

## MINUTES OF MEETING

of South Pacific Divers Held 16.6.86 at Bankstown Sports Club

Meeting opened at 8.15 by President, John Blaszczak.

As we had a late start and as we had a few slides and a movie to be shown after the meeting as well as the George Roberts Trophy awards to get through, the President decided to speed things up a bit.

Visitors were welcomed and apologies were received from Peter Stratford, Peter Jermyn, Bruce Meyer, Todd Gilding and Carl Kreiter.

New members this month are Charlie Johnson, Dave Bailey???, Mark Hartley and John Vandstand.

The President asked if members will accept the minutes of the previous meeting as printed in "Wet Rag". Accepted Martin Kandilas, seconded Larry King.

Correspondence:	Incoming:	Brisbane Water Aqualung Club. Shoalhaven City Council Bankstown Sports Club
	Outgoing:	Letter to judges. Ketch International Peter Fields.

### Treasurer's Report

Balance B/F in cheque a/c	\$ 1,202.28
Incoming	\$ 3,378.12
Expenditure	\$ 1,429.95
Balance in chq. a/c as at 16.6.86	\$ 3,150.45
Balance in fixed term deposit	\$ 3,000.00
Total funds	<u>\$ 6,150.45</u> =====

Accepted by Rick Latimer, seconded by Gary Roberts.

### Dive Officer's Report

Seal Rocks weekend all organized and we now have an S.P.D. banner to display at all our dive and social gatherings.

### Dive Reports

Lynn and Brenda dived Kurnell. Silty near edge then had 30 to 40 ft. further out. Water cold. Brenda had lots of fun with some weedy sea dragons. Then dived Shiprock at high tide. 30ft viz on top but like pea soup on bottom with plenty of divers from a school stirring it up. Very cold.

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Robert dived the Dunbar with Terry and B.J. Found a penny - plenty of nails and generally had a good scrummage. Then dived the "Centurian" - called it a bucket of bolts.

Chuck, Gary and co. dived the Valiant with 30 ft. viz.

Mark dived the Birchy. Viz so bad that he hit the wreck before he saw it. Remembers most of the dive so he was definitely not marked.

J.B. weekend. As Peter was in hospital Gary borrowed his boat and Fab took his. Good turn up with 12 to 14 divers. Dived Bowen for the three dives because of bad weather outside.

Martin dived the "Calooli" at Long Reef. Good for macro photography with plenty of jewel anenomes. Depth 120 to 160 ft. with 60 ft. viz on wreck.

#### Social Report

Macarthur Estate Bush Dance - names needed now. See Rhonda after meeting. If not enough names we will have to arrange somewhere else to go.

#### Publicity Officer

Cindy needs more articles. Terry congratulated Cindy on the crossword but said it was too easy.

#### Photographic Officer's Report

Terry asked member's if he could spend \$360 to hire an A.V. for the presentation night. Passed and accepted by all present.

#### General

It was decided to purchase 100 S.P.D. cloth badges @ \$2.15 ea.

Meeting closed and the George Robert's trophies were awarded. Martin Kandilas won the open and Neil Vincent the Novice.

Mark Spencer showed slides from his New Zealand trip and a film on the seals around an oil rig was also shown.