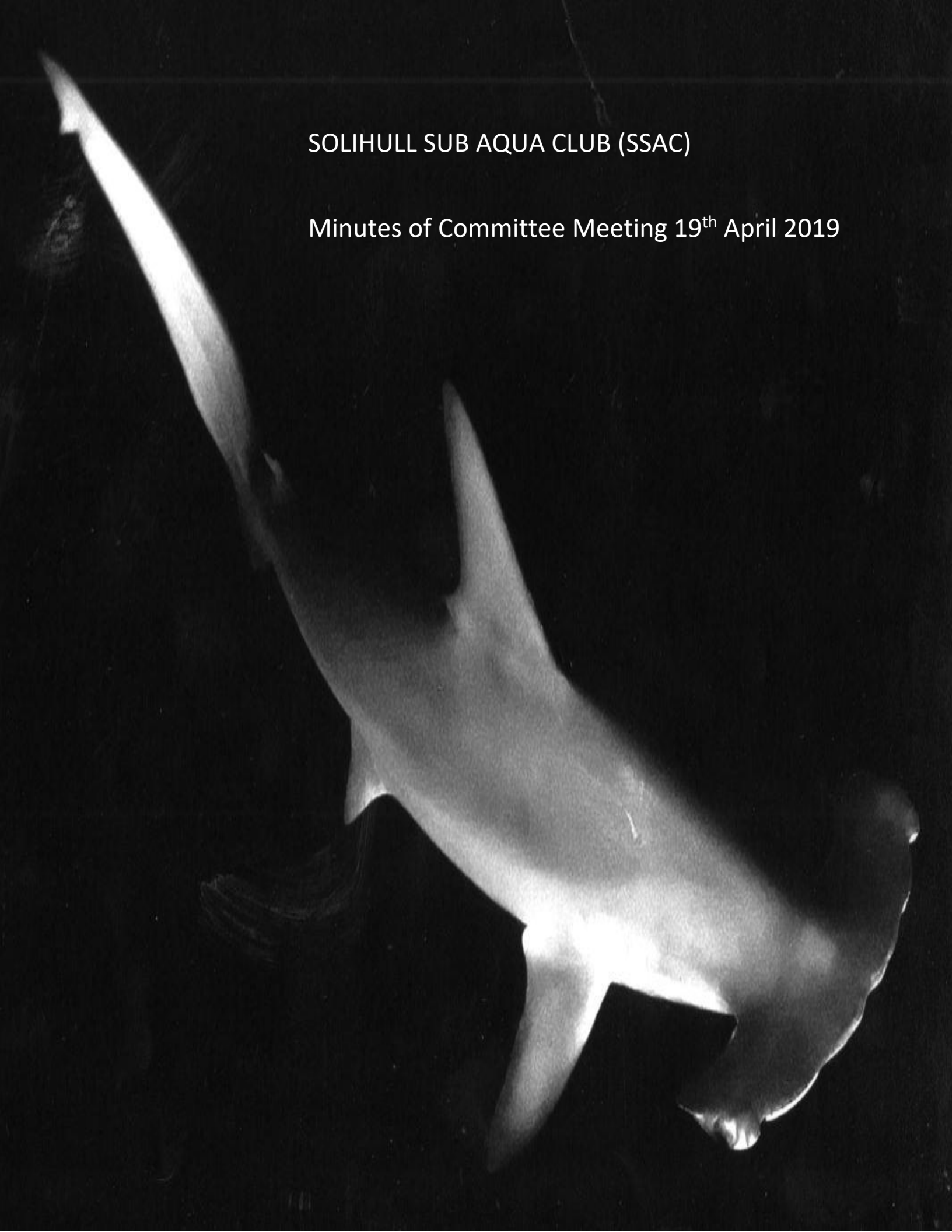


SOLIHULL SUB AQUA CLUB (SSAC)

Minutes of Committee Meeting 19th April 2019



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1 Attendance

Present:

Louisa Langley	Secretary
Mahyar Barad	Diving Officer
Di Huxley	Training
Lynne Daniels	Membership

Apologies

Mick White	Chairman
Dave Biggs	Treasurer

2 Actions from Previous Meeting

Existing sub-committee to continue with organising the SSAC 40th anniversary

We would like to thank the previous committee members for their fantastic work in the last few years and helping us with the handover

