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1	05/02/2015	Capernwray	16.9m	4c	Mel	CH	Trip to Capernwray to do shake down dives. Nice sunny day which
2					John		helped the viz and made us feel a bit warmer. Water a cold 4c but
3			15m		Darren		the effect on our hands and faces was not as bad as we feared. Poor
4					Mike		Mike got a bad leak through his dump valve but he bravely still finished
5			14m		Chris		his dive before being poured out of his suit. Got a few good photos
6					Helen		and some video of the sturgeon. My first time at the Quarry and was
7					Glyn		impressed by the viz and the good sheltered training areas. Enjoyed
8			18.1m		Chris		searching around the various wrecks, but would soon get bored after
9					Mel		a few visits. Lacks the excitement of the sea
10			20m		Darren		
11					John		
12			10m		Helen		
13					Glyn		
14	06/02/2015	Capernwray	18m	4c	John	MS	Mel dive manager. Sandra from Bradford Branch came up for the afternoon
15					Mel		dive but sun had gone in by then and it felt colder and gloomier in the
16			9m		Helen		water. Over the two days everyone had the chance to get back in the
17					Glyn		swing and deal with minor equipment issues without the stress of being in
18			20m		Sandra (V)		open water.
19					Mel		
20					John		
21			14m		Helen		
22					Glyn		
23	04/04/2015	S.S.Woodburn	10m	7c	Chris	CH	First sea dive of the year. The Woodburn has been scattered once again
24					Dean		by the winter storms. No evidence of sea life yet apart from a few crabs.
25					Mel		I got a flood due unfamiliarity with my new suit but still was warm enough
26					Glyn		continue dive. Dean did well on his first dive with good bouyancy. 001
27	05/04/2015	S.S.Woodburn	11.2m	7c	Chris	CH	A sea fret made for murky surface conditions but viz under water was
28					Dean		better than yesterday at about 3m. Dean was wamer this time and had a
29					Chris		very good dive. Darren and I looked for treasure but nothing had been
30					Darren		exposed. A few bits of brass but these were encrusted tight. 002
31	30/04/2015	Off St. Ninnian's Beach	16.8m	9c	Chris	CH	Gentle drift over unexplored rough ground. Viz 4.5m. Crabs, Dogfish and
32					Derek		a lot of hedgehog sponges. Mike and Dave coxed for us.
33	09/05/2015	S.S.Woodburn	10.2m	9c	Chris	CH	Got out in a small window in the weather and was rewarded with calm sea
34					Elizabeth		and 4.5m viz. Took Elizabeth round site and into cave, she is far more
35					Russ		composed in water now. Mike and Russ got separated on first dive but
36					Mike		Mike surfaced having found the anchor. Went back for search and marking
37		Wodburn Anchor	14m		Russ		anchor site but did n't find it again. Must organise proper search now I
38					Mike		know approximate location.
39	13/05/2015	S.S. Kelvinside	23.3m	9c	Mike	CH	Fair weather window enabled a dive on the Kelvinside. Good run out but
40					Russ		engine not running well. Arrived on schedule and shotted perfectly. First
41					Mel		wave had excellent dive right on slack. Viz 7m and shoals of Bib and
42					Chris		Pollack. Beginning to run when Neil and I dived so spent most of dive
43					Neil		hunkered down. Not the best conditions for Neil's first dive with us.
44		S.S.Woodburn	9.1m		Russ		Viz on Woodburn only 3-4m but had a good dive using up air. Cave had
45					Mel		lots of small jellyfish stranded in it. Went looking for anchor but no luck
46					Chris		
47	21/05/2015	S.S. Jasper	18.1m	10c	Chris	CH	Wind ok to get out to the Jasper. Viz unexpectedly good at about 4m
48					Dean		Took Dean for his first proper wreck dive and he did well. Good bouyancy
49					Derek		and composed during dive. Permanent shot now lost but shotted it right on
50					Mike		the deck dead centre. Two large congers in residence on the engine block
51		S.S.Woodburn	13.4m		Chris		Training dive with Dean to get through some of the exercises.Had a look
52					Dean		for anchor. 003, 004.
53	23/05/2015	ADC 527	35.2m	10c	Chris	CH	Early start but good conditions for a return to the landing craft after over
