

SINGING SANDS

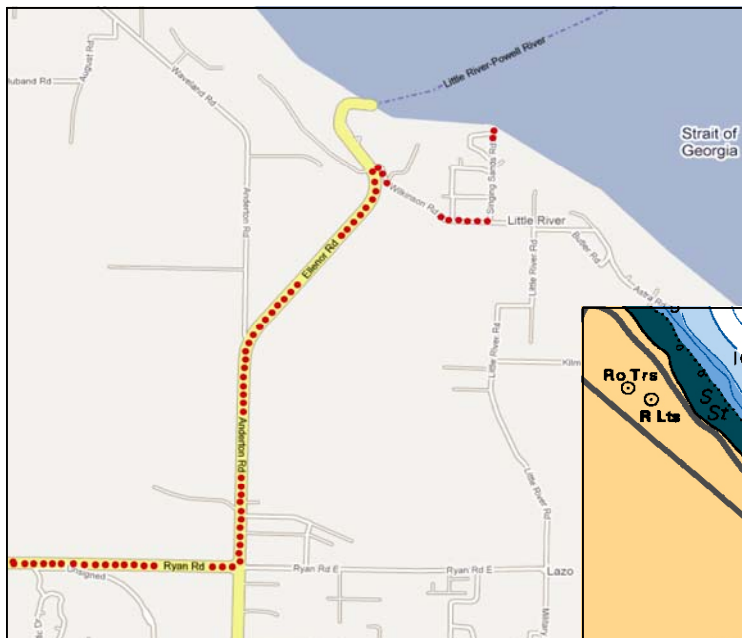
Access: Shore Dive

Skill Level: All Divers

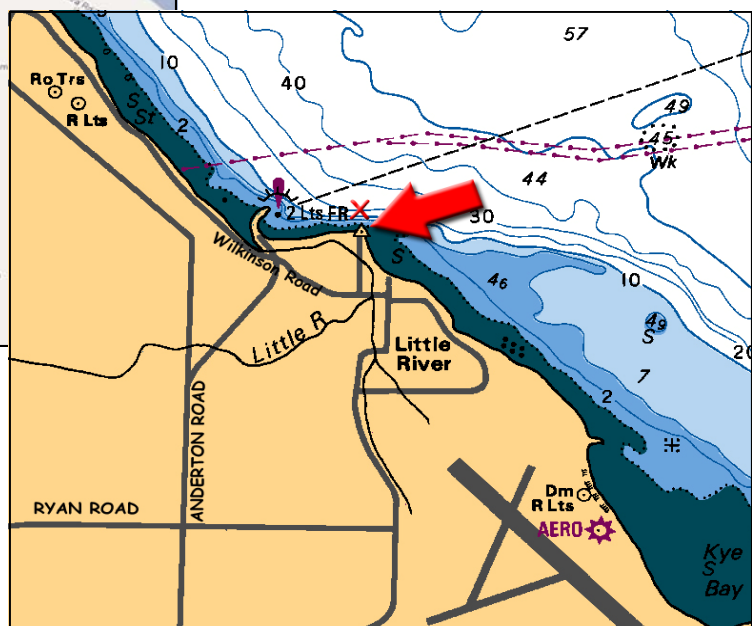
Highlights: This site is conveniently located in Comox very near the Powell River Ferry Terminal. There is a small wreck of a cement hull sailboat laying on its Starboard side at approximately 65 feet. This artificial reef has become home to many different species of fish and invertebrates. Entry is straight off the end of the road where at approximately 20 feet you will find a rope that guides you down to the wreck. On the way down you will find numerous different critters.

Marine Life: Large Sunflower Starfish, Grunt Sculpins, good sized Lingcod, schools of Vermillion Rockfish and two large Octopi that live under the hull of the wreck.

Hazards: This site is exposed to wind from both the North and South as well as unpredictable long shore currents. This area is a popular fishing spot so always carry a dive float and discuss your dive plan with the fishermen. Watch for the ferry nearby and do not surface away from shore or when you hear the vessel.



Access: From Courtenay follow Ryan Road East (signs to Powell River Ferry). Turn left on Anderton Road follow until just before the ferry terminal. Turn right on Wilkinson Road and left on Singing Sands. Follow to end.



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