

# COMMITTEE

## NEWSLETTER

### UPDATE

December 1994



SEAS<sup>ON</sup>'S  
GREETINGS



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## NOTICE TO ALL MEMBERS OF PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO RULES OF INCORPORATION

*(Ongoing issues raised at last Club Meeting and boat owners meeting)*

From Scott Leimroth:

As Dive Officer for the Club I propose a motion that Rule 29(b) of the Rules of Incorporation be deleted. As the resources of the Committee are not sufficient to regularly inspect all 16 boat owners, Clause 29(b) as it stands is unworkable.

A vote will be taken on this matter at the December Club Meeting after discussion of the matter, if required. It is hoped that a resolution of this problem will lead to the return of regular club boat diving activities.

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### PROPOSAL TO OMIT CLAUSE 29(b) RE BOAT OWNERS:

"Association Members who are boat owners and take Club Members on Club organised boating activities will:

- (i) Have on board their boats MSB approved safety equipment, as per regulations.
  - (ii) Hold a M.S.B. boating licence.
  - (iii) Hold third party boating insurance."
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## FUTURE DIVING ACTIVITIES — 1995

- SUN. 22 JANUARY: CHICKEN & CHAMPAIGNE CLUB BOAT DIVE  
8.00 a.m. Dolans Bay Boat Ramp. Diving Port Hacking - location to be advised.  
Wives/partners and non divers to meet 9.45 a.m. at Dolans Bay boat ramp.  
Food \$5.00 p/p - come and enjoy B-B-Q chicken, champagne/wine, etc.  
(CONTACT GEOFF ON 543 5817, (018) 294 897, (018) 294 891)
- FRI. 17 FEBRUARY —  
TUE. 21 FEBRUARY: EDEN & TATHRA - 5 days diving.  
(CONTACT BARBARA ON 550 1712, 319 3144)
- SUN. 5 MARCH: CLEAN UP AUSTRALIA DAY:  
AT LITTLE BAY — BAR-B-Q & DIVING  
(CONTACT SCOTT ON 759 6501)
- FRI. 10 MARCH —  
SUN. 10 MARCH: JERVIS BAY: MULTI CLUB DIVE WEEKEND  
Involving South Pacific, Ryde Underwater, Underwater Research Group  
& Douts-Uni. of Technology Dive Clubs.  
(CONTACT SCOTT ON 759 6501)
- SAT. 18 MARCH —  
SUN. 19 MARCH: JINDABYNE WEEKEND.  
Altitude diving. Accommodation very cheap \$10 for weekend  
in luxury units. Airfills and hire boats available.  
(CONTACT SCOTT ON 759 6501)
- FRI. 14 APRIL —  
MON. 17 APRIL: NELSON BAY: EASTER LONG WEEKEND  
EASTER Double boat diving and shore dives.  
Accommodation \$20 p/p per night.  
(CONTACT SCOTT ON 759 6501)

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Message from Leo Mayer:

A friend and fellow club member said to me recently "Leo, you must understand, South Pacific Divers might not be diving together, but they ARE diving" — I agree with him.

If you can't make it to the planned Club dives, I dive most weekends either in Sydney, Wollongong or Nelson Bay areas, (charter boat dives or shore dives), and diving is a lot of the time organised the night before the weekend. I would like to have your company. If you wish to join me please ring 708 5742 (if I'm not home - leave a message on the answering machine).

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**MINUTES OF SOUTH PACIFIC DIVERS CLUB**  
**MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY 22ND NOVEMBER, 1994**

Apologies: Eddie Labour, Martin Kandilas, Peter Flockart, Merridy Cairn-Duff,  
Geoff Cook, Robyn Hewitt, Joe Ingegneri, Russell Stoker, Scott Leimroth.

**AMENDMENTS TO MINUTES OF 17 OCTOBER, 1994 CLUB MEETING:**

- \* Dive Organisers Report:  
The matter regarding the boat owners meeting being postponed, should say Leo Mayer and not Leo Bergagnin.
- \* General Business:  
Australian Camera magazine published the Australasian Underwater Photographer of the Year photos, not Scuba Diver magazine.
- \* Leo Mayer did not support Cathie Holloway's actions as the abbreviated minutes seemed to suggest.