54					Phil		two years. Well shotted but lots of fleck in water which gave poor viz of 4m
55					Mel		Wreck much as it was with a few colapses on starboard side. Not many
56					Russ		fish around yet. Toured whole wreck but tide running when we left.
57		Devil's Bridge	6.9m		Chris		Good scenic dive at Devil's Bridge to finish off Dean's training. Toured
58					Dean		whole site in and out of canyons and were lucky to find an octopus.
59					Darren		Boat engine not running smoothly and needs attention. Radio now works
60			7.4m		Chris		well.005
61					Phil		
62					Steve		
63	26/05/2015	S.S. Jasper	13.9m	11c	Chris	CH	Good viz at about 4.5m and a big slack window. Nice relaxing dive on the
64					Darren		wreck. Most of the lobsters were berried. Dave acted as cox

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65	30/05/2015	Cairn Head	19.7m	11c	Russ	CH	Dave cox. Early start to catch the tide. Engine now running smoothly
66					Mel		after working on it yesterday. Opted for a scenic dive as viz only 3 to 4m
67					Glyn		after rain. Took Alex in for his first dive with us. Came across a patch of
68					Chris		scallops in the area where they were killed off a few years ago. Lots of
69					Dean		small ones and a number of mature ones. Did second dive on the
70					Alex		Woodburn to get Alex's weighting properly adjusted. Toured the wreck and
71		S.S.Woodburn	10.1m		Chris		the cave and saw that Alex's bouyancy was spot on. Fish are now
72					Dean		beginning to appear on the wreck but equally the kelp is growing fast.
73					Alex		Dean very composed in water. 001, 002
74	05/06/2015	Cairn Head	19.8m	11c	Chris	CH	Weather not good but managed to find calm and reletively clear water
75					Derek		at Cairn Head. Very scenic with a lot more fish around. Found a patch
76					Darren		of Scallops at end of dive.
77	07/06/2015	Cairn Head	17.1m	11c	Phil	CH	Visibility not too good after the bad weather the previous day but still
78					Dean		3m. Lots of fish life around and Phil saw a new one to us, a Five Bearded
79					Alex		Rockling as well as a couple of octopus.
80					Chris		Alex Progressed well with his training exercises and we got Gary back
81					Elizabeth		into the water after a long break. 003, 004
82		S.S.Woodburn	11m	12c	Darren		
83					Gary		
84					Chris		
85					Alex		
86	10/06/2015	S.S.Kelvinside	23m	11c	Russ	CH	Long ride out to the wreck as the prop was in limp mode. Dived the wreck
87					Callum		bang on slack in one wave as Dave was the cox. Viz only about 4.5m
88					Chris		which was a little disappointing. Lots of fish life on wreck which made for
89					Dean		an interesting dive. Surfaced to a sea like glass.
90					Mike		The second dive was again bang on slack
91					Derek		
92		Devils Bridge	10m	12c	Callum		
93					Derek		
94					Chris		
95	11/06/2015	Jamies Hole	3.2m	12c	Chris	CH	Started the day recovering Lobster pots for the harbour master, then
96					Mel		motored out to the Riverside. Fitted a permanent shot to the wreck
97		S.S.Riverside	21.5m	12c	Chris		then toured around. Viz again about 4.5m and all the Plumose Anemones
98					Mel		on the wreck were open giving it a cotton wool look. The lobsters were
99		Cairn Head			Chris		mainly berried but found a nice one hiding near the prop.
100					Phil		On the evening dive successfully went through Ocean Diver exercises with
101					Elizabeth		Elizabeth
102	20/06/2015	S.S.Riverside	26.3m	12c	Phil	CH	Decided to do the Riverside since it was bouyed but arrived to no sight of
