

Southsea Sub-Aqua Club Diving Officer's Report



2013

Diving Activities

- March winter diving to Gillan Creek
- Isles of Scilly expedition in May
- 2 x Red Sea Liveaboards in June
- Red Sea Shore based Roots Camp
- Expedition to Porthkerris
- Diving in the UK throughout Summer in Solent, Selsey, Plymouth, Kimmeridge Bay, and Isle of Wight



British Divers Marine Life Rescue



**Learning how to
manage a 2 Ton
whale and
dolphin
rescue in sub-
zero
conditions!!!**



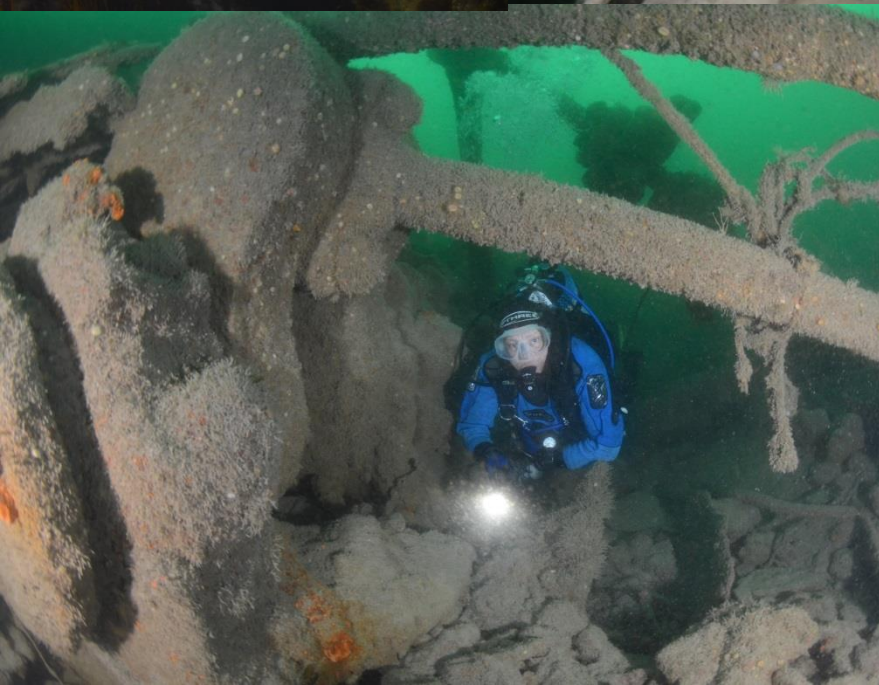
Gillan Creek



Air Swimmers Grand Prix



Isles of Scilly

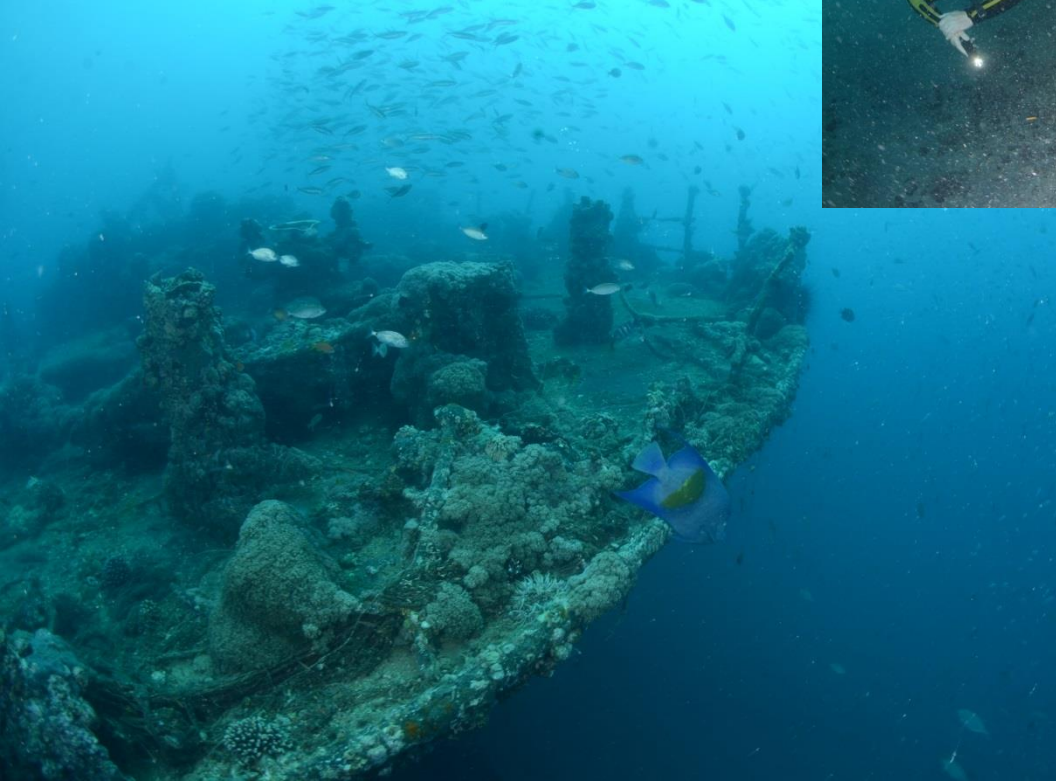
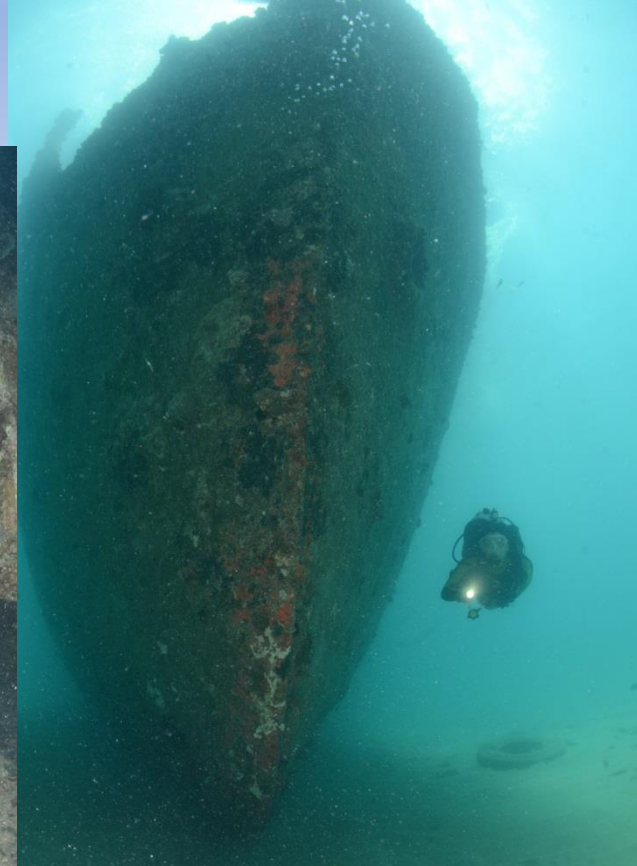
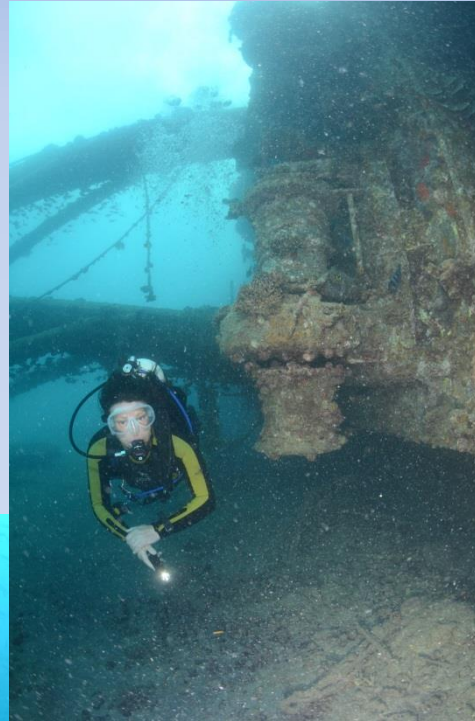


Chichester Observer - Warning after youths throw stones at Selsey seal



TREVOR the seal had his own personal guard at Selsey this week after being hit by stones.

