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"TO PROMOTE ESPERIT DE CORPS AMONGST ALL
MEMBERS OF THE ANTI-SUBMARINE WARFARE
INSTRUCTORS ASSOCIATION WHEREVER THEY
MAY SERVE"

ANON

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CHAIRMAN'S ADDRESS

Members,

Since last transmitting, the Committee and I have sat to discuss our tasks and set our priorities for the coming year. We have on your behalf set our sights high in order to provide for you a service which will I hope, satisfy the majority of the membership.

Without stealing the Social Secs thunder, I can report that we are looking for an additional two events this year, one of which I hope can be a visit to a Police or Fire Brigade unit, and the other maybe a Cheese and Wine evening. Furthermore in response to an idea put forward by Dave Bekker (ex CPO TASI) we are planning to approach various firms to try and negotiate some concessions for you as members of the Association. More information will be promulgated when available.

On taking over the chair in June last year and subsequently at the AGM in October I re-affirmed my desire to involve members outside the immediate Portsmouth area. With this in mind, myself and some of the Committee will be visiting Plymouth in April to publicise and promote the Association and its aims. The meeting has been widely promulgated so if you are in the area please come along, it is your chance to give us your views and ideas on ways in which we, your Committee can help you.

Gentlemen this is your Association, please give us, your elected Committee your ideas and your support.

P J KENNEDY

CHAIRMAN

PS AGM and Annual Dinner, October 20th, venue to be decided

EDITORS DIT

Once again we go to print with another edition of the Seamaster. Making a welcome return is the Ex-Serving Members edition of 'Where's My Oppo' plus the usual mixture of articles, minutes and letters.

In response to some of the criticism arising from an article appearing in the last edition I must point out that any article submitted for inclusion is solely the views of the author and not meant to represent official policy unless so stated. In this particular case all critical points have been raised and cleared verbally though I do believe a few members may wish to say something additional at a later date?

I have included in this edition a 'Chronological History of the TAS Branch' which I believe may have appeared in an earlier edition but which nevertheless makes interesting reading and reminds us all of what it's all about.

Well I think that' about all I have to say this time around and don't forget to keep the articles coming in no matter how controversial.

Yours Aye

Nobby

TREASURERS REPORT

A very happy 1989 to all members of the Association. Now is the time for all good members to come to the aid of the Association-Subs time again. Many of you have already made your contributions and I thank you for your support. If any of you are unsure if you have paid or not just peruse the 'WHERE'S MY OPPO' pages to find out. A 0 means you've paid - ok!

FINANCIAL STATEMENT DATED 16-2-89

CHARITY ACCOUNT £3 85

Charity events have already taken place and money is due in from Lt Cdr Shepherd (PWO ASW) from his beard shave off (it's back already) and PO(S) 97 football match.

DINNER AND DANCE ACCOUNT

No change from the last issue

In a/c £ 39 49
transferred to deposit a/c £200 00

DEPOSIT ACCOUNT £311 34
of which £200 is from the D&D fund

CURRENT ACCOUNT £272 90 no bills
outstanding

MEMBERSHIP FEES

Serving and Ex-Serving members are reminded that Subs for the 1989 year were due in January, and, as voted in at the 1988 AGM, Subs not received within 6 calendar months of the due date, then membership will cease.

Our only source of income is the membership fees so if you are out of date get your dues in the post A.S.A.P.

Serving members	£5 per Annum
Ex-Serving members	£2 per Annum

Gone are the days when we could send the Seamasters out to Ex-Serving members by official mail, and it is currently costing £26 three times a year just for the postage for the aforesaid items. It was because of this that we had to introduce the £2 annual subscription for Ex-Serving members.

Once again I stress the point that we need your subs to keep the Association viable.

MEMBERSHIP CARDS

New membership cards are currently being processed by A.R.E. printers with the amended rules as discussed at the 1988 AGM. These will be issued to all paid up members as soon as we receive them.

There will also be a position on the front page to display a photograph which will enable Ex-Serving members to use it as an I.D card for attending meetings/functions etc.

Could all Ex-Serving members when remitting your subs also include a passport size photograph and your membership card will be sent to you.

J A SMITH
SECRETARY

SOCIAL SECRETARY'S REPORT

Monthly meetings are again taking place on the last Wednesday of every month at 2000, Venue, the GI'S Clubhouse, Whale Island.

Forthcoming events

Wednesday 5th April

Association Committee visit Plymouth.

Tuesday 9th May

Tri Assc Quiz Night. Venue GI's Clubhouse Whale Island Time 2000. We will again be fielding 4/5 teams of six for this quiz evening. All those wishing to take part contact Dave Shepherd on Dryad 4568.

Thurs/Fri 6th/7th July

Sponsored Bike Ride. Full details in next Seamaster.

Sat July 22nd

Tri Assc Summer Ball TBC

Sun July 23rd

Tri Assc Sports Day
Venue Dryad
Date TBC

Fri 20th Oct

Dinner and Dance TBC
AGM TBC

It is also hoped to hold a social sometime later this year, possible a Cheese and Wine, details in the next Seamaster.

Finally a few years ago in the days of Demolitions and Mortars, the association made several visits to places like the Police College Hendon to name but one. It has been suggested by several members that this sort of visit should again be looked into, so any ideas of a future visit for the association please let me know on;

DRYAD 4568

ASWI's ASSOCIATION
EXT 4515/4547
24-2-89

Members,

In a quest for a permanent club of our own I must report that we have been unsuccessful in our bid here in Dryad. Over the past year we have had the splendid facilities of the GI's HQ at Whale Island for monthly meetings and was available to us for other functions as required. This arrangement was fine and greatly accepted, but did not bring us as an Association any revenue of our own.

We have, after exhaustive enquiries been graciously offered the use of the Senior Rates Mess in Vernon both for monthly meetings and for functions we wish to organise, at no cost to us. The bar is NAAFI run so profits and any likely revenue would come from entrance fees and raffles.

For those unfamiliar with the Vernon Mess routine let me enlighten you. The Mess is used by the WO'S & SR'S at lunch times only, they are all victualled in HMS NELSON so the VERNON facilities are dormant after secure. The offer has the blessing of the OIC(GUNWARP) the MESS PRESIDENT and the NAAFI MANAGER who will provide the staff free of charge. In all but name the senior rates mess would become our new club.

