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AUBER Fall Conference, October 13-16, 2007.
Pensacola Beach, Florida.

Fast Facts about the City of Five Flags

- **The retired aircraft carrier Oriskany** (1945-1976) was successfully reefed on May 17, 2006, approximately 24 miles southeast of Pensacola Pass to become the world's largest artificial reef. At 910 feet in length, the "Mighty O" is an exceptional destination for divers.
- Of the seven species of **sea turtles**, four nest in the Pensacola Beach area from May through August, and the babies hatch from mid-July to the end of October. At hatching time, up to 150 babies burst from the nest and dash to the Gulf of Mexico.
- A 10-foot, cast concrete cross on Pensacola Beach commemorates the **first Christian mass held in the United States**. The Knights of Columbus first placed it on the beach in 1559. The cross has stood firm through many bouts with Mother Nature, including most recently Hurricane Ivan, which flattened dunes for several miles east and west. There is no scientific explanation as to why the dune and the cross have been spared so many times.

Climate Report

(norm for conference time - mid October)



77°
Clear

343 days of sunshine per year

556 days hurricane free

Pensacola Links

- **Dive the Oriskany**
<http://divemightyo.com>
- **Downtown Pensacola**
<http://downtownpensacola.com>
- **Northwest Florida Interactive Trail Map**
<http://visitpensacola.com/trailmap>

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