The 17 October Club Minutes incorporating the above amendments were accepted by Leo Bergagnin and seconded by John Beddie.

**INCOMING CORRESPONDENCE:**

A letter from Peter Cochran regarding the Provincial Trader: The M.S.B. is taking action to remove the wreck. They have selected a salvage contractor. The Trader will be dumped off the Continental Shelf.

**OTHER INCOMING CORRESPONDENCE:**

Postcard from Peter Flockart from Heron Island.

Faxes from Belinda Barnes, Cathy Holloway.  
Newsletters from other dive clubs.

Michael McFadyen asked for Cathy Holloway's fax to be read. Leo Mayer read fax "To Barry Andrewartha and Belinda Barnes, CC: S.P.D.C." from Cathie Holloway.

Michael McFadyen: Suggested Judges in future to sign confidentiality clause.

**OUTGOING CORRESPONDENCE:**

Letter to Cathie Holloway and Australian Camera magazine re their use of the winning portfolio photos and South Pacific's name in magazine.

Other correspondence re guest speakers.

**TREASURER'S REPORT:**

Figures for Committee Year have been updated. Accountant audit - not enough money made to 30 June so no tax to pay. Suggestions were made on how details of money spent/records kept. Considering profits made this financial year, club will have to pay tax.  
Discussion of tax exemption re sporting club.

November bank statement \$13,535.00. \$589.00 In, \$474.00 Out for month.

Accepted by Ross Hipwell, seconded by Leo Bergagnin.

**PHOTOGRAPHIC OFFICER'S REPORT:**

Leo Mayer (in Peter Flockart's absence): "Think Tank" was successful.

Attendance: Leo Mayer, Peter Flockart, Merridy Cairn-Duff, Martin Kandilas, Brian Colwell, Ron and Jenny Mines, Brent Hedges, David Fagan, Mark Spencer, Kevin Deacon and Tom Byron.

Duration of 3 hours, goods points raised.

Leo Mayer: After discussions with Corporate Theatre and Bankstown Sports Club for availability:  
Booked S.P.D.A.U.P.Y. for August 12th, 1995, Bankstown Sports Club.



Rules: Wording expanded, re macro, video, individual: separate section, Open, Novice.

Michael McFadyen: Can they enter the same pics in each ?

Leo Mayer: No they can't.

Craig Harwood: Entry of computer enhanced photography?

Leo Mayer: In agreeance for future "creative section".

Discussion on holding A.V. competition in Summer, for future.

#### **DIVE OFFICER'S REPORT:**

John Fardoulis (in absence of Scott Leimroth and Geoff Cook): Weekend at John's parent's place, Central Coast, diving and activities.

Letter from Scott Leimroth: Dec-Jan, trip to Yongala. Jervis Bay, Jindabyne, all in the pipeline.

Leo Mayer: Reminder to call boat owners for dives.

#### **SOCIAL ORGANISER'S REPORT:**

Chaos Comedy Theatre, 6th December - tentative booking, need money tonight.

Christmas B.B.Q. Cabarita Park - need to know numbers.

Christmas Eve party - any interest ?

#### **MEMBERS DIVE REPORTS:**

Michael McFadyen: First dive on the "Kello". Found easily with Tom Byron's marks. Good dive, 51 metres. Boiler, drive shaft, prop, winches, hull - all still intact.

Leo Mayer: Dived the Tuggerah, with Ross Hipwell. Whales on surface.

Craig Harwood: Jamaica - warm water, wore only speedos. Classic comment from operator: "sometimes gets cold and have to wear T-shirt". Hurricane 3 days previous, vis not good. Reef 20 metres out from beach - jump in dive.

#### **GENERAL BUSINESS:**

Leo Mayer: St. John's Ambulance First Aid Courses for divers, need 10 people, max. 24, 8:30am-4:30pm. \$115.00 p/p plus \$70.00 service fee.

Surf Lifesaving / Westpac Helicopter Rep. will speak at future club meet.  
Donation of \$100.00 for the speaker.

Leo said Geoff Cook had spoken to Steve Cross re Oxy Therapy Unit, cost will be about \$600.00.  
Steve offers an Equipment Speciality Course, which could be run through the club for \$120.00 p/p.