My proposal is to accept this offer which will be confirmed in writing by all parties if accepted by you the members. I intend to put this to the vote at the next monthly meeting to be held on April 26th. 1989. If you have any thoughts on the proposal please contact us on either of the above extensions or come along to the next meeting. If nothing is heard it will be assumed that you are in favour.

CHAIRMAN

MINUTES OF THE TENTH ASWI'S ASSOCIATION MONTHLY
MEETING HELD IN THE GI'S CLUB WHALE ISLAND ON
WEDNESDAY 30th NOVEMBER 1988

MEMBERS PRESENT

WO PADDY KENNEDY
CPO PAZ PARRY
CPO SMUDGE SMITH
CPO PINCHER MARTIN
WO ALAN NOBLE
PO DAVE SHEPHERD
WO PETE BRIERLEY
CPO BRIAN WALSH
PO SCOUSE RIMMER
CPO YORKY CUNNINGHAM
PO BOB BURTON
MR PAT HERBERT
MR DAVE BEKKER
MR DERBY ALLEN
MR DIZZY DENNETT

CHAIRMAN
VICE CHAIRMAN
SECRETARY
TREASURER
SEAMASTER EDITOR
SOCIAL SECRETARY
HMS RALEIGH
HMS DRYAD
HMS DRYAD
HMS DRYAD
HMS DRYAD
EX SERVING MEMBERS REP
DRAYTON
WATERLOOVILLE
CLANFIELD

APOLOGIES FROM:

WO GREG O'SULLIVAN
CPO RAY HAWGOOD
CPO ROD RODAWAY
MR SAM SNELLING

ASSOCIATION BAR MANAGER
HMS DRYAD
I/C FENCER (AT SEA)
CATHERINGTON

MEETING OPENED AT 2005

1. The Chairman opened by welcoming everyone to the tenth meeting and a special welcome to WO Pete Brierley from our Plymouth Chapter. The Chairman asked that the minutes from the last meeting be read and accepted as a true record of that meeting.

Proposed by PO Dave Shear
Seconded by CPO Brian Walsh

2. MATTERS ARISING FROM THE LAST MEETING

The Chairman stated that all the bring up points from the last minutes were covered in this meetings agenda so he would move straight into his report.

3. CHAIRMANS REPORT

(a) The Chairman informed the members present that it was with regret that he had to inform us that one of our ex serving members had died. Charles Firbank a founder member of the Association died of a heart attack on October 29th 1988 aged 72. He joined the Navy in 1932, qualified TASI in 1953 and left the service in 1970. During the war, he served aboard HMS Prince of Wales and was a 'prisoner of war' in Changi prison for some years. He held the post as Chairman of the Association in the 1960's and has always been an avid member even in retirement.

The Chairman had received a letter from Mrs Firbank telling us of her sad loss and had written back on behalf of the Association our letter of condolence.

(b) The Chairman stated that the article that had been submitted to the Navy News on completion of our AGM and Annual Dinner was in the December issue of the Navy News but had been edited considerably from the letter that he had written.

(c) The Chairmen passed his congratulations to the latest members to join the Association namely, the 5 PO's who have just passed their PO's course.

PO CRISPEN PSD
PO DEAKIN PSD
PO ROBERTSON ASWD
PO WILLIS ASWD
PO MIDDLEMAN ASWD

(d) The chairman informed the members that he had debriefed the Vice president of the Association on the AGM and Annual Dinner. He was Questioned on why the day had been condensed into a forenoon and stated that in the past the day had dragged on too long with large breaks in continuity, but with all the presentations etc; completed in the morning it gave the Association a chance to give the Ex serving members present a guided tour in the afternoon of the ASW faculty as it is today. It also allowed the committee to travel to Vernon to arrange the Dinner for that evening.

(e) The Chairman said he had approached the ASW budget holder with the possibility of members of the committee travelling to Portland or Plymouth etc on duty. It was agreed that the Chairman + 1 other could travel to Portland/Plymouth once annually.

(f) The Chairman stated that the Captain and CDR U were unable to attend our Christmas drinks on the 15th December. Shirley Metherell and one other staff member plus two mothers from the Elizabeth Foundation would be attending. Plus we have invited 2 representatives from ARE Printers who do all our Seamasters, plus Molly & Nicky from Bips. We have also invited Pete Johnson from Graphics and our three wrens who help us a lot with Association business.

(g) The Chairman informed the meeting that a Tri Association Meeting would be held in January with the main topic on the agenda being the intended Tri Association Sports Day and Annual Ball.

Points to Consider

1. Host Association
2. Formulating a Committee. It was suggested that 3 or 4 from each Association to make up a dinner committee this time to alleviate the problems occurred at the last dance.
3. Venue for Ball.
4. Venue for Sports Day.

The Chairman asked the members present if they thought the Tri Association Ball as an Annual event was still a good thing.

All members present voted unanimously to keep the Ball going as an annual event.

4. CHARITY AND FUND RAISING EVENTS

The Chairman had a few dates for the diaries for forthcoming events 14th December, Members from the committee will be visiting the Elizabeth Foundation to meet staff and parents of children and to watch the Christmas play put on by the children.

15th December, Christmas drinks in the PRI's Club plus the cheque presentation to Shirley Metherell.

The Vice Chairman asked that an official vote of thanks be recorded to Ray Hawgood who raised the bulk of the Charity money by various fund raising activities.

Feb '89'. Proposed Tri Association Quiz Night with a raffle.

April '89', Car Boot Sale (if enough support)
Venue and cost to be confirmed.

Proceeds will be split 50/50 between ASWI'S funds and Elizabeth Foundation Charity account.

June '89' A major fund raising event (still to be decided) Any suggestions to the Vice Chairman, Sponsor forms will be in the 1st Seamaster of the year. Results will be in the edition after June.

August '89' The Southwick Show with our normal Association stall.

5. TREASURERS REPORT

The Treasurer stated that to date 30/11/88 the three accounts stand as follows.

<u>Charity Fund</u>	£283.85
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A special large cheque has been organised for the presentation to the Elizabeth Foundation.