103					Russ		it. Shotted wreck with 35m line and this bouy disappeared. Finally shotted
104					Chris		it with anchor. Long pull down with strong current. Phil lined off but swam
105					Mike		parallel to wreck. Finally sighted nets on wreck when about to give up.
106			10.7m		Russ		Strong current with no obvious slack for whole dive which meant plumose
107					Phil		anemones were spectacular.Luckily Phil found lost shot when coming up
108					Crystal		anchor line and bagged it so we recovered all lines. Mussels on net at
109					Chris		stern. Good first dives for Ken and Crystal. Sea fret came in making 20m
110					Ken		viz for return. Harbour clear though. Dave cox 003
111	21/06/2015	S.S.Woodburn	9.8m	12c	Chris	CH	Dave cox. Engine now running smoothly with new prop. Two training dives
112					Elizabeth		touring site and cave. Tompot blenny at home on engine. Lots of big
113					Chris		pollock around as well as many wrasse
114					Crystal		
115	24/06/2015	S.S. Jasper	12.7m	13c	Chris	CH	Quick dive to get a permanent shot on the wreck. Russel had mask hitch
116		S.S.Riverside	20.3m	13c	Russ		Sorted buoy on the wreck then dived it. Viz not too good at about 3m
117					Glyn		Ken did well but slipping weight belt forced us to dangle it from his jacket
118					Chris		and so drag it round the wreck. Lost strobe but should be able to recover
119					Ken		it.
120	26/06/2015	S.S. Jasper	17.2m	14c	Glyn	CH	Two boats went up to the Jasper, our own skippered by Dave and the
121					David (V)		Yorkshire Tub from Bradford Branch. Weather was good but water not
122					Brian		too clear. Eleven divers didn't help and the silt was soon kicked up.
123					Alison		The shot had lifted the hauser it was attached to and needs re-siting.
124					Hils (V)		The big conger near to engine seemed interested in all the divers but only
125					Paul (V)		the last five of us saw him
126					Chris		
127					Mike		
128					Mel		
129					Mick (V)		
130					Stacey (V)		

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131	27/06/2015	Cairn Head	18.7m	14c	Mel	CH	Dave dropped us at Cairn Head for a drift. Viz only about 3m but good
132					David (V)		enough. Dropped down to find a huge old lobster and an angler fish
133					Mick (V)		sitting right next to him. Lots of interesting sea life on site. We hit a good
134					Stacey (V)		scallop patch and began to collect them for the evening barbecue. The
135					Chris		current was not strong and we had a most enjoyable drift.
136					Phil		
137					Ste		
138		ADC 527	36.2m	13c	Chris		Sea picking up but still managed to get out to the Landing Craft with spray
139					Phil		continually coming over the bow. Poor Dave, not in a dry suit got drenched.
140					Callum		Had to wait for slack but there was still quite a current running at the
141					Russ		surface. Dark on wreck but water clearer than at surface. Shot landed
142					Hils (V)		off starboard side and had to be dragged to wreck. Lots of big wrasse on
143					Paul (V)		wreck. Shot got hooked on wreckage but managed to retrieve all except
144		S.S. Riverside	21m		Mel		the lead itself. Need to bag and collect it next time
145					David (V)		Viz poor on the Riverside and sea rough
146		S.S. Woodburn	8.7m	14c	Mick (V)		Finished day with a treasure hunt on Woodburn looking for numbered
147					Andy (V)		scallop shells. Like finding a needle in a haystack ! Mick lost his reel and
148					Russ		DSMB which we must look for.
149					Callum		
150					Chris		
151					Paul (V)		
152	03/07/2015	Cairn Head	23m	14c	Chris	CH	Weather good so headed out for a drift dive. Viz about 3.5m and little
153					John		currunt to begin. Collected scallops and found inquisitive pipe fish. Soon
154					Derek		drifting quite fast down to Stein Head. Saw octopus en route.
155		S.S. Woodburn	11m		Chris		Practised exercises with Ken in the shallows then explored the wreck.
156					Ken		Assessed the anchor for lifting 004
157	09/07/2015	Cairn Head	15.5m	14C	Callum	CH	Evening drift dive. First pair saw Angler fish and second pair an octopus.
