

OFFSHORE ADVENTURES

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Swimming with seals activity in Plettenberg Bay. Offshore Adventures

Sharks are a natural occurrence at the seal colony during the winter, as sharks and other predators follow and feed on the sardines. The pups born 6 months prior to winter need to start hunting sardines actively. As they are inexperienced, they present the sharks with an opportunity to feed on them. They learn incredibly quickly how to avoid being attacked. Thus, the sharks are only there for a short period: June and 1st two weeks of July.

As operators, we halt swimming during the danger time. June and July. During the months of May, August and September we use spotters on the mountain to alert the boats of shark presence. From October we return to normal operations. We are always extremely vigilant.

Keep in mind that seal behaviour can be a good indication of shark presence. We also keep a boat close by to keep a sharp lookout for any dangers.

We operate at 10h00 12h00 and 14h00 so that the sun is out, and we can see better in the water. But it's the open ocean and sharks do move around. We have been trading for 12 years and have a fantastic safety record.

Kind regards

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