

Musselburgh Sub-Aqua Club

Committee Meeting

17 April 2013



Present

Ian Smith(ICS), Claire McMurdo (CM), Fiona Smith(FS), Fiona Gilfillan (FG), Claire Dillon (CD), Dave Rillie (DRIL), Iain Shaw (IS),
Also: Kenny Donaldson (KD), George Steedman (GS), Craig Dugdale (CDu)

Apologies

Sandy McPherson (SM), Ali McLeod (AM)

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1. OUTSTANDING ACTIONS FROM PREVIOUS MEETINGS

1.1. None.

2. Diving Officer's Report - FS

- 2.1. Successful attendance at the Master Diver lectures. Test paper was completed and generally a good outcome.
- 2.2. All MD trainees will have to organise two expeditions as part of their qualification. FS would, where possible, like them to pick one site with which they are familiar and one that the club has not dived before.
- 2.3. 10 MD trainees - a repeated call to MD instructors to help them get through their training.
- 2.4. Trainees: Grahame T, Brian McR and Kai K.
- 2.5. All qualified members who are going to the Farne Islands and Red Sea are reminded to get dive fit prior to these trips - this is very important. Come along to the pool on a Wednesday night and take your dive kit in to make sure everything is OK. Remember to get your kit serviced at the appropriate intervals.
- 2.6. Commie pool: please try to support your own pool and try to use the Commie for extra training where depth is required.

3. Treasurer's report - Ian Smith

- 3.1. We have £9512.24 in club funds, £80 float and £500 float lodged with Expedition Organiser.
- 3.2. We have reapplied for the lease of the pool with the 8-week shutdown period as agreed at the AGM.

4. Equipment Officer's Report - Dave Rillie

- 4.1. We have purchased two new buckles and 6m of weight belt webbing, snorkel holders.
- 4.2. Intention to get 2 rucksacks to create 'dive bag' containing first aid kit, SCOTSAC dive sheets, risk assessments slates, spare O rings, dive flags.
- 4.3. The O2 set came back from Oban minus the logbook, and the mask was unusable. We will buy two new constant flow masks. Members are reminded to let DRil know if anything gets damaged.

5. AOB

- 5.1. Reminder of the O2 heartstart course on 28 April - any more names to FS.
- 5.2. IS asked whether we should purchase shot weight belts, given recent issues with hard weights. DRil to investigate.
- 5.3. DRil gave an update on Ali McL's condition - we all wish him a swift recovery to the water's edge.
- 5.4. DRil intimated that plans are in place for some members to go to Tralee in November, weekend of 15/16 November. Anyone wanting to go should organise themselves into a chalet group and then speak with DRil.

6. DATE OF NEXT MEETING: Weds 19 June.

NEW ACTIONS

Date	Ref	Action	Owner
17/4	5.2	Investigate purchase of shot weight belts	DRil