Leo Mayer: Diver First Aid Course \$170.00 p/p or if have current course in hand already, \$120.00.  
Oxy equipment regulator fits into mouth as per normal.

Michael McFadyen: Worry with oxy reviver equipment getting stuck at "one person's house".

Gordon McDonald: Suggested use on club deep dives.

John Fardoulis: Price too high, Scott Leimroth has equipment at much less cost.

Gordon McDonald: Advertise equipment in "Wet Rag".

Leo Bergagnin: Suggested box trailer including 1st Aid gear and B.B.Q. to be used on club dives.

John Fardoulis read out letter from Scott Leimroth:

"Recommend Rule 29(b) be deleted from Rules of Incorporation. 16 boat owners cannot be expected to be checked. Club cannot be a 'government authority'".



Gordon McDonald raised litigation issue re 'club accident'.

John Fardoulis: Club has public liability insurance to cover.

John Fardoulis reading Scott's letter: "Negligence by not checking all boats - take clause out".

Michael McFadyen: Special general meeting - amending rules, mention in "Wet Rag" addition.

John Fardoulis read Scott Leimroth's letter discussing 'non involvement of committee' re changes to 1995 A.V. comp. date.

Leo Mayer: Photographic Officer, Publicity Officer and President were involved and with Sportdiving magazine's deadline to have information finalised to meet their deadline for the February-March issue there was not enough time to take any further. Needed to make a decision to meet their publication deadline.

Rick Latimer: Discussion on date of A.V. comp. in relation to Dive Show.

Leo Mayer: July to July committee year, Corporate Theatre said they cannot run in September as previous. Dates were co-ordinated to fit in with availability of Corporate Theatre and Bankstown Sports Club.

Leo Bergagnin: September is a better month to hold A.V. comp. as it is a summer sport.

Michael McFadyen raised Leo Mayer's "Provincial Trader" wreck article in 'Dive Log'. Michael thought Leo had criticised a Merimbula dive shop. Suggested that the mention of S.P.D.C. within the article was an incorrect approach.

Leo asked Michael to read out relevant part of article - Not read out.

Rick Latimer: Abovementioned dive shop has been a previous sponsor.

John Fardoulis: Motion forwarded for Honorary club membership to be given to Reg Lipson, Rodney Fox and Jean Michel Cousteau.

Motion passed by Leo Bergagnin, seconded by Gordon McDonald.

Leo Bergagnin: Re Rick Latimer's proposal for 'Member of the year award'.  
Leo B. has all previous committee votes and will advise.

#### **RAFFLE:**

1st Prize of dinner & drinks for 2 people, value \$80.00 compliments of "Platform One" Restaurant, Bankstown Sports Club.

**AND** Kodak disposable Telephoto camera with film donated by Kodak. **WON BY:** Ross Hipwell.

2nd Prize of boat dive on "Sea Tamer II" donated by Max Western.

**AND** Kodak disposable Telephoto camera with film donated by Kodak. **WON BY:** Leo Bergagnin.

3rd Prize of 2 airfills donated by Leo and Lesley Hillyer of "Shiprock Dive".

**AND** Kodak disposable Telephoto camera with film donated by Kodak. **WON BY:** Leo Bergagnin.

**Thank you** to Bankstown Sports Club, Kodak, Max Western, Leo and Lesley Hillyer.  
Congratulations to the winners.

#### **GUEST SPEAKER — MAX GLEESON:**

Max presented a fascinating slide presentation together with interesting commentary, focusing attention on his interest in wreck diving and research. Amongst the slides were "The Caterthun", Seal Rocks, Truk Lagoon, Solomon Islands, "The Yongala", Heron Island, "The Satara", Sydney Wrecks, "The Undola", "The Tuggerah" and many more.

Thank you Max, we all enjoyed your presentation immensely.



