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Swimsuit Issue!

Club Meetings-
7:30pm on the 2d Tues
of each month. Held at
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Club Dues-
\$25 per year

next meeting: May 11

This Meeting- 13th



Swimsuit of the year

Club Festival!

Shipwreck Show!

This Saturday (3d) at SVSU. Doors open
to you at 3pm.

Inside....

Club Banquet Report

DOTY '04 Award

Club Pool Swim

FS Mall Cart

Pres Comments

And Featuring 50

Bikini Babes!

* Support Our Troops!*

*also selected short
subjects*

Awards Banquet/Club Potluck/Social Event

The banquet provided a fine needed break to the winter, as it was held last month at the Cunninghams. Hosted by Don and Georgia Cunningham, it was well attended by about 20 people. The attendees brought a great selection of food to share, everyone got their fill. And Mike brought some delicious gelatin things that made you want another. And another. After the eating was done, and some fine conversation was shared, the Diver of the Year Award was presented to Mike Peterson. Mike graciously and modestly accepted. (hey; who left the balloons outside?)



The host keeping the food line moving. (Thanks, Don and Georgia)



Mike P after receiving the '04 DOTY award (and before the Yackemeister)



Who says Mike can't embarrass Laurie L.?



Terry wearing a historic T-shirt (note the helmet)

Final '04 Pool Swim

This was the last chance to fine-tune your gear before the cold water! Had a good turnout at the YWCA pool, and another chance to use Terry's hard diving helmet. The helmet had a history with the U.S. Navy; it's official ID is Morse MKXII SSSD. If you'd like more info on it, check online at <http://www.divingheritage.com/modernmorse.htm> We even got Elizabeth, the YWCA lifeguard, interested in the helmet But not interested enough to try it on. Terrific wind the day of the last pool swim; much more comfortable than out on the lake!



Terry gearing up for Mike



Elizabeth the lifeguard guarding Mike and Terry

Mike the Pres has agreed to accept the role of dive coordinator until another soul is found. Ask Mike about volunteering to do a Haithco Park clean-up sometime this summer. FYI, VIP's will not be done this April due to lack of activity. It will be performed in May & June.



Club Cart @ FS Mall

As promised, Mike did get the club a display cart set up in the main corner of the mall. Club members took turns manning the cart; meeting the public, answering questions, and advertising the festival. We got a lot of interest, and some potential new members.

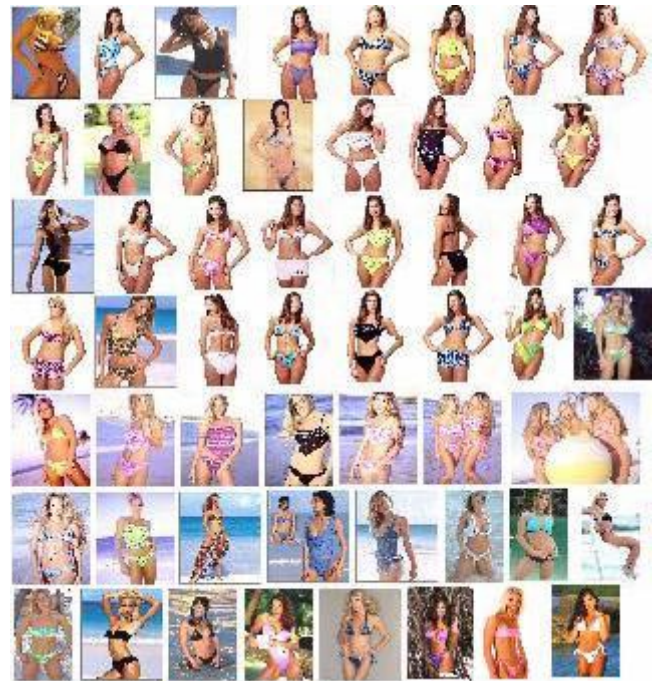


Tom & Don manning the display cart



Activity at main mall intersection

And here they are! As promised! 50 (count 'em) beautiful swimsuit subjects frolicking on the beach, cavorting in the sand, soaking up the sun!



-posted April 1...

'04 EVENT CALENDAR

- Apr 3 Dive Show @ SVSU
- 13 Club Meeting
- 14-19 Florida Road Trip
- May 11 Club Meeting- Divers Berth
- 14-18 SE Lk Michigan Dive Trip
- Jun 5-6 Lk Erie Dive Trip
- 8 Club Meeting
- 11-14 N Carolina Dive Trip
- 25-27 Alpena Dive Trip
- Jul 13 Club Meeting & Picnic (Peterson's)
- 23-26 Whitefish Pointe Dive Trip
- Aug 10 Club Meeting (another Picnic!)
- 20-23 Straights of Mackinaw Trip
- Sep 9-12 Tobermoray Dive Trip
- 14 Club Meeting
- Oct 12 Club Meeting
- TBA Pumpkin Carve Dive
- Nov 9 Club Meeting
- Dec 14 Club Meeting
- TBA Christmas Party

How's your Draft?

Lake Huron's water level is currently 4" above last years reading, and is predicted to be 6" above last year by July.

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