Dinner & Dance Fund	
Sum left after payments	57.40
Proceeds from raffle	150.00
Refund from unused drinks	32.00
	<u>239.40</u>

It was unanimously agreed to transfer £200 to a deposit account to gain a years interest before carrying this amount forward to next years fund.

ASWI'S Accounts

Deposit	£167.30	
Current	147.22	
Cash Tin		14.07
		<u>£328.59</u>

From this there is just one outstanding bill to pay Namely Dave Carter sports for the three jumpers: £45.50

The Treasurer informed the members that details on paying of subs by bankers order would be in the next edition of Seamaster.

6. SOCIAL SECRETARY'S REPORT

(a) The Social Secretary didn't have much to add to the Vice Chairmans report except that the Christmas drinks are being held in the PRI'S Club on Thursday 15th December, 1215-1330. There will be smally eats and a raffle arranged.

(b) On Saturday 10th December the GI's are holding their Christmas Ball and members are invited. The cost of a double ticket is £16.00, Rig formal and the time is 1930 for 2000.

7. MEMBERSHIP CARDS

The Secretary informed the meeting that Graphics had been approached with samples for the cover of the membership cards and rules. Pete Johnson from Graphics had suggested that one of the three samples was the best and had drawn us a master. This was shown to the members present and agreed unanimously that this would suffice as the new cover. The rules were currently being reduced to an acceptable size and the reduced rules and the master copy would be submitted to the printers for copying. We are hoping to get these out to all serving and ex serving members early in 1989.

Mr Dave Bekker asked if a box could be included inside the front cover of the membership card to stick a photograph, thus enabling ex serving members to use it as a type of identity card.
This was voted as a good idea and will be actioned.

Action: Secretary.

8. A. O. B.

(a) Mr. Dave Bekker tendered Mr Sam Snelling apologies for not attending the meeting.

(b) Mr Dave Bekker also suggested that we approach certain firms, garages etc. to see if they are willing to give a discount to Association members on production of an I.D. Card. Also the possibility of Advertising space in the Seamaster for firms, shops, etc willing to give discount.
This will be investigated.

Action: All Committee.

(c) Mr Dizzy Dennett posed a question to Pete Brierley asking whether Ex Serving members at the Plymouth end ever got together for reunions. Pete stated that he had only been in the job in Plymouth for six months but had not heard of any reunions taking place, but would look into it on behalf of the Association.
Dizzy suggested it may be an idea to get a reunion organised at Plymouth (the Fleet Club for instance)
Once again this will be investigated.

Action: All Committee

(d) CPO Brian Walsh gave Ray Hawgood's apologies for not attending the meeting as he was unwell.

(e) PO Bob Burton suggested that we contact the RNA at Chelsea for inclusion in their magazine anything we need wider coverage for other than in Seamaster.
Certainly a dit about the Association for Ex Serving

members to renew their links with Association.
Once again a good idea.

Action: Secretary

(f) The next meeting was planned for January 25th.

There being no further business the meeting closed at 2057.

J A SMITH
CPO (OPS) (S)
SECRETARY.

MINUTES OF THE COMMITTEE MEETING
HELD AT HMS DRYAD ON 16th JANUARY 1989

COMMITTEE PRESENT

CHAIRMAN	WO PADDY KENNEDY
VICE CHAIRMAN	CPO PAZ PARRY
SECRETARY	CPO SMUDGE SMITH
TREASURER	CPO PINCHER MARTIN
PASSIVE REP	CPO TREVOR ENGLISH
FOREIGN TRAINING REP	CPO JOHN WHITEHEAD
SOCIAL SECRETARY	PO DAVE SHEPHERD

APOLOGIES FROM

SEAMASTER EDITOR	WO NOBBY NOBLE
BAR MANAGER	WO GREG O'SULLIVAN

The meeting opened at 1001

The Chairman opened by welcoming all present to the first Committee meeting of the year and passed on the apologies for the Seamaster Editor and the Bar Manager who could not attend the meeting.

1. DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

a) The Chairman stated that since taking over from PAUL in June 88 a lot of functions had taken place which proved very successful, and hoped that 1989 would be another good year for the Association.

b) The Vice Chairman had joined the Committee late in the last year and although already well into organising charity events and functions the Chairman wanted to clarify his position in regards to charity work. Paz would be responsible for co-ordinating all sponsorship activities and would be the liaison representative with the Elizabeth Foundation.

c) Each member of the Committee was asked by the Chairman if he was happy with his Duties and Responsibilities and the feeling was unanimous that they were with one exception-that of the Foreign Training representative. John stated that of the three ASWI staff working in the Foreign TRAINING Office he was the only one in the Association and felt there was little need to retain a representative from this section.

The Secretary stated that in years past we had a great many members from the Canadian, Australian and New Zealand Navies but these numbers had dropped considerably over the years and we only have one or two left now which we still keep in touch with.

The Chairman and the Committee then agreed that the Foreign Training Representative was not required any longer and a vote of thanks was passed to John Whitehead who had held the position for many years.

2. GENERAL PLANS FOR 1989

a) The Chairman stated that we had two major charity events planned for this year and the Vice Chairman would speak of them later

b) The Tri-Association Sports day for this year would be held sometime in July but no definite date had been set for this yet. This would also tie in with the Tri-Association Ball.

c) The Annual Dinner and Dance and AGM was discussed and a date set for 20th October with the 6th October as a standby. It was thought Friday 13th would be better left alone even though we usually go for the second week in October.

The possible venues for the Dinner were discussed and would probably be either Vernon again or Dryad. With the change of Captains in the later part of the year it was suggested that we invite the Vice President, CDR 'U'

this time. It was also suggested by John Whitehead that thought be given to having someone as Guest of Honour such as the Mayor of Portsmouth or the Chief of Police etc. This would be given more thought once the venue and date had been finalised.

d) The Chairman informed the Committee that he would like to arrange a liaison visit to Plymouth for up to four Committee members before Easter leave. The best date for this would be arranged between ourselves and Alan Loveday in Plymouth with plenty of advance warning to the Plymouth Rep to arrange for a meeting/social gathering. Robby Roberts on HMS Brave has said that he would host us onboard on completion of the meeting.

e) It was also hoped to arrange a liaison visit to Portland as well, and hopefully this would be arranged when most ships would be in for their harbour week.