Red Sea - Suez



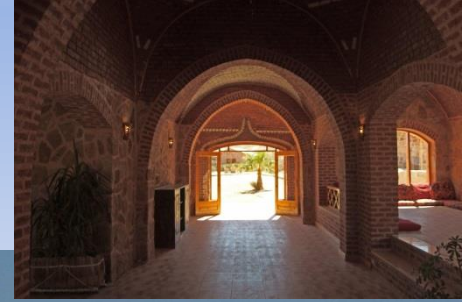
Southern Red Sea



Dolphins at SS Turbo morning dive

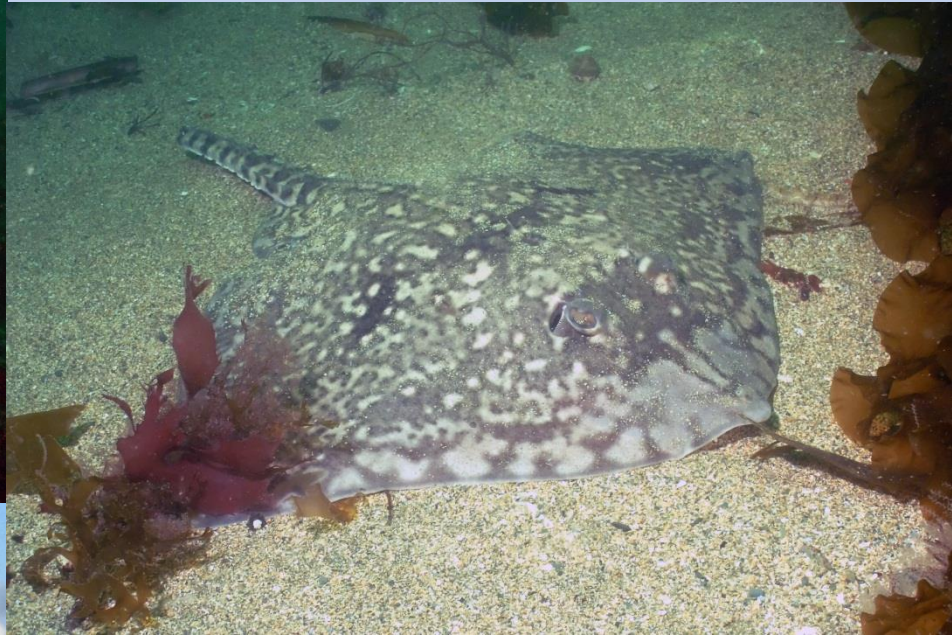


Red Sea - Shore Based



Porthkerris June 2013

Paul & Trevor



Plymouth



20,000 leagues under the Solent Submarine Museum



HM Submarine A1



Peter Small Award



Peter Small was a founding member of BSAC.

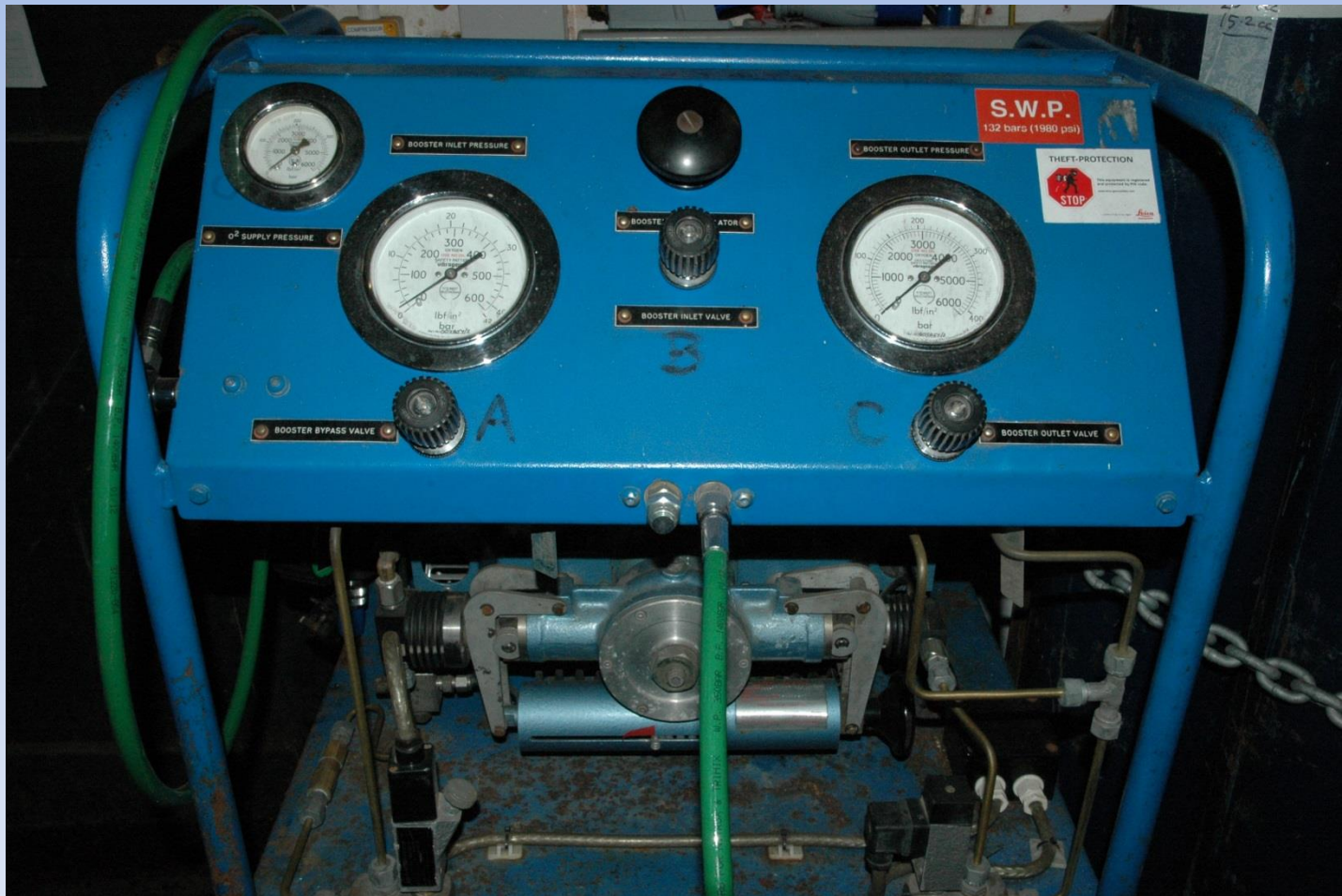
Award for best project in British waters.

