MINUTES OF MEETING OF SOUTH PACIFIC DIVERS HELD AT BANKSTOWN SPORTS CLUB 16.9.85

Meeting Opened

8.10 p.m.

The President, John Blaszczak opened the meeting with a welcome to the new committee. He thanked those members who had attended the A.G.M.

Visitors:

Lana Herodes, A. McLorinan

Apologies:

Lynn and Pat Manly, Chuck Belveal, Miriam Roberts, Jane and Mark Livermore.

Minutes of the Meeting August 1985 Were read and accepted by Kelly Smith, seconded by Lea Hackett.

Correspondence

Incoming: Australian Underwater Federation
"Between the Lines" Newsletter from
Recreational Fishing Advisory
Council.

Outgoing: Letter to Bankstown Sports Club.

Treasurer's Report:

 Balance B/F
 \$ 4,959.25

 Income
 \$ 132.00

 Transferred from B/S
 \$ 188.75

 Expenditure
 \$ nil

Balance in cheque account \$ 5,280.00

Accepted by Gary Roberts, seconded Dave Morris.

Social Secretary's Report

South Pacific Divers Silver Jubilee celebration to be held on 9.11.85 at Bankstown Sports Club in the Sportsman's Bar. Tickets \$15.00 each. Numbers attending must be known by 21.10.85 for catering reasons. Tickets available from committee members.

Dive Organizer's Report:

Dives arranged as listed in Club Mag. Any enquiries please contact Gary Roberts on 771 3459.

Dive Reports:

Neil Vincent's tank was confiscated by a fishing inspector in Jervis Bay when he was caught taking scollops on scuba. Neil was under the impression that this was allowed. Apparently the law is being changed at the moment but is held up in red tape. At the moment you cannot take any marine life on scuba in Jervis Bay. A snorkel in your boat may well protect you if you are caught with fish even if you have scuba gear on board as long as you are not caught in the act. (Discussion between fisheries inspector and Neil).

Jim Smith commented that B.J. was O.K. as he had a 300 ft. yellow snorkel in his boat.

Publicity Officer's Report:

Cindy requested articles for the magazine from club members.

Photographic Officer's Report:

The club was asked whether they had any objections to New Zealand being included in the Australasian Underwater Photographer competition. No objections raised.

Bruce Meyers asked if any thought had been given to having above water slides included in the competition.

Any person with any suggestions regarding competition to contact Terry at home on 628 81 72 to discuss as it takes up too much time at club meetings.

George Roberts Trophy in-club comp. now on the way again. Entry forms from Terry.

General Business:

Congratulations to David and Jenny Morris who are expecting a baby. Must have been the sea air on the cruise.

Also congratulations to Keith and Sam who have finally moved in together to AID each other.

The president reminded the club re. the Silver Jubilee party and asked club members to give it their full support.

Meeting Closed:

9.10 p.m.

Slides shown by B.J.

SOUTH PACIFIC DIVERS

INCOME AND EXPENDITURE STATEMENT

From 22.1.85 to 18.8.85

Balance in cheque account as at 22.1.85			\$ 1,287.83
Income			
Membership Fees Club Stickers Sloppy Joes T. Shirts Social outings Diving trips (Bermagui) Raffle A.V. tickets and entries	\$ 58.00 \$ 6.00 \$ 348.00 \$ 30.00 \$ 891.89 \$ 698.00 \$ 140.26 \$5823.86		
Interest from cheque account	\$ 44.57	+	\$ 8,040.58
Expenditure			
Social outings Diving trips (Bermagui) Trophies (George Roberts) A.V. Misc. Purchases Postage Sponsorship (Zoo)	\$ 924.56 \$ 764.00 \$ 20.00 \$2618.85 \$ 73.50 \$ 84.40 \$ 60.00 \$ 7.49		
Bank charges on cheque account	\$ 7.49	-	\$ 4,552.80
			\$ 4,775.61
Plus Cheques not as yet presented			
No. 107098 \$ 60.00 No. 107100 \$150.00		+	\$ 210,00
			\$ 4,985.61
Less Cash in hand		-	\$ 12.00
			\$ 4973.61
Adjustment		+	\$ 1.54
BALANCE AS PER BANK STATEMENT NO. 12			\$ 4,975.15
Building Society Balance as at 18.8.85			\$ 128.19