158					John		Lots of fish around but also a lot of Lobster pot lines which makes
159					Chris		drifting difficult. Viz around 3.5m
160					Elizabeth		
161	12/07/2015	S.S. Riverside	22m	14c	Chris	CH	Quick spin out for a LW dive on the Riverside. Slack started 1hr 40mins
162					Neil		before LW on a 7.1m tide. Viz only 3m but had a good dive and recovered
163		S.S. Woodburn	7.6m	15c	Chris		strobe and some lobsters. Sudden choppy sea on way back to Woodburn
164					Connor		but viz here was much better at 4.5m. Connor had a good first dive with
165					Neil		good buoyancy control. Recovered Mick's reel. Gary had hose problem
166					Gary		and sadly had to abort first dive. 001
167	15/07/2015	Cairn Head	23.4m	14c	Chris	CH	Good drift with about 5m viz. Lots of life but not many scallops. Drifted to
168					Russ		the brittlestar beds at Stein Point. I did short dive to get one of Shaun's
169		Carickaboys	8.4m	14c	Chris		pots but it was badly mangled and stuck fast. Then Russ and I recovered
170		S.S. Woodburn	10.8m	15c	Chris		the anchor from the Woodburn. Needed scaffolding pole to prise it free
171					Russ		and three bags to lift it. Towed it to Stinking Port and recovered it at LW
172	22/07/2015	S.S. Riverside	21.8m	15c	Chris	CH	Viz not too good at only 2m but had an enjoyable dive and took some
173					Russ		good lobsters and a crab. Big conger now living in starboard front bridge
174					Tosh		Tried Devils bridge bang on low water. Diveable, but currents in all the
175		Devil's Bridge	6.7m	15c	Chris		canyons meant that a lot of hard finning was needed. Tide direction was
176					Russ		confusing as on the westward side it seemed to be flooding and on the
177					Tosh		far side ebbing. Afterwards we recovered more ropes and creels from the
178					Darren		rocks around Burrow head. Had a sea dog with us today as Darren brought
179					T.J.		Maisie with him in her life jacket. She thought the buoys on the wreck
180		Burrow Head	6.5m	15c	Chris		were ball and wanted to play with them
181	24/07/2015	Screens Rocks	13.2m	15c	Chris	CH	Excellent dive at the Screens Rocks. Viz 5.5m Shoals of fish and lots of
182					Darren		interesting animal turf. Little sign of wreckage but edge of rocks near
183		Stank > Burrow Head	13m		Chris		harbour entrance best. Recovered 7 Creels. Nice solo Drift.
184	25/07/2015	Screens Rocks	13.7m	15c	Chris	CH	Another good dive at the Screens. Viz not quite as good as yesterday. To
185					Dean		get the most scenic parts you need to keep on the outer edge. The drift
186					John		in Luce bay was about one kilometer. John got a monster crab which was
187					Derek		hard to bag as we sped along. Very scenic and relaxing just drifting along.
188		Stank > Burrow Head	14.7m		Chris		Not too many problems from lobster lines until very end when I caught
189					John		round one and had to fin hard in order to release it. Saw two large Barrel
190					Mel		Jellyfish while doing safety stop.

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191	01/08/2015	S.S. Rondo	30m	12c	John	MS	Choppy run out to the sound in overcast skies. Calm at wreck site and
192					Brian		water was quite clear with about 6m viz. A gloomy dive which suddenly lit
193					Mel		near the end when the sun broke out. Some big wrasse around and the
194			35m		Chris		wreck covered in animal turf.
195					Glyn		Went to other side of sound for a dive on the Shuna. Again quite clear with
196			29m		Phil		not much sediment kicked up. We all toured the wreck but got confused
197					Matty		as the shot was now tied to the port side. Went off looking for the stern
198		S.S. Shuna	29m	12c	John		and found the bow. Glyn and Matty did well on both dives
199					Brian		
200					Mel		
201					Chris		
202					Glyn		
203					Phil		
204					Matty		
205	02/08/2015	S.S. Breda	21m	12c	Chris	MS	First on the Breda ahead of another group of divers. Fresh water halocline
206					Glyn		in first few metres but viz on wreck was good. I dragged the shot buoy
207					John		down with me wrapped round my cylinder, thankfully Glyn released it
208					Brian		otherwise the rest wouldn't have got a dive. Toured the whole wreck. Phil
209					Mel		and Matty went through some of the swim throughs
210					Phil		After viewing sea eagles and an otter, we dived the Thesis. Both the bow
211					Matty		and stern have now collapsed which leaves only the mid section and the
212		S.S. Thesis	29.8m	12c	John		boiler and engine recognisable. The rest is a tangled heap of scrap but
213					Brian		a lot of the dead men's fingers and other animal turf are still attached to it
214					Mel		and thriving in their new location. The steel plates crumble like biscuits
215					Chris		and a lot of the ribs and beams wobble precariously. It seems like the
216					Glyn		wreck has just collapsed from old age as there is no evidence on the sea
217					Phil		bed of dredger activity nor would a dredger have taken out the bow and
218					Matty		stern but left the middle. Goodbye to what was a very scenic wreck
219	07/08/2015	Screens Rocks	13.9m	15c	Chris	CH	Viz pretty poor after all the rain. Reasonable at Screens for a solo scenic.