3. MEMBERSHIP RESPONSE

Subs were slowly coming in for this year but the Chairman asked that all members of the Committee canvas around and Gee up members to pay up their dues. We ran our accounts pretty low towards the end of last year and we need the subscriptions in before we can think about organising any events for this year.

4. CHARITIES (VICE-CHAIRMAN)

The Vice Chairman stated that the money was still being collected in from the sponsorship forms for both the PO's football match and PWO(ASW)'s shave held last term. Once everything was finalised he would publish the amounts raised.

Jim Parks and Paddy Maher will be doing a sponsored half marathon shortly and sponsorship forms will be around the bazaars in

the near future.

There is to be a sponsored cycle ride organised for Thursday/Friday 6th and 7th July hopefully from Portsmouth to Plymouth. Two teams of four will commence their journeys riding in relays from Portsmouth and Plymouth re~~s~~pectively and arrive at Portland where it is hoped to arrange a social evening, with return journeys being made the next day. The team from Portsmouth who have volunteered are:

CPO Mac McCready
PO Dave Shepherd
PO Bob Forrester
PO Nick Slater

We still require a further four people as a back up for this event.

The Vice Chairman stated he would be making up a charities page for the next edition of the Seamaster on what happened over the last year and what is being organised in the future with regards to fund raising.

The Chairman informed the Committee that the LS(S) course had volunteered their services to help out at the ELIZABETH FOUNDATION during their standstill weeks before Sea Training but this will have to be arranged with the Staff at the Foundation.

It is hoped that in the very near future a liaison trip to the Q.E.F for as many as possible can be arranged, to see the set up there and finalise any arrangements that need making before any work can be carried out.

The Vice Chairman is also investigating the possibility of a Car Boot sale at a recognisable venue i.e Superstore car parks etc; either in Gosport or Portsmouth. The idea being that the fee charged for the pitch would go to the charity. Any suggestions to the Committee.

5. SOCIAL SECRETARY

The Social Sec stated that as the last quiz night held at the GI's club was so successful it is intended to arrange another, but the date would be set on completion of the GI's Association at the end of January.

Some other ideas that were put forward were:

Cheese and Wine Party

Visit to some place of interest as in the past, e.g the Black Museum or the Hendon Police college. If these were arranged they would have to be self subsidising. This will be discussed in depth at a later date at a monthly meeting.

The next monthly meeting would be on Wednesday 25th January.

There being no further business the meeting closed at 1109.

Minutes of the 11th Committee Meeting
of the ASWI's Association held on 25th
January 1989

Members Present

WO PADDY KENNEDY	CHAIRMAN
CPO PAZ PARRY	VICE CHAIRMAN
CPO SMUDGE SMITH	SECRETARY
CPO PINCHER MARTIN	TREASURER
WO NOBBY NOBLE	SEAMASTER EDITOR
PO DAVE SHEPHERD	SOCIAL SECRETARY
WO GREG O'SULLIVAN	BAR MANAGER
MR PAT HERBERT	EX SERVING MEMBERS REP
MR DERBY ALLEN	WATERLOOVILLE
MR DIZZY DENNETT	CLANFIELD
CPO BRIAN WALSH	HMS DRYAD
CPO DANNY KAYE	DASHER
CPO ROD RODAWAY	FENCER
MR SAM SNELLING	CATHERINGTON
MR DAVE BEKKER	DRAYTON
CPO JAN PEARCE	HMS DANAE
PO LE-MAGE	HMS JUNO
PO BOB BURTON	HMS DRYAD
PO SCOUSE RIMMER	HMS DRYAD

The meeting was opened at 2004

1. The chairman opened by welcoming everyone to the eleventh monthly meeting and the first of 1989 and wished everyone a happy new year.

The chairman asked that the minutes of the tenth meeting be read and accepted as a true record of that meeting.

proposed by Dave Bekker
seconded by Pat Herbert

The chairman also informed the members that a copy of the minutes from the Committee meeting

held on Monday 15th January was in front of them for reference only.

MATTERS ARISING FROM THE LAST MEETING

1. The Christmas drinks held on the 15th December went well and the cheque for £300 was presented to Mrs Shirley Metherell of the Elizabeth Foundation. The chairman thanked all that attended and made it a memorable occasion.

2. The Tri Association meeting planned for this month has been postponed as the PRI's are calling an extra-ordinary meeting at the end of the month and some of the topics need discussing at their meeting first. The Tri-Association meeting is now planned for the second week in February.

3. Wo Rod Blanche has agreed to act as liaison representative for our proposed visit to Plymouth before Easter leave, as Alan Loveday is moving to FOF

1.
4. Membership cards that are being produced by ARE printers should be ready by next week and these will be sent to fully paid up members in the near future.

CHAIRMAN'S REPORT

1. The chairman stated that a committee meeting had been held to ask each member of the committee if they were happy with their respective jobs and responsibilities. The feeling was unanimous with one exception. John Whitehead, the Foreign Training rep felt there was little need in keeping this position as the days had long gone when we had a great deal of Foreign Navy members on our books.

Of the two or three New Zealand members we still keep in touch with, it was felt that the committee as a whole could look after those. The committee decided that the Foreign Training Rep was no longer required and a vote of thanks was passed to

John Whitehead who had held the position for many years.

2. The chairman informed the members that he had some key dates to put forward for diaries but wouldn't labour on each point as these would be discussed in depth at later meetings

Thursday/Friday 6th and 7th July, major charity event

Friday 20th October AGM and Dinner/Dance.

3. The chairman also stated that he would like to have some other event this year such as a cheese and wine party or a coach party visit to somewhere of interest. These of course would have to be self supporting.

	Action	Vice
chairman/Social sec		

TREASURERS REPORT

1. The Treasurer reported that the deposit account now stood at £311 34p. The bank had been informed to transfer £200 from the Dance account to the Deposit account and after initially transferring this to the Current account had now got it right.

State of Accounts

Deposit	£311 34
Dinner/Dance	£ 39 49
Charity	£ 3 85
Current	£392 07

Membership fees are slowly coming in from serving and ex serving members.

2. Mr Pat Herbert suggested once again that a nominal list of members that had paid their subs should be put into the Seamounter, hopefully to embarrass non payers into paying. This would be looked into by the committee.

