

Agenda

Location: Hybrid – in person at the Aquarium Cafeteria & on Zoom

Attending: Uma Mirani, Greg Hunter, Joy Marzolf, Dan Sprague, Beth Nerney, Dave Cazpiga, Kristi Pike

Not Attending: Rick Rosa, Craig McMannus, Steven Whitford,

13 people attended on zoom

1. New Members

- Erin –daughter works at the aquarium. Has been diving for several years

2. Who's been diving

- Matt – Back Beach. Got 3 lobsters
- Brian – saw the octopus at Fort Weatherall
- Erin – went to the Maldives in March

3. Announcements

- 12/18 meeting is member share and will be remote – email Joy or Uma if want to present
- Dave – 11/30 club dive will be at Nubble

4. Updates from Aquarium Liaison Carmen

- New Tropical gallery exhibit
- 12/5 at 6:30 is a book signing with Susan Casey

5. Elections

- Uma asked current board members to introduce themselves and what they do in their role
- Beth read the slate of candidates
 - President - Uma Mirani
 - Vice President - Greg Hunter
 - Membership Director - Craig McMannus
 - Program Director - Joy Marzolf
 - Secretary - Beth Nerney
 - Environmental Affairs - Dan Sprague
 - Business Manager - Rick Rosa
 - Newsletter Editor - Kristi Pike
 - Webmaster - Steve Whitford
 - Shore Dive Coordinator - Dave Czapiga
 - Boat Dive Coordinator – OPEN POSITION

- Uma asked for additional nominations
- No additional nominations so the nominations were closed
- Launched Online voting poll for any paying members. Greg counted 7 online votes
- In the room – All in favor no one opposed and no on obtaining
- Uma announced the slate of offices for 2025 and thanked everyone for a great year
- Copies of bi laws presented for those in person. Bi laws also available online

6. Main Speaker: Jake Stout

- Presented his photography “Under Freshwater in New England”

Meeting Adjourned: 8:20 PM