**Kedge Hook - HMLCT427
£1,000 and medal**

New Club RIB



Booster Pump



SSAC Publicity

Scuba Magazine

- Club in focus article.
- ‘Wrecked’ features – Far Mulberry, Tanks and Bulldozers, SS Mendi, HM Submarine A1, HM Submarine Swordfish.
- Women in Diving.
- Peter Small Award.
- Alex MacKee bust appeal.

New Web Site – any day now.

2014 Season

- Expeditions
- New Dive Programme
- Diving from Selsey & Eastney
- New Project – Neptune/Mulberry 70
- Refurbished Club Boat
- Historic Wrecks, A1, HMS Invincible, Mary Rose?



Dive Schedule 2014

Jan	S1	2	3	4	5	6	7	N8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	S16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	N24	25	26	27	28	29	S30	31
Feb	1	2	3	4	5	N6	7	O ²	First Aid for Divers	10	11	12	13	S14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	N22	23	24	25	26	27	28			
Mar	S1	2	3	4	5	6	7	N8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	S16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	N24	25	26	27	28	29	S30	31
Apr	1	2	3	4	5	6	N7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	S15	16	17	18	19	20	21	N22	23	24	25	26	27	28	S29	30	
May	1	2	3	4	5	6	N7	8	9	10	11	12	13	S14	15	16	17	18	19	20	N21	22	23	24	25	26	27	S28	29	30	31
Jun	1	2	3	4	N5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	S13	14	15	16	17	18	N19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	S27	28	29	30	
Jul	1	2	3	4	N5	6	7	8	9	10	11	S12	13	14	15	16	17	18	N19	20	21	22	23	24	25	S26	27	28	29	30	31
Aug	1	2	3	N4	5	6	7	8	9	S10	11	12	13	14	15	16	N17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	S25	26	27	28	29	30	31
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Training 2014

SDC's Planned

- **Compressor Operation**
- **Boat Handling**
- **Diver Coxswain**
- **Buoyancy Standards**
- **O² Admin**
- **Diver First Aid**
- **Underwater Photography**
- **Gas Blending**
- **Search and Recovery**
- **Advanced Decompression Procedures (ADP)**
- **Sports Mixed Gas (SMG)**

Diver Training Courses

- **Ocean Diver**
- **Sports Diver**
- **Dive Leader**

Other courses

- **BDMLR – Marine Mammal Medic**

Diving 2014

Challenges and Opportunities

- **Weather**
- **Visibility**
- **Tides**
- **Organisers/Marshalls**
- **Filling boats**
- **Towing**
- **Dives for all grades and interests**
- **Recruitment and retention**
- **Going diving!**
- **New Sites**
- **Historic/protected Sites**
- **Project week**
- **Expeditions**
- **Better Boat reduced cost**
- **Chance to be involved**
- **What do you want to dive?**
- **Ideas very welcome**

Thank You



One life "Dive it"