SOCIAL SECRETARY'S REPORT

1. The Social secretary stated that he had been getting quotes from different venues for this years dinner and dance from Vernon, Dryad and the Home Club but would also be investigating other possible Civilian establishments as a venue. Hopefully these will be available for the next meeting.

2. The PRIGITASI Sportsday will be hosted by the PRI's this year and will be held in Dryad.

3. Arrangements are going ahead for a Tri-Association quiz night on 9th May (Thursday). A Mini bus will be organised from Dryad and once again we hope to enter four teams of six.

4. The Social sec said a Cheese and Wine party appealed to him and he would be investigating the possibility.

5. He also stated that the GI's President, Dave Swift apologised for the state the club. The D.O.E. decorators had started pulling the club to pieces and he was sorry that it clashed with our monthly meeting.

CPO Danny Kay suggested that the possible Cheese and Wine party might be better attended if it was made to be Tri-Association.

The Chairman stated that the GI's and PRI's already held these parties as Tri-Association and we are invited. We as an Association are trying to arrange some functions for our members to hopefully drum up a bit more support.

WO Greg O'Sullivan informed the members that his contact in Southdown Coaches had left and moved to Priory Coaches but once settled in he hoped we would be offered the same deals as in the past.

CHARITY PROPOSALS FOR 1989

1. The Vice Chairman stated that the money was still being collected in from the sponsorship forms

from both the PO(S)'s football match and PWO(ASW)'s have held last term. These functions were held too late in the term for the money to be put forward to the 1988 charities and will be carried forward to this years.

2. WO Jim Park and CPO Paddy Maher have volunteered to do the Portsmouth half marathon in March and sponsorship forms will be around the bazaars in the near future.

3. A sponsored cycle ride is being organised for the 6th and 7th July hopefully from Portsmouth and Plymouth. Two teams of four will commence riding in relays from Portsmouth and Plymouth respectively and arrive at Portland where it is hoped to arrange a social evening with the return journeys being made the next day. The volunteers from Portsmouth end are:

CPO Mac McCready
PO Dave Shepherd
PO Bob Forrester
PO Nick Slater

We still require a further four people as back up for this event. The Vice chairman said that he had written to the AA for advice on the best route for cycles.

4. The Vice chairman informed the meeting that he would be making up a charities page for the Seamaster on what was happening this year with regards to fund raising.

5. A date had been set for the 17th February at 1030 for a visit to the Elizabeth Foundation. All are welcome to attend and to meet the staff and children and tour of the facilities available at the centre.

6. The Vice chairman is also investigating the possibility of a car boot sale at a recognisable venue-eg Superstore car parks etc. the idea being that the fee charged (£3 50 ish) would go to the charity. Any suggestions as possible venues to the committee.

ANY OTHER BUSINESS

The Seamaster Editor said the next Seamaster will hopefully go out early and all articles are to be handed to him before the middle of February.

The next meeting was planned for the 22nd February

There being no other business the meeting was closed at 2035

J A SMITH
CPO(OPS)(S)
SECRETARY

LS(S) Course Office
Lewin Building
HMS Dryad
Southwick
Hants

Dear Ed,

I just thought it was about time that I put pen to paper so to speak, to let those lucky enough to be at sea know the state of play with regards to the LS(S) qualifying course. At the moment the standard of A/LS/AB(S) arriving at Dryad for the above course, is somewhat disappointing. The results of the Intro Quiz that they are given on day one leaves a lot to be desired. Over the past 6 months, with 5 courses having passed through the system, the overall average of a total of 40 students has been less than 50%. These results give me and the others the impression that once they have passed the W.P.E they feel qualified to sit back and wait for the allocation on the course. I am not saying that this comment is relevant in all cases but it does apply to the majority.

I am all too aware of the Drafting cycle, and the amount of time Ratings have to wait to get on course and the lack of S/m in contact time achieved by most ships. I would ask you all to stress the point to your Sonar Divisions that the first 4 weeks of the course are primarily a revision period prior to starting on the Active/Passive stream time. The most notable factor to come out of this Mini-study is the weak knowledge of the Caps and Lims of all ancillary Sonar equipment.

The most common weak areas are:

- a) Oceanography/Range Prediction/Completing the Bathy log
- b) Passive Tape Training
- c) Knowledge of Tape Recorders and their use
- d) General knowledge of Drills and Procedures for 184/2016

It would also help that if you as the

Divisional Senior Rate, could also guide your D.O. with regards to the requirements for a Rating coming on course. The majority of those arriving for course are recommended for A/LS but not recommended for the course. This is really a plea from me and my staff, there is nothing more demoralising than to have to tell a young rating that he is not eligible for the course as his D.O. did not read the draft chit.

We will endeavour to continue to provide the Fleet with highly trained Sonar Controllers/Passive Sonar Controllers but we do need your help. If you have any queries or questions please do not hesitate to contact me on Dryad ext 4546. I will only be too happy to assist.

Yours aye,

Greg O'Sullivan

It would also help that if you as the
 1. General knowledge of British and Portuguese
 2. Knowledge of tape recording and their use
 3. Passive type training
 4. Geography/Range Prediction/Recording the
 The most common words given are

CPO(OPS)(S) Parry
Vice Chairman.
ASWI Association
SMOPS
HMS DRYAD.

Dear Ed and Members,

As we were whizzing around the highways and by-ways of Portsmouth in Smudges posh car (carpets on the doors!) it suddenly occurred to us as a committee that we didn't know where our adopted charity was located (embarrassing eh?).

Anyway, having accosted several old ladies and been directed to several Retirement Homes (was this a hint?) we eventually found the Elizabeth Foundation and spent an entertaining 45 minutes watching the children perform their Nativity Play.

On our way back to Dryad I decided that - if the committee didn't know where the Foundation was - the chances were that the rest of the Association were probably none the wiser and - more importantly - probably weren't aware of the job it does and why we keep asking for money for it!

So, literary urges having got the better of me again, here goes with the first Charity Page(s) for the Seamaster. The idea is to keep everyone up to date with regards to any events planned and what the Foundation itself is up to, owing to the fact that this is the first one it will probably be longer than most but please bear with me. On this occasion, I will just update everyone on the fund raising events that have taken place so far and also the ones that we have got planned. In the next edition I will write a short(!) spiel on the Foundation itself.