SOUTH PACIFIC DIVERS CLUB INCORPORATED  
BALANCE SHEET  
AS AT 30 JUNE 1994

CURRENT ASSETS

CASH	AT BANK	9165.68
	INVESTMENT ACCOUNT	6634.16
STOCK OF T SHIRTS ON HAND		<u>252.00</u>

TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS 16051.84

TOTAL ASSETS 16051.84

NET ASSETS 16051.84

REPRESENTED BY

ACCUMULATED FUNDS

BALANCE 1 JULY 1993	13091.47
SURPLUS FOR YEAR	<u>2960.37</u>

BALANCE 30 JUNE 1994 16051.84

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SOUTH PACIFIC DIVERS CLUB INCORPORATED  
STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENDITURE  
YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 1994

INCOME

MEMBERSHIP FEES	1915.00
SALE T SHIRTS	1642.00
CAPS	30.00
STICKERS AND DECALS	260.60
RAFFLE PROCEEDS	3552.95
BANK INTEREST	242.02
SOCIAL NIGHTS	432.50
NIGHT DIVES	245.00
AV NIGHT	
TICKETS 1993	5781.00
TICKETS 1994	3148.00
COMPETITION FEES 1994	2295.00
MISCELLANEOUS INCOME	516.45

TOTAL INCOME 20060.52

EXPENSES

AV NIGHT 1993		
VENUE	1500.00	
MC COSTS	200.00	
PRODUCTION	8000.00	
SUNDRY COSTS	<u>465.76</u>	10165.76
AV NIGHT 1994		
VENUE DEPOSIT	500.00	
SUNDRY COSTS	<u>42.00</u>	642.00 X
BANK CHARGES		43.69
DIVING EXPENSES		230.00
DIVE LOG POSTAGE SUBSIDY		72.00
FILING FEES		3.00
FLORAL TRIBUTES		294.00
GEORGE ROBERTS COMPETITION		
TROPHIES	164.55	
FILM AND OTHER COSTS	<u>343.93</u>	508.48
INSURANCE		212.62
PURCHASE T SHIRTS	1789.00	
LESS: STOCK ON HAND 30 JUNE 1994	<u>252.00</u>	1537.00
PRINTING		579.20
POSTAGE		1214.10
RAFFLE PRIZES		24.30
STATIONERY		447.95
SOCIAL NIGHT COSTS		<u>1226.05</u>

TOTAL EXPENSES 17100.15

SURPLUS FOR YEAR TRANSFERRED  
TO ACCUMULATED FUNDS 2960.37



FOR MEMBERS INFORMATION  
LISTED BELOW ARE THE 1995  
AUSTRALASIAN UNDERWATER  
PHOTOGRAPHER OF THE YEAR  
COMPETITION RULES.

THE 1995 RULES ARE A REFINED  
VERSION OF THE 1993 AND 1994  
RULES WITH 3 NEW RULES  
INCLUDED DUE TO FACTORS  
WHICH AROSE THIS YEAR.

#### COMPETITION DATES FOR THE LAST 6 YEARS:

1994: Open: Feb 1994 — Closed: 10/6/94. Awards Night: 24/9/94.  
1993: Open: 29/3/93 — Closed: 24/5/93. Awards Night: 17/7/93.  
1992: Open: 30/3/92 — Closed: 25/5/92. Awards Night: 25/7/92.  
1991: Open: 1/3/91 — Closed: 1/5/91. Awards Night: 13/7/91.  
1990: Open: 1/3/90 — Closed: 1/5/90. Awards Night: 23/6/90.  
1989: Open: 1/3/89 — Closed: 30/4/89. Awards Night: 15/7/89.

The competition has been running since 1981 and in the most part  
has run March to May with the Presentation Night usually in July.

The reason for the Presentation Night being held mainly in July in previous years was that winter was a quiet time and the idea was to get divers revved up to go diving again. Also, the Bankstown Sports Club or Revesby Workers Club was less likely to be booked up in winter with other functions.

These days consideration also has to be given to dates clashing with other national and international photographic competitions that the photographers tend to enter. Also, most underwater photographers know about the competition and take their photographs over summer in readiness for the competition close off date. Also, the advertising by Dive Log and Sportdiving magazine is through the summer months for promoting the competition and Presentation Night.

### 1995 AUSTRALASIAN UNDERWATER PHOTOGRAPHER OF THE YEAR

Competition Opens: 6 March, 1995

Competition Closes: 26 May, 1995

Presentation Night: 12 August, 1995

#### Conditions of Entry

Please read **all the rules carefully**. Failure to comply may lead to disqualification.