3 Chairman's Report

None to report

4 Treasurer's Report

None to report

5 Diving Officer's Report

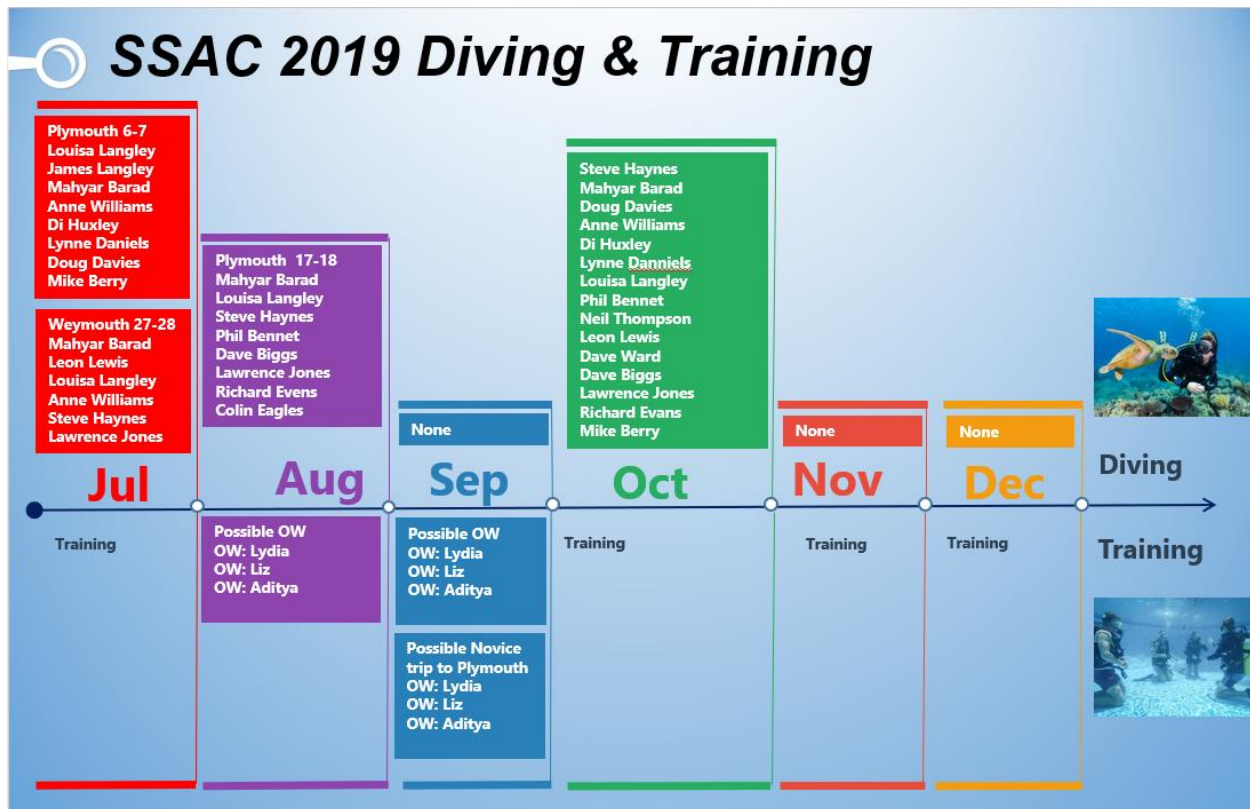
There are a number of activities and processes to discuss with the club members regarding safety and planned dives in 2019:

- All dives must have an assigned Dive Manager by the dive organiser

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- DO to provide SSAC Dive Manager report sheet to be filled in and returned to DO at the end of each trip and kept in our records. This includes Training dives
- DO is planning regular game activities and competitions at the pool which combines some swimming + rescue + Octopush skills. The idea is to perform fun activities as a club and practice our skills. Members are most welcome to help with ideas and organisation of this competition
- The following 2019 planned dives have been published. It is required for all divers to complete a pre-season dive and practice mask clearing, SMB deployment and CBL





6 Training Officer's Report

- The new trainees to continue their training till Mid-June
- Lydia is expected to start OW first week in June
- Liz and Aditya to start OW from 14th June
- Neil Thompson to complete Dive Leader training and start OW lessons throughout Jun-Aug
- There are no planned trips in Aug & Sep so far. We are planning a novice weekend to take Lydia, Liz, Aditya and Kaweeoj to Plymouth. Qualified divers will be asked to help with the trip and welcome new divers to the club
- Proposal to organise Octopush training and introduction nights at the pool

7 Club Secretary's Report

Club secretary to be sent the club contacts sheet. Membership secretary to send the club secretary contact details of the new members so that it can be updated.

8 Club Admin

- Club communication via email has not been always successful. The Website needs to have a secure members area to provide access to:
 - Contact sheet
 - Minutes of the Committee
 - Planned Dive trips calendar
 - Club News and Proposals
 - All other club documents

9 A.O.B

Committee to discuss possible alternatives to Soldive and the use of managed facilities at Plymouth to encourage more diving activities. This will be discussed at the next meeting and discussed with club members in the next few weeks

10 Next Meeting

9th May 2019