220		Woodburn Anchor	8.3m		Chris		Looked for anchor Mike spotted but couldn't spot it in the murk
221	08/08/2015	Great Ouse	24.9m	15c	Chris	CH	Viz drove us into Luce Bay and wind not too bad so made for the Ouse.
222					Russ		Covered in shoals of pollock and bib with plenty of big wrasse and congers
223					Mike		Found a big anchor among the wreckage, too big to get back! Viz was 5m
224					Brian		and the full sun meant torches weren't needed. Shotted wreck precisely
225		Stank > Burrow Head	13.8m	15c	Chris		and had a perfect slack. One of best dives of year. Did a strong drift with
226					Ken		Ken who did well in the challenging conditions. Happy to sign him off. 005
227	12/08/2015	Andy's Patch S > N	24.9m	15c	Chris	CH	Flat calm. Water dirty at Cairn Head so went to Luce Bay. 1 hour before
228					Russ		HW mild NW current at site which picked up as dive progressed. When we
229					Gary		were heading back Lobster buoys were going under. Got a good patch for
230		S.S. Woodburn	10.8m		Chris		scallops as we drifted along. Used up gas on Woodburn and Russ as
231					Russ		usual found something shiny. Searched again for anchor
232	13/08/2015	Stank	19.1m	15c	Chris	CH	Explored the Luce Bay coast. Viz about 3.5m and gentle NW current 1 hr
233					Ken		before HW on seabed. Stronger on surface. Recovered one pot for Shaun
234			10.5m		Chris		then went along to the Woodburn to use up our gas. Excellent diving
235					Ken		conditions over last two days.
236	15/08/2015	Cairn Head	20.8m	16c	Chris	CH	Strong fresh westerly kept us in Wigtown Bay. Viz at Cairn Head about
237					Debi		3.5m but silt easily kicked up. Debi's first dive this year in a 6.5 wet suit.
238					Brian		She was ok for 30mins. Not too much current 90 min before HW on spring
239					Derek		tide. Returned to Carrickaboys but this was very silty and a strong current
240		Carrickaboys	16.7m		Chris		was running. Had to hunker down in the crevices. Saw what Derek thought
241					Brian		were a clump of cuttlefish eggs.
242					Derek		
243	16/08/2015	S.S. Riverside	27m	16c	Callum	CH	Decided to do the Riverside since it was buoyed but arrived to no sight of
244					Chris		buoy until Elizabeth saw it just below surface. For an 8m tide there was
245					Phil		quite a run. We hit the water 45mins before HW and had a pull down the
246		S.S. Woodburn	10.5m		Callum		line. Dark on the wreck but clear viz of about 4m. Callum bailed out when
247					Phil		he got a lobster and Phil and I had a good rummage. Plumose anemones
248					Chris		all out and Phil recovered an aluminium Lowestoft float from nets. No real
249					Elizabeth		slack but we timed it just right. Short bumble and training ex on Woodburn

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250	18/08/2015	Cairn Head	19.8m	16c	Chris	CH	Good turn out for a Tuesday. Weather fine with slight westerly breeze.
251					Connor		Spring tides meant a wreck was out so went for a drift instead. Saw a
252					Mel		large pod of bottle nosed dolphins on way out in the Stinking Port area.
253					Ken		They were unusually well spread out and came close to the boat, going
254					Mike		close underneath it as we motored along. Connor did well on his first drift
255					Darren		dive in what were challenging conditions. Fishermen had managed to get
256		Stein Point	9.8m		Mel		on the Barns Rocks and were fishing right over the Woodburn, so we had
257					Mike		a bumble at Stein Point. Quite a few small pollock around and the viz was
258					Ken		about 4m. Some nice walls at this site and reasonably sheltered from the
259					Chris		current . 002
260					Darren		
261	24/08/2015	Great Ouse	25.6m	16c	Chris	CH	Tide perfect with long slack for diving this wreck. Just as well as we were