RULE	NOTE	WORDING
Rule 1	Similar to 1993 & 1994 Rule	This competition is open to all underwater photographers and videographers in Australia and its territories, Papua New Guinea, New Zealand, Fiji, Solomon Islands, Tonga, Vanuatu, New Caledonia, Thailand, Taiwan, Hong Kong, Singapore, Philippines, Borneo, Indonesia, Brunei and Malaysia.
Rule 2	Similar to 1994 Rule	<b>Open:</b> This is open to all competitors from the countries listed. <b>Novice:</b> A novice for the purpose of this competition is defined as: Any entrant who, at the time of entering the competition, has not received monetary remuneration for any underwater photographic work in Australia or elsewhere and who has not won any prize in a recognised National or International underwater photographic competition (with the exception of the South Pacific Divers Novice Second or Third, Encouragement Awards or Honourable Mentions). <b>Individual:</b> This category is open to all competitors who wish to enter up to four individual slides based on Macro, Wide Angle, Creative and Portrait (either diver or fish). these slides <b>will not</b> be judged as a portfolio. Category type must be shown on the slide(s) entered, e.g. Macro, Wide angle, etc.
Rule 3	Similar to 1994 Rule	Each entrant may submit one set (portfolio) of five (5) slides and/or one (1) video with an entry fee of AUST \$25.00 per entry, or \$5.00 per slide for the Individual Category.
Rule 4	No change - See Rule 3 from 1993	Slides must be presented in a cross-section as to allow judges a view of the overall talent of the entrant from macro to wide angle of any chosen subjects. (A macro photograph is defined as a view of a subject of at least 1:6 or greater magnification for the purpose of this competition.
Rule 5	New Rule - Specifies portfolio criteria for judging	Slides for the Open and the Novice categories are to comprise the following: Minimum of one (1) Macro of greater than 1:6 magnification. Minimum of one (1) Wide Angle. Minimum of one (1) Wildlife (i.e. marine life other than macro and excluding divers).
Rule 6	No change - See Rule 4 from 1993	Deliberate use of dead marine animals as the main subject will lead to disqualification.
Rule 7	No change - See Rule 5 1993 & Ph.Rules 1 & 2 from 1994	All slides/video must have been taken underwater by the entrants.
Rule 8	Similar to Rule 6 from 1993 & Ph.Rule 8 1994	Any special effects are limited to "in camera" photographs and must be accompanied by a description to ascertain that the photograph complies with the competition rules. Slides that have been manipulated, altered or enhanced by means other than that detailed above will be disqualified.



