

**REEF CHECK**Empowering people to save
our reefs and oceans**5th course on hard corals identification and coral reefs monitoring approaches****Bangka, north Sulawesi, Indonesia****10-17 October 2016****Calendar**

Day		Activities
10 October Monday	morning	Participants arrivals
	afternoon	Participants arrivals and check dive ¹ Course presentation and organisation
	evening	Introduction to Reef Check method
11 October Tuesday	morning	How to apply the Reef Check method
	afternoon	Test and inter-calibration dive ¹ Coral Watch method 1 st night dive (group A) ¹
	evening	Seminar: North Sulawesi Ecology
12 October Wednesday	morning	1 st monitoring dive (<i>Kahuku</i>)
	afternoon	2 nd monitoring dive (<i>Kinubuhutang garden</i>) Introduction to hard coral identification
	evening	1 st night dive (group B) ¹ Data entry
13 October Thursday	morning	3 rd & 4 th monitoring dives (<i>Gangga Jetty & Village</i>)
	afternoon	Data entry Coral Taxonom Lab: hard coral
	evening	2 nd night dive (group A) ¹ Seminar: Monitoring programs & Tourism impacts
14 October Friday	morning	5 th & 6 th monitoring dives (<i>Bisabora & Sahaong</i>)
	afternoon	Data entry Lab: hard coral
	evening	2 nd night dive (group B) ¹ Seminar: Coral Diseases
15 October Saturday	morning	1 st & 2 nd Leisure dives (<i>Batugoso & Batuguia/Tanjung Husi</i>)
	afternoon	Coral Identification dive ¹ Coral Identification dive debriefing
	evening	Seminar: <i>Latimeria menadoensis</i>
16 October Sunday	morning	3 rd & 4 st Leisure dives (<i>Paradise & Batuguia/Tanjung Husi</i>)
	afternoon	Mangroves Data analysis and set up owner presentation
	evening	Beach party
17 October Monday	morning	Final RC test
	afternoon	Students presentations and course conclusion Optional activity: <i>Tangkoko national park</i> (extra cost)

¹ House reef (Coral Eye)

Note: program can be changed according to weather conditions, leisure dives may be converted in monitoring/sampling dives whenever need.

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