

- Meeting began 8-25 pm.
- apologies from Dave Vickers.
- Minutes were read and received. Moved they be accepted by Mick Byrnes, seconded by Barry Lins.
- Business from the minutes began with:
 - a report by Beau Patterson on the Igalava wreck off Lamajal; about 12 showed up, only 6 SPD members - a good day's diving with no mishaps.
 - Larry Reynolds then reported on the T shirt issue. Larry can save the club \$30 by buying another brand, and it was decided to cut down the number T shirts. Gary Ryan moved the club should charge \$2.00 per shirt, ^{this motion carried.} thus giving the club about 50¢ profit, seconded by Joan Harper.
 - a brief report was given by Greg Hawken on the possible trends of the questionnaire - still not enough returned to conclude anything at this stage.
 - Larry Reynolds said the membership list would be distributed to financial members only - and at this stage it stands at 33.
 - Mick Byrnes introduced the new Jacques Cousteau Series of Books to the club, then Jon Lins stated he could possibly get 30% off the retail price. Mick then asked for volunteers for octopus - there were 7 starters.
 - Pete Harper then made a general comment of his disappointment in the number of club members who did not bother to show up for the Igalava Wreck Dive especially after the organisation that went into the dive.
 - Bob Smith replied with excuses of too boozed and heads most boat owners don't like trouble dives.
 - a report of the Curarong weekend was given. There were about 25 present with quite a few new members and 6 boats, the seas were choppy but all had good dives.
 - There were then suggestions put-forward for the Montague Is. Long weekend, with Pete Harper being the central booking agent for Curarong etc. Pete Stanbo offered to make himself available after the meeting to give "Dr. Harper's phone number to anyone".

- Mick Byrnes then gave a Report on the Night Drive - a good night with 4 divers, good visibility and Hawks got a Balmain Bug for a midnight snack.

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• Next was the Treasurer's Report

- at end of August. — \$ 606 - 93^f

Two Trawls cost \$80

New Projector Stand & Screen \$75

T shirts \$94.

Total \$249

Plus Bank Balance was \$357 - 93^f.

+ Trawler fees & members fees 84 - 20

Plus latest total \$442 - 13^f

• Back to General Business

- a comment by Larry that these free trawle dives will cause a hassle (no offence to Mick Byrnes).

- Peter Starbo then commented on trawle dives, which then triggered a motion put forward by Pete Stoper

* "If any club member places his name on the list for a trawle then he pays whether he shows or not" *

seconded by Roger West. Motion carried.

- Suggestions were asked for, for a Betty Blockbuster night. a tentative date was set for 24th of September pending on possibility of bookings.

• Meeting closed at 10 - 15.

• Then slides were shown

Greg Hawker