

Present: B.Lawrence, R.Jarmain, G.Prosser, A.Scafturis, J.Watson, S.Dale,
J.Baxter, V.Collingwood - no apologies.

1. Meeting commenced at 5.30 pm - minutes of previous meeting read and accepted.
2. Matters arising
 - a) Article submitted by R.J. has appeared in 'Maritzburg Views' - bad editing.
 - b) Rubber stamp purchased from Speedy's
 - c) D.Overbeek pleased with invitation to come down for a weekend - will get back to us.
 - d) No replies from other Centres re sales of bumper stickers.
 - e) Last meeting of Centre at ICFR successful - problems with delivery of videos sorted out - many thanks to ICFR for use of facilities.
3. Membership
 - a) No response as yet from defaulters
 - b) Ron Dale still not too good.
4. Correspondence
 - a) ASSA Council minutes - National Symposium of Astronomy postponed until 1992.
5. Treasurer's Report

Balance on hand R 786-80
6. Planning

May 15/5/91	- one week later due to public holidays
	- viewing evening at Collingwoods - general viewing.
June 12/6/91	- visit to Natal Centre confirmed with S.Calvert
	- J.W. to ratify date, venue and time
July 10/7/91	- A.G.M.
	- need to finalise plans re venue, programme etc
	- refreshments ? (pasta party again ?)
7. Library

Nothing to report of great significance.
8. Instruments
 - a) Centre's 6" reflector now with R.Manning - mirror scratched, eyepieces missing, finderscope out of alignment - G.P. suggested rebuilding it by regrinding to a shorter focal length and using simple Dobsonian mount - A.S. to institute control procedures for lending it out to members.
 - b) Project Palomar - no further progress
9. General
 - a) Mike Radford (Colenso) looking for a telescope - advert in 'Stardust'.
 - b) J.W. to give talk to Std 6 pupils at St John's D.S.G.
 - c) Natal Soc Library display on 13 July 1991.

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