Society Bunkhouse 'Larkshall'	
Address	'Larkshall', Midway, Stoke St Michael, Somerset, BA3 5JE http://www.cerberusspeleo.org.uk/hut.htm Hostel location: 51.22.318N 2.50.207W	
Telephone No.	0845 475 0954 (hostel)	
Cost per night/per tent/per person or as appropriate	£5pppn !	
Notes	Basic Bunkhouse, mattresses on platforms. Bring: Sleeping Bag Pillow Towel Coal/Kindling/Paper/Matches for fire in living area	
Launch Site (inc. cost)	Vobster - £15 pppd – NB – book in advance for quicker entry, also instructors with 4 or more students get in free	
Coastguard		
Nearest chamber	Atlantic Enterprise UK Poole - 07770 423637	
Air Shop	£3.75 per 12L – paid using tag number given on arrival	
Van Hire (inc. notes, did you breakdown, AA cover, tow bar etc.)	Hired ULU MPV.	

Dives

Dive 1	
Site:	Vobster
Max depth:	15m
GPS Marks:	
Brief description:	DL drills (D07) – needing 15 m for ascents. Can go in by Marquee, turn right and follow slope down to Tunnel. Turn left before tunnel and 15m is just there on flat area. Also roughly 50m from entry point for tow.

Dive 2	
Site:	Vobster
Max depth:	15m
GPS Marks:	
Brief description:	DL Drill (D06) – as above for 15m

Dive 3	
Site:	Vobster
Max depth:	15m
GPS Marks:	
Brief description:	D02/3 – good to stay to right of tunnel entrance for depth control

Dive 4	
Site:	Vobster
Max depth:	15m
GPS Marks:	
Brief description:	D02/3 – good to stay to right of tunnel entrance for depth control

General Details
<p>Best place found so far for DL drills as a weekend.</p> <p>Book entry to Cerberus and Vobster in advance, drive down Friday night, hostel is 5 miles from Vobster.</p> <p><u>WARNING – Sat nav tries to take you through Bristol – come off junction 17 or 18 of M4 and head south.</u></p> <p>Keys for Hostel needs collecting from Graham & Chrissy Price Darkey Pang Tso Gang 3 The Acorns Oakhill Radstock BA3 5BT Phone (01749 840795) 1 week earlier http://www.cerberusspeleo.org.uk/dptgloc.htm</p> <p>Hostel location: 51.22.318N 2.50.207W</p> <p>Ensure to bring kindling/coal (minimum two bags coal/night using) as main living area has a fire/aga that also heats the water. Fully equipped kitchen so no utensils required to be taken). Nearest coal purchasing area if forgotten is the Convenience store in the village of Coleford nearby.</p> <p>Vobster has 'tag' system, each diver given unique tag they can charge food/drink/entry/air to, and settle at end of day. Book in in advance and say you are a uni club doing training, and can you be as close to water as possible. We were ~3m from entry point</p>

Please return completed forms to the Diving Officer asap. Thanks!