262					Ken		late and the full boat took longer than planned to get to site. Hit water
263					Angela (V)		on slack but tide was only starting to run when we were coming up. Lots
264					Paul (V)		of fish as usual and 6m viz which was just a little silty after heavy rain.
265					John		Angela and Paul were in area and turned up at the right moment just as I
266					Derek		was getting the boat ready. I topped up the lifting bag before coming up
267		Devil's Bridge	8.8m	17c	Chris		and it was just a bit too bouyant and dragged from wreck. Others had to
268					Angela (V)		come up on DSMBs. Water murky at Devil's Bridge but a warm 17c
269					Paul (V)		Wigtown Bay would have been awful
270	30/08/2015	Cairn Head	17.5m	16c	Mike	CH	Very big tides made for a murky dive with only 3m viz. Water clear at
271					Dean		surface but fast current stirred up bottom sediment. 1st pair stayed in
272					Chris		same place but 2nd went for fast drift, strange when they both entered
273					Elizabeth		water together. Saw spiny starfish, quite uncommon.
274	02/09/2015	Cairn Head	23.6m	16c	Chris	CH	Big tides so went for a drift at Cairn Head. Saw Angler fish and an
275					Derek		aggressive Bull Huss as well as lots of other bottom dwellers. Collected
276					Mike		some scallops and then shot off for a fast drift. Current took us into quite
277					Mel		deep water. Others hardly moved at all as on previous dive.
278		Isle harbour	13.4m		Chris		Searched fruitlessly for a lost lobster keep pot in the harbour entrance.
279					Derek		Though tide was still flooding the current seemed like the harbour was
280			18m		Mike		emptying down a plughole, contrary to what would be expected
281					Mel		
282	06/09/2015	S.S.Riverside	20.5m	16c	Chris	CH	Slightly choppy on way out. Viz on Riverside not at its best at around 4m.
283					Crystal		Toured wreck which was in full flower as plumose anemones were all out.
284					Connor		Connor quite happy on wreck though a little over weight.
285		Cairn Head	12.4m	16c	Chris		Scenic drift northwards. Viz better than on wreck. Saw a big plaice and
286					Crystal		took an enormous crab for Dave. Terrain to north quite interesting and
287					Connor		needs more exploration. OO3, OO4.
288	07/09/2015	ADC 527	35.6m	16c	Chris	CH	Good conditions so dived Landing craft. Shot went right through wreck and
289					Mel		took some getting out. John was filming so we might get good footage.
290					John		Wreck is collapsing at stern and prop shafts no longer stand proud. Found
291		Ducker Rock	10.8m	16c	Chris		lost shot. Some of plates are now wobbly .Mistimed dive but diveable 1.5hr
292					Mel		before LW on a 6.4m tide. Mel freed a lobster pot on second dive and we
293					John		had a photo shoot in the slack water at the site, but running further out.
294	08/09/2015	Great Ouse	25m	16c	Chris	CH	Sea fret cleared at site. Dropped onto wreck with exceptional 9m viz. So
295					Debi		clear and bright it was like being in the Med. Usual shoals of pollock, bib
296					Derek		and wrasses. Three big congers under stern. Ken used his camera for 1st
297					Ken		time. Relocated position of anchor again.
298	15/09/2015	Cairn Head	20.7m	15c	Chris	CH	Had to go in two waves today as we were missing our cox, Dave. Viz about
299					Ken		3.5m. Had a quiet search around and came across a small octopus. Ken
300					Mel		practised with SMB but his reel was awkward to use. Mel and Derek had
301					Derek		a very fast drift almost back to the Woodburn

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302	18/09/2015	Devil's Bridge	10m	16c	Mel	CH	Took advantage of calm weather to fit in a couple of quick dives. The seals
303					Alex		were quite inquisitive and I got the odd glimpse of them under water. Mel
304					Chris		took Alex for his last open water exercise which he performed well. So he
305					Derek		is now signed off as an Ocean Diver. Rod did his first check out dive with
306					Rod		us in a wet suit. He has good buoyancy skills and is quite composed in the
307		S.S.Woodburn	11m	16c	Mel		water. Finished off with a short dive on the Woodburn where Alex found
308					Alex		one of the numbered scallop shells from the treasure hunt and I found an
309					Chris		old Apex diving watch. It must be one of us that lost it but I can't recall
310					Derek		who? 005. Mel thought he saw an octopus on the wreck.
311					Rod		
312	19/09/2015	Cairn Head	20m	15c	Chris	CH	Viz quite reasonable at 4.5m and no current. Saw an octopus again
313					Elizabeth		and had to get Dave a crab, which Darren thankfully found. A feisty beast
314					Darren		which almost had me. Practised controlled ascents and stops.
315	26/09/2015	Stank	18.6m	15c	Chris	CH	Despite big tides hit the site on slack, just after HW. Viz about 4.5m, it