RULE	NOTE	WORDING
Rule 9	Similar to Rule 7 from 1993 and Ph.Rule 3 1994	Fish tank, aquariums, swimming pools and the like photographs or video are not acceptable.
Rule 10	Similar to Rule 8 1993 & Ph.Rule 4 from 1994	All entries must be colour slides (prints are not acceptable).
Rule 11	No change - See Rule 9 1993 & Ph.Rule 5 1994	All slides are to be in glassless mounts.
Rule 12	Similar to Rule 10 1993 & Ph.Rule 6 1994	Each slide must be clearly marked with a contrasting dot on the lower left corner of the slide when held up to be viewed naturally.
Rule 13	No change - See Rule 11 1993 & Ph.Rule 7 1994	Each slide must be clearly marked with the entrant's name, address and slide title.
Rule 14	No change - See Rule 12 1993 & Ph.Rule 8 1994	Slides may be cropped or masked. Any slide altered by any other means will be ineligible for entry.
Rule 15	Similar to Rule 13 from 1993 & Ph.Rule 9 1994	Transparencies or duplicates of transparencies that have previously won any prizes in a recognised National or International underwater photographic competition are ineligible for entry. Offending slides will be disqualified.
Rule 16	New Rule borrowed from Nikon Int'l Entry Form	A photograph selected from among those taken on the same scene with a limited time lag are also ineligible when any of these photographs has already been published or has been submitted to other competitions.
Rule 17	Similar to 1994 Rule	Video entries must be submitted for judging on VHS format (dubbing from VHS Super to VHS is acceptable).
Rule 18	No change - See Rule 16 from 1993	The video entries should present the view with a storyline and be of a maximum length of four (4) minutes, with a minimum of 75 percent (three minutes) underwater content.
Rule 19	No change - See Rule 17 from 1993	Video entries must be shot originally on video equipment and must not be dubbed from film. Editing, titling, narration and/or backing music is encouraged. Copyright of music used is the responsibility of the entrant.
Rule 20	New Rule - To prevent the unauthorised printing of winning photographs by second magazine	All slides/videos will remain in the possession of South Pacific Divers Club until after the Presentation Night has been held, without exception. The South Pacific Divers Club reserves the right to issue first time publishing rights ( <b>entrants copyright will not be affected</b> ) for any/all of the winning slides to their choice of 1995 media sponsor in order to promote the competition, the winners, the prize sponsors and the Club itself.
Rule 21	No change - See Rule 18 1993 & Rule 4 1994	All entries must be accompanied by a self-addressed, postage paid padded bag for return of slides or video.
Rule 22	Similar to Rule 19 from 1993	The competition will open on 6 March, 1995 and close on 26 May, 1995. All entries are to be addressed and sent in a padded post bag to: The Photographic Officer, South Pacific Divers Club, PO Box 823, Bankstown, NSW, 2200, Australia.
Rule 23	No change - See Rule 20 from 1993	Whilst all care will be taken, South Pacific Divers Club, or its members accept no responsibility for damage to, or loss of, entries.
Rule 24	Similar to Rule 22 1993 & Gen.Rule 7 1994	South Pacific Divers Club reserves the right to revoke any prize in the event of an entrant not complying with the above conditions of entry and for any misleading information supplied on the entry form.
Rule 25	No change - See Rule 23 1993 & Gen.Rule 8 1994	If, due to circumstances beyond our control, a particular prize is withdrawn from the competition, South Pacific Divers Club will, without accepting responsibility, endeavour to replace this prize with a suitable alternative.
Rule 26	No change - See Gen.Rule 10 from 1994	The Club reserves the right to use entered slides/video for the promotion of the competition, the Club or diving at its discretion.
Rule 27	Similar to Rule 21 1993 & Gen.Rule 9 1994	The judges and Photographic Officer's decision will be final and no correspondence will be entered into.
Note	Similar to Rule 24 1993	NOTE: Have you read all the rules carefully ? Failure to comply may lead to disqualification.



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**GEORGE ROBERTS PERPETUAL TROPHY**  
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South Pacific Divers Club  
Members Underwater Photographic Competition

**OPEN CATEGORY**

- 1st Place: Five nights accommodation and six boat dives at the Solitary Islands donated by Dive Quest Mulloway.
- 2nd Place: Will receive a certificate.
- Best Macro Slide: Will receive a certificate.
- Best Wide Angle Slide: Will receive a certificate.

**NOVICE CATEGORY**

- 1st Place: Five nights accommodation and six boat dives at South West Rocks donated by South West Rocks Dive Centre.
- 2nd Place: Will receive a certificate.
- Best Macro Slide: Will receive a certificate.
- Best Wide Angle Slide: Will receive a certificate.

**INDIVIDUAL CATEGORY**

- Best Macro Slide: Will receive a certificate.
- Best Wide Angle Slide: Will receive a certificate.
- Best Wildlife Slide: Will receive a certificate.

**RULES OF ENTRY**

1. The competition is open to all members of the South Pacific Divers Club.
2. Categories this year are:
  - Open — Available to all members.
  - Novice — An entrant who at the time of entering the competition, has not received monetary remuneration for any underwater photographic work in Australia or elsewhere and who has not won any prize in a recognised National or International photographic competition (with the exception of the South Pacific Divers Novice Second or Third, Encouragement Awards or Honourable Mentions).
  - Individual — This is open to all members who wish to enter but have less than the five slides required for the other two categories.
3. A maximum of five (5) 35mm. slides per entrant in glassless mounts are required for the Open and Novice sections.
4. All slides must have been taken underwater by the entrant.
5. The portfolio must contain a minimum of one macro, one wide angle and one wildlife shot. (Wildlife is defined as marine life other than macro and excluding divers).
6. Fish tank, aquariums, swimming pool and the like photographs are not acceptable.
7. Photographs taken that resulted in the injury or death of marine animals are not acceptable.
8. Any special effects are limited to "in camera" and any unusual shots should be accompanied by a description of the technique so as to avoid possible disqualification. Slides that have been manipulated, altered or enhanced by means other than that detailed above will be disqualified.
9. All slides are to be in glassless mounts with the entrant's name, slide name and a contrasting dot in the lower left hand corner when held to be viewed naturally.
10. The Club reserves the right to use entered slides for the promotion of the competition, the Club or diving at its discretion.
11. Entrants are to either hand their entries to the Photographic Officer or post them to South Pacific Divers Club, P.O. Box 823, Bankstown, NSW, 2200.
12. The judges and photographic officer's decision is final and no correspondence will be entered into.

