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GROUP

Newsletter
November, 1960.

Next Meeting:

The next General Meeting will be held
at Room 2, Savoy Theatre, Russell St.,
on Friday, 18th November, 1960.

Fellow Member,

A very exciting time was had by the few who went on the Eildon dive. The deepest part was 100 ft. and it was very eerie amongst the submerged trees in the gloom. Torches and compasses were an essential on this trip.

There was a picnic spot at the water's edge and a wonderful family day could be spent here in the future.

Mt. Martha:

This outing proved very successful and a good time was had by all. Four boats were hired and set off across an unusually calm bay. The reef here is very extensive and it yielded a few fish. For the underwater photographer conditions were ideal as it was fairly clear and the scenery was good.

The following weekend two boatloads went back for another try. Beyond the reef, in about 50 ft. of water there were quite a few scallops and some very interesting marine life to observe.

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TRAINING NIGHT:

The next Training Night will be held at the University Pool at 7.00 p.m. on Friday, 2nd December. After Christmas, however, training will recommence at Brighton Beach.

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GENERAL:

Although the track suits are not to hand as yet, we do have the pocket badges! These will be on sale at the next meeting, at 14/-d. each.

The new Handbook is well under way now and will contain a a great deal more information than last years.

Rod. Bricker took the plunge a couple of weeks ago and got himself married. Best wishes for the future, Rod., from all the Sub Aqua Group.

It is proposed to have a Christmas Dinner this year, on Friday 9th December. The place has yet to be decided upon.

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BAR- B - Q.

Owing to the obsolete liquor laws in the Camberwell area, we will not be able to serve grog at the barbeque! It will therefore be on a B.Y.O. basis. However, all food and soft drinks will be provided for 15/-d. per double.

It will be held at Lew Clarke's home, 8 Aird Street, Camberwell, on Saturday night, 26th November. Your Committee is doing all that is possible to make this a really good turn, so they hope to have as many members and their friends along as possible.

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FUTURE OUTINGS:

Sunday, 20th November, 1960. -

Cape Otway: This will be a boat trip out to the wreck "Casino".

Sunday, 4th December, 1960 -

Cape Patterson: This also will be a boat trip to a new area and should provide good exploration and spear-fishing activities.

KING ISLAND.

The plane for the Easter, 1961 King Island trip is almost booked out. Anyone else who wishes to go on this trip had better put their names down at the next meeting. Deposit of £5 must be in by January.

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With regard to the Sunday outings, if you have transport difficulties, we will arrange this for you at the meeting prior to the outing.

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Safe diving to you all.

Ian Beeson
Treasurer/Assistant Secretary