MINUTES OF MEETING OF SOUTH PACIFIC DIVERS HELD 18.4.88 AT BANKNSTOWN SPORTS CLUB.

Meeting opened by the President, Jim Smith at 8.14 p.m.

APOLOGIES: Peter Stratford, Neil Koos, John McDermott, Martin Kandelas.

NEW MEMBERS: K. Philpott, P. Davies.

MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING: Accepted

CORRESPONDENCE:

Incoming:

- . Brisbane Water Aqualung Club.
- . Australian Underwater Federation.
- . Ryde Underwater Club.

Outgoing:

- . Ryde Underwater Club.
- . Sea Life.
- . Pro Diving (Jervis Bay).
- . Manly Marineland.
- . H.M.A.S. Penguin.

TREASURERS REPORT:

Incoming	\$ 196.00
Outoing	\$ 437.72
Cheque Account	\$ 110.72
Investment Account	\$3000.00
Petty Cash	\$ 20.00

Transfer of \$1000 from investment account to cheque account as a float for audio visual costs.

SOCIAL ORGANISER:

- . Bristol Point weekend 29th, 30th April and 1st May. Final details.
- Port Stephens (Halifax) June weekend 3rd, 4th and 5th. Confirm and pay at the May meeting please.

- . Visit H.M.A.S. Penguin 23rd June (to be confirmed).
- . Manly Marineland dive 29th July(to be confirmed.

PHOTOGRAPHIC OFFICER:

- Date for competition entries Saturday, 30th April 12 p.m.
- . Booked Stan Waterman's film "Sinai Reef" for audio visual (cost \$200).
- . Eight entries received for A.V.
- . Pay Rodney Fox's airfare(\$400) for A.V. presentation.

GENERAL BUSINESS:

- . Cost of sloppy-joes now \$15.00 including emblem.
- . Article in "In Depth" regarding our major photographic competition.

DIVE REPORTS:

- Lyn and Neil Vincent dived at Halifax Park water filthy due to the heavy rain. Dead fish everwhere (mainly riverfish).
- . Karen Matthews and Andy Frew diving the kelp gardens in New Zealand cold but fun.
- . Bruce Gardiner trip to South Africa for rubber ducky races. Three races incorporating harbour, surf and river races. Life and limb always at risk but a fantastic time had.
- . Terry Mansfield diving around Vanuatu and New Caledonia. Publicity photography limited diving.
- . Kathy and John McDermott dived the wreck and sponge gardens at Curawrong as well as Point Perpendicular. Good diving and visibility. John dived Shiprock so bad he thought the day dive was a night one.

Meeting closed at 8.55 p.m.

Slides shown by Lyn and Pat Manly of their recent New Guinea trip.