316					Ken		would have been better but for sand in suspension from big tide. Not too
317					Alex		many fish around. Saw tiny blue / white tipped sea slug 1cm long.
318	27/09/2015	Slockenglass	20.4m	15c	Chris	CH	Choppy seas from SE winds but calmer in Luce Bay. Hit water just before
319					Tosh		slack. Derek got good photo of a plaice. Came up to choppy sea and run
320					Phil		back was fun round Burrow Head. Were side swiped by a rogue wave.
321					Derek		Good practice for Dave who drove well. No show by Press photographer!
322	30/09/2015	Cairn Head	20.7m	15c	Derek	CH	Beautiful calm day but one of biggest tides of year. Slack 1.5hrs before
323					Mike		HW but then began to ebb at increasing speed. Drifted almost 1 km
324					Chris		down to Stein Head. Water a bit murky because of tide but about 3m viz.
325					Ken		Derek got some supper but the lobster I found was berried.
326	13/10/2015	Stank	17.8m	14c	Chris	CH	Good viz at about 5m for a scenic dive. Not as many fish around as a few
327					Ken		weeks ago. Not too much of a current but should have dived 30 mins
328					Connor		earlier bang on HW. Finished training exercises with Connor so he is now
329		S.S.Woodburn	9.8m		Chris		qualified as an Ocean Diver OO5
330					Connor		
331	15/10/2015	Cairn Head	18m	14c	Derek	CH	Nice fine day so did a couple of scenic dives with derek's son Gary. He
332					Gary (V)		took some stunning photos on the second dive. Viz about 5m. Hit Luce
333		Stank	17.3m		Chris		Bay 1hour after HW and hit slack as per planner. Just did gentle drift as
334					Gary (V)		current picked up
335	17/10/2015	Capernwray	17.5m	15c	Chris	MS	Mel and Glyn organised a trip to Capernwray. Water surprisingly warm
336					Glyn		at 15c. The car park was packed out being a weekend but it was not too
337					Mel		bad in the water. Saw the sturgeon on our first dive and got some video
338					Alex		footage. The water earlier on was quite clear but viz deteriorated as the
339			17.1m		Chris		day went on.
340					Elizabeth		
341					Mel		
342					Alex		
343			16.8m		Glyn		
344					Chris		
345			16.9m		Elizabeth		
346					Chris		
347	18/10/2015	Capernwray	17.4m	15c	Chris	MS	Had a gentle dive to the far end with Glyn, and our bearings were spot on
348					Glyn		as we navigated to the helicopter and diving bell. Cruised back along the
349					Mel		edge maintaining a constant depth. This was so much easier than in the
350					Elizabeth		sea where tidal streams make things difficult.
351			11.1m		Chris		Mel and I both practised buoyancy control with Elizabeth allowing her to
352					Elizabeth		play around and get used to quickly dumping and inflating her jacket
353					Mel		
354					Glyn		
355	01/11/2015	Rock of Providence >NW	18.2m	13c	Dean	CH	Took advantage of calm spell to get a dive in. Sunny day blotted out by fog.
356					Ken		Arrived at slack (1.5hrs before HW on Springs) but NW current began to
357			14.8m		Chris		develop. Viz only about 1m. Good practise for Ken and Dean. Still a lot of
358					Elizabeth		fish life around and saw what might have been a Lump sucker
359	19/11/2015	Capernwray	18m	11c	Chris	CH	Last ditch attempt to get some dives in as sea has now badly
360					Ken		deteriorated. Gave me opportunity to work on fine tuning Ken's buoyancy.
361					John		There were only a few others there and the viz was very good. Dive 1 was
362			17.6m		Chris		a tour round the southern end and dive 2 we worked on controlled ascents,
363					Ken		later making for the aircraft. Water temp quite reasonable but cold when we
364					John		got out. Changing room a God send.
365	20/11/2015	Capernwray	17.8m	11c	Chris	CH	Dive 1 we went to explore the dive bell and big helicopter. SMB practise
366					Ken		was a mess as SMB barely inflated and a heavy weight to drag around.
367					John		Ken got a bad flood this dive which chilled him to the bone. Dive 2, John
368			20.7m		Chris		practised compass skill and we went on a long tour round most of the
369					John		features at the far side of the quarry
370	26/11/2015	S.S.Woodburn	11.6m	11c	Chris	CH	Probably last dives of season. Sea khaki with less than 1m viz. Lots of
371					Mike		new treasure uncovered. My 100th dive of the year

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