

NEWSLETTER

VICTORIAN SUB AQUA GROUP

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GENERAL MEETING: The next General meeting will be held on Friday, 17th January, 1964, at 8.00 p.m. at 14 McKillop Street, City.

FUTURE OUTINGS: The next outing will be held at Newhaven Jetty, Philip Island on Sunday the 19th January, 1964. Meeting place is the Newhaven Jetty at 10.00 a.m. Dive Captain.....Bill Kunert.

A.N.A. Long Weekend, 25th - 27th January, 1964. This outing is to Indented Head, approximately 25 miles from Geelong on the Portarlington Queenscliffe road. The meeting place is the Camping Area at Indented Head, and V.S.A.G. signs will be in position pointing the way to the camp wites of the Lembers.

February, 9th 1964. This is a boat trip from Mornington. Further details may be obtained at the next General Meeting or by contacting 45.5505 after the 17th January, 1964.

MEMBERS DOINGS OVER CHRISTMAS. President, W. Kunert, apparently spent a pleasant and profitable (piscatorially speaking) sojourn at the Gippsland Lakes - Surf fishing. Some nice big fish are circulating in the Beaumaris area per courtesy of W.K. - makes one wonder at the size and quantity retained for his use. It is hoped that Surf Fishing is not the diver's equivalent of BOWLS.

Three members of the Group, "Captain" Peter Robertson, Ron Addison and Lorraine Newman set forth on the 20th last month "headed north" Last heard of, they had arrived at Cairns - Queensland on the 28th. The 29th they spent sunbaking and snorkeling on Green Island. For those interested in statistics (not that sort) they had covered over 2,200 miles to the 28/12/1963 and had averaged 360 miles per day. Good on you mates. Donald Campbell will want to look out for "Spcedster Pete".

Land Rover owners in the Group give the impression that the track has not been made that can not be climbed by these great vehicles. Peter Matthews and party might now have second thoughts on this point. It took them about 12 hours to extricate two Rovers from the bottom of a certain track on New Guinea Ridge, near Buchan, over Christmas. At the rate of half an inch per pull. Could still be argued, I suppose that the Rovers did make it. However, I must be old fashioned - always thought the vehicle should take the passengers up the hills - not the passengers take the vehicle.

Les Grant and family left for England aboard the "Oriana" on 5th January, 1964. He anticipates being away for some 18 months on a working holiday. Anyone wishing to keep up correspondence with Les and who would like to know his address, please contact the Secretary.

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MEMBERS DOING'S OVER CHRISTMAS (Cont'd). The Editor spent a pleasant week at Tidal River, where he met members from the Latrobe Valley Scuba Club. Don and Mark wish to be remembered to their friends in the V.S.A.G.

INSURANCE. Reminder! If you have not yet insured your diving gear through the Group, you could be running an unnecessary and expensive risk. Don't think on it - act now, and see the Secretary at the next General meeting.

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