Right, back to just before Christmas Leave. On the fifteenth of December we had our annual Association drinks to which two of the Foundation members were invited, this event was quite well attended, despite the Treasurer being on the door

checking names! The chairman took this opportunity to present Shirley and Sue from the Foundation with a cheque for £300.00 which was the total raised last year, mainly from the efforts of the - then - Vice Chairman, Ray Hawgood.

In the same week there was also a Charity Football Match between the members of PO(S) 97 and the PTI's. Despite being a Passive Rate closed up without a calculator even I realised that the odds were stacked against the PTI's in the final ten minutes of the game because the whole of the course were out there against the four PTI's (I won't show the course up by telling you who won!).

At more or less the same time as the football match, PWO(ASW) was parting with his set in aid of various charities, the Foundation will feature in the list of beneficiaries.

I'm still waiting for some idea of the money raised from both of these events, as soon as I know I will - of course - inform you all.

Moving on into 1989, the first event of the year will be the Portsmouth half Marathon, two Association members (WO Jim Parks and CPO Paddy Maher) have volunteered to run in aid of the Foundation and I'd like to take this opportunity to wish them luck (and not too many blisters!).

April or May of this year will see the first ever ASWI Car Boot Sale at an - as yet - unconfirmed venue. The idea is to charge a fixed fee for every car, half of the proceeds would go to the Foundation and the other half would disappear in to Pinchers bottomless coffers, hopefully this will enable us to organise a few Association Socials.

This years major fund raising event is planned for the sixth and seventh of July and will take the form of a sponsored cycle ride. The plan of attack is for two teams of four to start off from Dryad and Drake respectively and cycle to Osprey in Portland (the original 'home' of ASW training). If the riders are in any fit state, there will be a

small Social in the mess that evening (a date for the Diary if you happen to be Portland Running). Both teams will then re-trace their respective routes the following day, my rough 'guesstimation' is that each team will cycle approximately 200 miles.

At present we have three volunteers from the Pompey end, what we do need is one more from here and four from Guzz. I do realise that this is a case of 'easier said than done' due to ships programs, time off etc etc, however, if there are any takers then please give me a bell and we'll try and sort something out.

Finally of course, we do need everyones support in this matter. I've put the official sponsor form in with this letter, details of team members, actual mileage, times etc will be in the next Seamaster along with details of what to do with any money collected. So, please help to make it worth their while.

That's it for now, hopefully this will be the first of many 'Charity Pages'.....

Yours Aye

Paz

CHRONOLOGICAL HISTORY OF THE TAS BRANCH

YEAR

EVENT

1872

Hulk 'VERNON' opened as the R N Torpedo Training School. Part of HMS Excellent with Commander J Fisher (a Gunnery Officer but also a self taught Torpedo Officer) in charge. VERNON was moored off FLJ.

1872

Introduction of torpedos into Naval Warfare and Vernon Section.

HMS EXCELLENT as Lead

School for Royal Naval Training and Development of new weapon.

1876

Growing importance of torpedo as a Fleet weapon and the demand for more specialists. Two more hulls added to the 'VERNON' group, "ACTAEON" (Workshop) and "ARIADNE", (Accommodation ship). First Official Torpedo Long Course.

1876

Between 1872 and 1876 when HMS Vernon became an independent command under Captain W. Arthur. HMS Vernon was at this time the:
RN Electrical School
RN Mining and Minesweeping School
RN Torpedo School

This included Research and Development, all RN training, introduction into Fleet and Fleet support.

1876

A. GRAHAM BELL visited HMS Vernon to show off his new telephone. a clever HMS Vernon Artisan, one ISAAC TALL copied his design and later installed one in HMS Vernon to the Captains House in Fareham Creek. (The story goes that the Captain was awakened one night by the telephone ringing, only to find it was the Cox'swain chatting up a housemaid, Cox'swain duly in "rattle" thus being years ahead of Dr. Crippen.)

1885

"ACTAEON" paid off and replaced by "DONEGAL" all still moored at FLJ.

1895

"VERNON" group of hulks moved to Portchester Creek. FLJ had become too congested.

1900

Formation of RN Submarine service with HMS Vernon playing a lead role.

1903

First RN Anti-Submarine tactics tried out at Spithead.

1903

"MALBOROUGH" replaced "ARIADNE" and "WARRIOR" joined group as W/T school (VERNON III). First Fleet Anti-submarine tactics against submarines and torpedoes these included:

a. Lassoing periscopes and sliding a grenade down the wire.

b. Towing grapnels with charges attached.

1903

c. Lassoing the submarine with a noose of explosive charges.

d. Booms and anti-torpedo nets.

Royal Navy W/T School (Hulk HMS Warrior)

1909

Fleet A/S tactics ceased when HM S/MAI was rammed and sunk during an anti-submarine tactic trial. The Admiralty felt it was all too hazardous.

1909

Submarine Signalling Dept established.

1910

RN WT Set Type No 1 introduced into Fleet by Vernon W/T School. (Principle of numbering sets evolved from this occasion.)

1914

First Hydrophones for detecting submarines, development of A/S loops and A/S indicator net.

1909-

A/S measures were mechanical like mine sweeping, firing an anti-submarine charge from a gun (first depth charge).

1914

1914

Hydrophones first used to locate a submarine.
Tactic - Stop; Lower; Listen.

1914-

Principal means of U boat detection was Passive - with hydrophones both hull Mounted and towed in an array!!!

1918

1915

Involvement in Naval Aviation: Early Naval Airplanes were designed to carry torpedoes: All early naval aviators were Torpedo Officers. These officers after World War 1 formed the RAF. (Many Ex-RN Torpedo Officers held High Rank in RAF.)

1917

HMS SAREPTA commissioned as a temporary A/S School at Portland.

1919

First ASDIC set in RN.

1927

First Chemical Warfare Department.

23-2-19

HMS GIBRALTAR commissioned at Portland as Captain A/S with one P boat (P23) as the Portland

1919

Flotilla, this grew to 4 P and 3 PC by April 1919. Ships fitted with ASDIC type 111.

