

- MARCH MEETING** - Thursday, March 8, Red Cross Building, 426 N. Jefferson at 7:30 p.m. Bob Rush, who last year screened an interesting film of his travels in Georgian Bay, will return as guest speaker. This time his film covers a trip to the Bahamas aboard that big, beautiful yacht of his...should be a welcome sight to our winter-weary eyes. On the Business Agenda; Discussion and committee appointment for a life-saving and first aid program for the club. Tentative plans are to hold this for March, April and May pool periods and April, May club meetings. This will be valuable for every diver member...it could save a life. Also on the agenda:- Possible dues raise, reasons and need for this to be presented for your consideration.
- NEW MEMBERS** - Application for membership in the Explorers have been presented by Miss Elaine Barber of Bay City and Vincent Weiler of Saginaw. Both are recent graduates of the Saginaw Y diving class and have been OKed by your Bof D They will be present at the March meeting for your approval for admittance into the club.
- S.U.E. ON MSDC** - Attendance at the Michigan Skin Diving Council meeting in Lansing last month by our club reps resulted in the election of George Morley to the Board of Directors of the Council. We are the first out-state club to achieve this and it's to our advantage for many reasons. Out-state clubs have had little voice in Council activities in the past...but that is no longer true. We're known now...but we've got to live up to it. This means showing up in force at some of the council dives, especially the Higgin's Lake Treas-~~ure~~-Rama - where we will have the opportunity to prove that we have as good divers as Detroit...and we have!
- BANQUET BEST** - 61 members and guests made the scene at the annual banquet. MC Bruce B. sparked the action - Fred Davis made Diver of the Year, congratulations to Fearless Fred on this - Bob Brassuer's mother did a fine and versatile job of entertaining (Bob keeps his talent hidden..) Dick Davis and wife Millie in attendance as guests of honor - Banquet gets bigger and better every year - we're a good group, we are.
- ACTIVITIES** - Diving action slow or not at all for most members but rugged Explorers Pat Tunney, John Garner, Jim Wolf and Jim Wagnor have made a couple of ice dives off Tawas. One dive was made in 8 below weather...cool, huh? Ice and slush barred the way to clear water but they dood it anyway. Al and Marion Christian just back from week-long ski trip to Canada and in good condition - Dick and Sally Heineman now in Canada doing the same thing for a week. Recent fast week end trip of Bruce Beckert, Jim Collins and Dick Heineman to Crystal River, Florida a success - sea cows and caves the high points of the trip. Explorer John Dietrich now with the U.S. Navy Last word on Big Bad John was a bout of pneumonia at Great Lakes - hope he is ship shape again.
- REMEMBER.** . . . sell, sell, sell those Stan Waterman tickets - posters available from George Morley. Next pool period - Thursday, March 22, 7:30 p.m -Saginaw High - Air available, 6 to 7 before pool period.
- GEAR FOR SALE** - If you have and would like it listed here, call Don McLellan, 793-1847 ...and any news that you have, give us a buzz on it...new babies, diving, facts, jokes....we can't operate without your help.

SEE YOU AT THE MEETING,,,WET-BACKS....