**NOTES FOR GUIDANCE**

Entrants should select their slides to demonstrate the range of their technical ability as well as creativity. Slides will be judged individually for technical ability, composition and creativity, then the portfolio will be assessed for range and depth of ability.

**ENTRY FORM — GEORGE ROBERTS PERPETUAL TROPHY**

Name: .....

Address: .....

Contact Phone Numbers: ..... P/CODE .....

Tick the Category you are entering: OPEN ..... NOVICE ..... INDIVIDUAL .....

Titles: 1. .... 2. ....

3. .... 4. ....

5. ....

I hereby state that I will be bound by the rules of the competition and acknowledge that failure to comply or give false information can result in disqualification.

Dated: ..... / ..... / .....

Signature: .....



## CHRISTMAS RAFFLE

HAVE YOU BOUGHT YOUR  
CHRISTMAS RAFFLE TICKETS YET ?  
IF NOT THEN COME ALONG  
TO THE CLUB'S XMAS PARTY BAR-B-Q  
AND DECEMBER CLUB MEETING.

TICKETS WILL BE SOLD AND  
THEN THE RAFFLE WILL BE DRAWN  
AT THE INFORMAL CLUB MEETING  
MONDAY 19th DECEMBER.

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- 1st Prize:
- \* Compliments of 'Dive Nelson Bay' dive shop (ex Action Divers) — weekend for 2 people with double boat diving Saturday and Sunday plus all air fills and 2 nights accommodation staying at Nelson Lodge Motel.
  - \* 1 year's subscription to Sportdiving magazine compliments of Sportdiving Magazine and Dive Log Australia.
  - \* 3 rolls of Kodak slide film compliments of Kodak Australia.
- 2nd Prize:
- \* Strobe filter (Tiffen) compliments of Kodak Australia.
  - \* 1 free boat dive compliments of Max Western's Sea Tamer II.
  - \* Video: Nikon Guide to Underwater Photography, compliments of Sportdiving Magazine and Dive Log Australia.
- 3rd Prize:
- \* Dive computer book compliments of Sportdiving Magazine and Dive Log.
  - \* 3 rolls of Kodak slide film compliments of Kodak Australia.
  - \* 2 free airfills compliments of Ship Rock Dive.









## CLUB CHRISTMAS PARTY

### BAR - B - Q

**DATE: THIS SATURDAY 17th DECEMBER**

**PLACE: CABARITA PARK, CABARITA (Near Concord)**

**DIRECTIONS: (At entrance of Park take first laneway on right hand side, follow this till you see the first brick shed on left. Turn left and look for the BIG OPEN SHED WITH TABLES).**

**\*\*\* See Map attached \*\*\***

**TIME: FROM 3.00 p.m. ONWARDS**

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**THERE WILL ALSO BE A DRAW  
TO WIN THE CHRISTMAS HAMPER**

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- MEAT / BEER / WINE / SOFT DRINKS & MUNCHIES will be provided.
- If you want to bring a salad - it would be most appreciated.

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### **R.S.V.P.:**

**SO WE HAVE AN IDEA OF NUMBERS  
IT WOULD BE APRECIATED IF YOU COULD**

**R.S.V.P. TO EITHER:**

**CARINA GREGORY (SOCIAL CO-ORDINATOR)  
ON (046) 258 630 (hm), (046) 201 423 (wk)**

**OR BARBARA SWEETMAN  
ON 550 1712 (hm), OR 319 3144 (wk)**

