## October Club Meeting



We were fortunate to have highly acclaimed underwater photographer and marine biologist Dave Harasti as guest speaker for our October club meeting. He gave an interesting presentation about Seahorses, with some thought provoking questions regarding how protected zones might affect Seahorse numbers.

Dave's a Nelson Bay resident and dives extensively in that area, also showcasing diving up that way, with detailed briefings regarding some of the best shore dives in NSW. Thanks again Dave!

As a group, there's an opportunity in helping out with Seahorse research, perhaps also cleaning Manly nets. We'll liaise with Dave about these things.

It was great to see founding members Denis Robinson, Peter and Joan Harper join the group. They have so much knowledge to share. And a very pleasant surprise to see Kylie, Anne and David Latimer come along. We must have had four generations of club members in the room. Fantastic!

Can't repeat Robbo's Seahorse accounts in the second part of the meeting though.

Our November meeting is a social one, a time for dive reports, organising activities over Christmas and for everyone to network with each other.







Above:: L - R Denis Robinson, Peter Harper, Joan Harper, Anne, Kylie and David Latimer, Noel Taylor, Jason Farlow, Jon Evans and David Chillari (front)

Far left: Dave Harasti gave a presentation on Seahorses and Nelson Bay.

Left: Part of the crowd that attended the evening.

## **ATTENTION - RENEWALS OVERDUE**

Some renewing members are still not financial. We had hoped to have online payment available but this is taking longer than expected. Please pay your dues via post ASAP. Simply print out the membership form at the back of the Wet Rag and send with payment to: South Pacific Divers Club, PO Box 823, Bankstown, NSW, 2200.