

## FLOTSAM

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This is just a short blurb to let you know what the club is about.

We are a student orientated club with a strong bias to the environmental aspects of diving. We take an active interest in affairs that affect the sport. We have a strong committee which endeavours to provide the members with all their different demands.

President	Nick Bernard	595 681
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	Cathy Walls	573 610
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Training	Paul Eaglen	466 316

Committee meetings are Mon 1-2 in the Clubroom of the Rec Centre. Since this club is for students we aim to provide studentss with inexpensive (if that's at all possible) diving. We run trips to the offshore islands at as lower cost as possible (club funds pay any deficit), cater for the new diver by providing a cheap diver training course and arrange discounts for various different items of gear. On the social side we try to get the more staid members and the already active ones together by running disco's, wine and cheeses', slide evenings and having guest speakers. As well as this we meet regularly on Tuesday nights in the Turf Bar of the Big I.

Training

This year we are running, in conjunction with a well-known dive shop, a Basic Scuba Course. This course will take anyone who wants to go and will cost \$50-60 which includes the hire of ALL gear.

Trips

This year we have booked:-

9 trips from Leigh to Moko Hinau's Barrier Island and Hen and Chicks.

5 trips to Mayor and White Island (dependant on weather)

5 trips to the Poor Knights.

The next trip is on April 8th to Moko Hinau's.

As well as these trips we have a Freshers' Camp on 18-19th March at Goat Island (Leigh). This is a good way to meet members, maybe learn a bit more from more experienced members and also have a great weekend.

There is an Easter Camp at Bland Bay. The weather is usually excellent and these trips are well worth while.

Finally on the social side we are having a .....

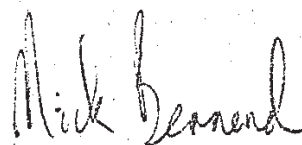
WINE AND CHEESE

on Thursday 16th March at 8.00 p.m.

in the Top Common Room

This is bloody good fun at the meagre price of \$3.00.

Please join the club and enjoy some of the better sides of University life!



Nick Bernard  
President

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