



December 7, 2016

Memo: **Catalina Scuba Divers**

RE: Catalina Express Baggage

Dear Diver:

We look forward to having you aboard the Catalina Express and hope that we can accommodate all of your island travel needs.

Our baggage requirements are important for the safety of passengers and crew. Baggage must be portable, each piece easily and quickly moved by crew members as needed. We are asking for your cooperation regarding baggage transport. We will do our best to accommodate your baggage and we ask for your assistance. We understand the special needs for the transport of dive equipment. Please follow these guidelines for size and weight.

Please distribute this memo to all those traveling on Catalina Express

General Baggage Guidelines

Baggage Guidelines Per Person

- **Two pieces of baggage**
- **50 lbs. maximum each baggage**
- **Baggage must be within the dimensions of 23"x23"x37"**
- **One carry-on to be stowed at the seat**

Special Accommodation for Divers

- **Divers will be allowed one extra piece of luggage and one Dive Tank (*Two-tank rig with a fixed manifold is counted as one tank*)**





Special Travel Tips for Catalina Divers

- We recommend a **“tank strap with the handle hold”** for your carrying convenience
- Medium Size **Stanley Box** Maximum 50lbs. are acceptable.
- The largest **Stanley or Husky Box** must be kept under 50lbs. and although within the dimensions, be able to be stored on end if necessary.
- **Two wheel dollies** are acceptable to assist transporting luggage. Two 50 lbs luggage bags can be placed on the two wheel dolly, each luggage can be no larger than 23”x23”x37” and weighing no more than 50lbs. Total weight on the dolly cannot exceed 100 lbs.
- **No four-wheel carts or wagons**
- **Soft Dive Bags with Wheels** are good for travel on the boats.
- **Weight belts** may take your luggage over the 50lbs. maximum and **MUST** be carried aboard. Use a **weight bag** or wear the weights. We recommend the **soft weights**.
- We recommend a **back pack** for your most important items i.e. log book, computers, mask, regulator which can be carried aboard.
- Consider gear rentals from on island dive suppliers.
- Thank you for your cooperation and help. Any questions or special requests please contact our Passenger Services Representative, Gabriela Roque 562.485.3200 ext. 1000. mail@catalinaexpress.com

On Island Dive Suppliers [Prices subject to change]

Tank Rentals \$12-15

Weight Belt Rentals \$7-8

Scuba Luv: 310.510.2350, www.ScubaLuv.com

Catalina Divers Supply: 310.510.0330, www.CatalinaDiversSupply.com

Dive Catalina: 310.510.3175, www.DiveCatalina.net

On Island Baggage Service [Prices subject to change]

Roundtrip Baggage Delivery from Mole to Casino \$10 Per Diver

Avalon Blue Line Baggage: 310.510.9599, www.avalonbaggageclaim.com

Options for Baggage Transport

Avalon Freight Service: 310.221.6290, www.AvalonFreightServices.com

Catalina Flying Boats: 562.595.5026, www.CatalinaFlyingBoats.com

