October 15th, 2001 GENERAL MEETING

Time:

2013hrs

Chair:

Bernie

Apologies:

Hinze, Vivien, Audrey, Louise, Glen, Illona,

Incoming Mail:

Doubtless & Diving newsletter, URG Bulletin, Ryde Underwater newsletter, Bank statement, Marine and Coastal

Commercial Network, Brochures Ningaloo Blue.

Treasurers Report:

Linh delivered her report. Noel Taylor accepted and Grey McNeil seconded.

Linh tendered her written report to the Secretary

Martin Moved that money be invested on term deposit for 6 months

Phil Dale seconded.

Motion accepted. Linh to invest @ the best rate available for the amount of \$10,000 for a 6 month fixed term

deposit.

Editors Report:

Some genuine complaints re not including a subject title in the e-mail, making it hard to tell if it was a virus or

not. Point taken.

Equipment Officers Report:

Glen not present, presume all present and accounted for.

Photographic Officers Report:

No officer designate at this point. Noel tentatively booked the Greyhound for the 13th July for

the 2002 AV night.

Web Master

Noel advises that he has confirmation of prizes for the George Roberts Memorial competition.

Minutes of the Last Meeting Acceptance:

Accepted By:

Seconded By: Grey McNeil

Phil Dale

Business Arising from last Minutes:

Dive Reports:

Peter Flockhart dived in the Solomon's on the Arron Ward. 71 metres to the sand, Dived couple of seaplanes, warm water and good food and great accommodation.

Simon & Nicole Gaylor spent two weeks in Vanuatu, 40 metres viz and 29 degrees. Great time.

Mathew Reeves dived for bottles, spurred on by Steve Cross's talk, found half a dozen beer bottles a couple of coke bottles of old vintage and a Rosella jar.

Scott McGregor dived Henrys Head. Nice dive.

Mim & John (our newest members) dived Lord Howe, 9 dives. A lot of lagoon diving. A great intro into Coral diving. Great trip.

Phil & Amanda Taylor went to Narooma - Seal Colony 3-4Knot current onto seal colony no good for diving, went whale watching instead, spent ages watching mother and calf breaching, oh yeah! Pod of approx 200 dolphins.

Paul - attended Bathurst races.

General Business: Peter having slide portfolio published in the Dec issue of Sport Diver.

21st of this month shore dive at Bear Island. Simon to handle the BBQ.

Scans Combined Clubs day 11th November. La Perouse. Also JB proposal impact.

Insurance Problem, Grey advises that his Broker is unable to locate an insurer.

Duane to check into insurer details as supplied by Min and John.

Xmas Party

8th December, Greyhound Social Club - \$110 per hour plus buffet costs. Noel to get final figures, discounts for

members, full price for guests, Gifts for kiddies 12 and under.

Suggested Open theme fancy dress.

Motion put by Duane, Accepted by Martin, seconded by Dave.

2001 Ocean Odyssey Night to remember tickets not yet available from Noel. Nov 16th is the date. Available in Dive log also.

Break.-

Raffle

1st Prize **Phil Dale** 2nd Prize 3rd Prize Simon Gaylor **David Burns**

Aqua Sports Max Western **Ship Rock Dive** **Mystery Prize Boat Dive** 2 Air Fills

Peter Flockart showed some great slides of his trips to the Philippines and the Solomon Islands. Grey also ran a slide show showing some of Simon's slides and a few of his own.

Great turn out and fun meeting.

Closed Meeting: 1030pm