1923

HMS OSPREY opened as a shore A/S School with Commander J P FARQUHARSON in command and under Captain A/S. First Long A/S Course for Officers.

1927

Hulks paid off - VERNON Torpedo and Electrical School moved ashore to present site (then HM Gun Wharf).

1934

Chemical Warfare Dept established in HMS VERNON. VERNON Flotilla - (5 Destroyers, HMS WINCHESTER as Senior Officer) in operation carrying out torpedo trials in Stokes Bay.

1935

Bingleaves acquired for Vernon Torpedo Trials with Torpedo Experimental Dept moving to Greenock.

Introduction of Motor Torpedo Boats into Naval Warfare.

1939

NOV - Secrets of the Vernon Magnetic Mine revealed to Vernon by Lt Cdr OUVRY and team.

1940

First A/S attack teacher installed in Vernon for training ships teams in Portsmouth Area. Principal ASDIC of WW2, ASDIC type 128, later 144.

1941

Vernon moved to Roedean School and St Dunstons School at Ovingdean. Osprey moved to Dunoon.

1945

Vernon team moved back to Portsmouth and the Gun Wharf. (7/6/45 last day in Roedean.) Osprey moved back to Portland.

Jan

Roedean opened as a Girls School.

1946

June

Formation of TAS Branch and of the Electrical Branch.

1946

1946

Recorder.

ASDIC 147B first Depth

1947

ASDIC 162 Bottom Detection.

1950

ASDIC 170/Mortar Mk 10 first Computer ASW System. TAS Branch divided into UCs/UWs/MDs/SDs.

1956

ASDIC 177 first MRS (Trial Ship HMS BROCKLESBY).

1961

OSPREE ASW training role passed to VERNON.

1972

Last TAS Long Course Qualified.

1973

PWO training commenced.

1974

Formation of Operations Branch and SMOPS. Captain PRITCHARD first Captain SMOPS HMS DRYAD. AWO training commenced.

1983

AWO training ceased, PWO training streamed into "A", "C" and "U".

1985

"U" Faculty moved from HMS VERNON to HMS DRYAD.

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15 December 1988

Dear Chief Smith,

I would be like to apply to become an
associate member of the ASWI's Association.

I left the Royal Navy in August 1986
as a CPO TASI having served for 31 years.

Now that I have settled into civvy
life and got a job in a medium sized security
company, I feel that now is the time to renew ties
with friends I made.

I would be grateful if you would
forward on the relevant information.

Yours Aye,

P Cass

9B Downes Street
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23 January 1989

Dear Paddy,

As an ex serving member as of yesterday, I
enclose my subscription for the year. I am pleased to
say that I have found myself a job as an assistant
manager/tyre fitter for Dorset Tyre and Batteries
based here in Bridport, I have another week left in
training and then I shall be running the depot here
in Bridport which I am looking forward to.

Wendy and the family are settling down well
and all in all things are looking very good. We are
hoping to get up to your end sometime, if not we will
definitely be attending the dinner this year.

Please pass on my regards to all in the
section, I will get round to writing to all
eventually, and if you have time just pop next door
and give Greg a shake!

Cheers for now

Ray Hawgood

CPO(S) RHODES,
HMS PHOEBE.

HELLO Mate,

Yes it's me from down the Plymouth coast still smiling and keeping the old flag flying.

First let me say sorry for the late arrival of my subs! I did not realise until the other day I was out of date so I enclose 2 years fees hoping to be in the good books once again.

It's surprising how out of touch you can get stuck down here only visiting Portsmouth on weekends when the family comes first with Jackie's job cards building up!! Still stand by next year I will be looking for a new job!!

I am glad the annual dinner went O.K. and with all the reports that get passed around down here it seems the dinner is here to stay.

Give my regards to all of the section and hope to see them all soon. I'm glad to see Nobby is still getting a few A.S.W.S.C. through and his chair is still warm!!

As to the comments Paz made referring to the A.S.W.S.C. -

"ASWSC is going to sea because the CPO(OPS)(S)(PSD) 'can't hack it'." Where that myth came from only he knows as all the courses completed so far do not feel that way. But before I comment on Paz's remarks I'll wait until he's been on course or been to sea as ASWSC and had his eyes widened. Don't get me wrong Paz I agree with your comments but there's a lot more to the co-ordinator than meets the eye, or shall I say ear!

Well mate I'll close now and hope to see you soon. Keep up the good work as I know a lot of extra hours goes into running the association, so to you and the rest of the committee THANK YOU

Yours Aye,
Dusty.
-43-

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Dear Pincher,

Sorry to be so late in sending my subs, so to make up for it I have enclosed £5 as opposed to £2 - the residue can be put towards the association charity. There are numerous reasons for my late payment, the main one being that the 'Seamaster' was sent to my old address. Please amend to show the address at start of this 'dit'.

As you, and many of the old lags may be aware I am now a member of the 'single' brigade, having given wife number two a 'draft chit'. (I managed to pick many of my drafts in the 'pusser' and was more than satisfied - however my choice of women would appear to leave a lot to be desired.) Anyway all is well again now and my 'roving commission' is paying dividends. I do have a few 'ports of call' and basically I 'ping' anything that takes my fancy. Life has a way of picking up and 1989 shows promise of being quite a year.

My regards to all,

Yours aye,

Phil Wratten.

Mr C J Haydon
Anchorage
Alexandra Road
Crediton
Devon

5-2-89

Dear Paddy,

Please find enclosed my subscription for 1989, a contribution I am glad to give.

It's now well over four years since I left the R.N, time seems to fly by so quickly.

I have only retained 3 contacts with the service:- Navy News which I'm afraid I find rather boring; a monthly insert from the Paymaster General on my bank statement which I find most rewarding; and the Seamaster which I find very special as I can still relate to the ASWI's Association and still put a face to some of the names I read. Keep up the good work as Editor Alan, we oldies appreciate it.

I read with interest the possibility of holding a social function in the West country, do hope this gets off the ground, never did feel comfortable unless the Safety Course was WEST.

Meanwhile, as I drive my little red van around the country lanes of glorious Devon, I send my regards to you all.

Yours Aye

Charlie Haydon

P.S. It's not true, they do not issue you with a Black and White cat.

By ed. Thats not what I've heard. Nice to hear from you again Charlie.

By The Editor

A number of other letters have been received from various members relating mainly to the paying of membership fees and therefore I have not included them here in the magazine

Thanks to Peggy Neal, Carl Hayman, Robin Hood, Les Rishman, Paul Hitchcock, Smudge Smith and Terry Whitty to name but a few.

WHERE'S MY OPPO

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FOX T L	FOST	
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HARTLEY C	DRYAD	
HITCHCOCK P	FOST	0
KENNEDY P J	DRYAD	0
LOVEDAY A D	TAAU SM 2/FOF 2	
NOBLE A	DRYAD	0
O'SULLIVAN G G	DRYAD	0
OWEN M	ACHILLES	
PARK C D	DRYAD	0
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BEAN D	KENT	0
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CHETWOOD J	CCF PORTSMOUTH	
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CLARK N J	DRYAD	
COMLEY P	BIRMINGHAM	
CUNNINGHAM P E	LONDON	0
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DOOLER R	DRYAD	
DREW R J	SHEFFIELD	
DUNCAN R	CDRE MWV	
ENGLISH T	DRYAD	0
ENVY M	HERMIONE	
FELLS C T	YORK/OUTSIDE	0
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FRANKLIN W B	RALEIGH	
FLOWER B H	DRYAD	
FURLONG P K	ROYAL ARTHUR	
GLEAVE F W	NELSON NBCD	
GOLDING B F	BOXER	
GORRINGE J M	DRYAD	
GRAHAM R	CINCFLT (FOAS)	
GRAVETT A N	JAAC	
GREEN P J	NELSON (GUNWHARF)	0
HOOD D R W	FOST/DRYAD	0

HOWES K L	JUPITER	0
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LENTHALL P R F	FOST	
LEWIS B W	EURYALUS	
LEWIS P L	JAAC	
MAHER P	DRYAD	
MARSHALL D	HUNTER	
MARSHALL K	ACHILLES/DRYAD	
MARTIN H J	DRYAD	0
McCREADY R C	DRYAD	
MILEY M P	CLEOPATRA	
MOORE P	BRILLIANT	
MORRISON D	SMOPS (NELSON)	
NEEDHAM S E	DRYAD	
NEWELL R J	DRYAD	
NIXON P H	CORNWALL	
OLDREY B W	DRYAD	
PARRY G R	DRYAD	0
PATTINSON F R	DRYAD	
PEARCE P M	DANAE	0
PORDAGE T R	RALEIGH/DRYAD	
PROUSE B J	MINERVA	
RHODES P	PHOEBE	0
RIGBY J W	PENELOPE	
ROBERTS T G	BRAVE	0
RODAWAY R	FENCER	
RODGERS S P	FOST/DRYAD	0
SIMPSON A J	RALEIGH	
SMITH J A	DRYAD	0
TUCKER P	DRYAD	0
TUTTY P J	DRYAD	
WALKER J L	DRYAD	0
WALSH B D	DRYAD/BEAVER	0
WATFORD P	DRYAD	

WILL S C	DRYAD
WILLIAMS D P	FOST
WOODHAM G L	DRYAD
WRIGHT P J	DRYAD/OUT
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MANEELY G J	BROADSWORD
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GEORGE MORRALEE
PEGGY NEAL
D G MacPHERSON
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DEREK O'ROURKE
R PATON
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DON PIERCE
BARRY PRICE
P B PURKISS
ALAN QUARTERMAINE
C RICHARDSON

TAUNTON
WORCESTER
PORTSMOUTH
GOSPORT
CHICHESTER 0
BRIDPORT 0
CAPETOWN
SOUTHSEA
FORDINGBRIDGE
SOUTHSEA
FAREHAM
GOSPORT 0
STORRINGTON 0
LIVERPOOL 0
PLYMOUTH 0
LEE ON SOLENT 0
BEDHAMPTON
PORTSMOUTH
SOUTHSEA
GLOUCESTER
COWPLAIN
DONCASTER
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HORNDEAN
LOWER KINGSWOOD
GOSPORT
CHICHESTER 0
WEYMOUTH 0
GOSPORT
GUILDFORD
STOCKPORT
DUNFERMLINE
STUBBINGTON
BEDHAMPTON
COSHAM
NOTTINGHAM
LEE ON SOLENT
SHEFFIELD
BANBURY
PAULSGROVE

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JOHN REEDY	DRAYTON
LEN RISHMAN	BOGNOR REGIS 8
R J RANDALL	SANDERSTEAD
TED ROBERTS	GOSPORT
L RIDGEWAY(ex SD1)	REDCAR
BILL SOMERTON	DENMEAD
ROY STRINGER	COPNOR
SAM SNELLING	CATHERINGTON 8
CHARLIE SOLE	GOSPORT
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PETE SOWDEN	DOVER 8
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DAVE SWANN	SWANAGE
JEFF STANLEY	SUTHERLAND
JIM SHEPHERD	PORTCHESTER
N M SHOULS	LEE ON SOLENT
R THOMPSON	ALVERSTOKE
R G TAYLOR	GOSPORT
R TAYLOR	SOUTHPORT
REG TOWNLEY	COSHAM
T TEMPLETON	MANCHESTER
K THOMS	WATERLOOVILLE
FRED THORPE	CORBY
MAURICE TRENGOE	POOLE
BEN TRAVIS	SITTINGBOURNE
R J WARD	WATERLOOVILLE
T WARD	CUMBRIA
K WALK	PAULSGROVE
WRAGGY WRAITH	PURBROOK
MICK WORSEY	SENINGTON
SHINER WRIGHT	SOUTH LANCING
PHIL WRATTEN	READING 8
CHRIS WYNN	GOSPORT
T WRIGHT	BELPER
BUNGY WILLIAMS	PLYMOUTH
BRIAN WEST(BANJO)	CWMLLYNFELL
SOAPY WATSON	LEE ON SOLENT

ASW SYMPOSIUM

Will be held in the NBC Building, South Yard Devonport on the 5th April 1989 at 0900.

The meeting will be sponsored by the ASWI's Association and is open to all ASWD's, PSD's and SENSOR CO-ORDINATORS.

It is intended to retire to HMS DRAKE on completion for lunchtime drinks.