



CENCAL BOD MINUTES

JANUARY 29, 2025

7:30 pm Carol Rose, Secretary 3mcircle@gmail.com

1.0 Welcome and Introductions

1.1 Present: Carol Rose, Larry Ankuda

2.0 Membership: CenCal as of January 29, 2025

CenCal = 7
USOA = 5

3.0 Finances – Larry Ankuda, Treasurer

3.1 Balances as of January 29, 2025 \$ 13,921

General Fun \$ 793.00

Income \$ 98.00

Expenses \$ 0

Skin Spear \$ 10,277

Legal Defense \$ 3,000.00

3.2 Budget 2025 –

3.2.1 Scholarship \$1000

3.2.2 Other: po box rent, zoom, website

3.3 Scholarship – 2025 year

3.3.1 info and promotion – See website cencal.org

4.0 UW Hockey –

4.1 Club Puck playing weekly at Fremont High School **in** Sunnyvale

5.0 UW Rugby –

5.1 playing Mt View, Albany

5.2 Nationals 2025 June 7-8 Newark NJ

6.0 UW Photography –

6.1 SHOOTOUT August 22-24, 2025

7.0 Skin Spearfishing –

7.1 2025 National Championships

7.1.1 CenCal has 2 teams going to Skin Spear Nationals – 1 men and 1 women

7.1.2 April 11, Lake Pleasant, AZ, boat based

7.1.3. Fish: striped bass, carp and shad – no limits

7.2 World Championships November 21-24 - Brazil

8.0 Old Business

8.1 **Sea Otter** translocation -NO known/proposed plans/no updates

8.2 **MPAs/Changes** – 124 MPAs in California with 80+ petitions for changes to the current MPAs. Most petitions are specific to a MPA.

8.3 **Red Abalone Recovery Plan**: anticipated to take two years (2024-2026). 2014-2016 marine heat wave caused a rapid/massive kelp forest decline: abalone staple food decline, lack of nutrient storage & decline in species diversity.

8.4 **KRMP/ Kelp Restoration & Management Plan** – CDFW, with California Ocean Protection Council (OPC), developing a statewide, ecosystem-based, adaptive and KRMP for giant kelp and bull kelp.

9.0 New Business –

9.1 Coastal Cleanup - 2025 September 20, 2025

9.2 California Dept Fish & Wildlife Commission Meeting – Sacramento

PETITIONS FOR ACTION TODAY: voted against 2024-10 and 2024-12

Consider whether to grant, deny or refer for additional review, petitions for regulation change received at previous meetings. Petitions granted today will be added to the Commission's rule making calendar for development and future consideration. (Pursuant to Section 662)

II. Petition 2024-10: Request to amend recreational fishing regulations to add use of a hookah and airlift system to collect urchins

III. Petition 2023-12 – Request to allow unlimited recreational take of purple and red sea urchins in ten counties (Humboldt to Santa Barbara.)

10.0 Next meeting – March 26, 2025 7:30 pm

Carol Rose, Secretary

meet odd months **last** Wednesday

January

CALENDAR 2025

January 2025

Jan 29 Lunar New Year

Jan 29 CenCal Meeting – 5th Wednesday

February

Feb 2 Ground Hog Day

Feb 12-13 Cal Dept Fish & Wildlife Meeting

Feb 14 Valentine's Day

Feb 17 Presidents Day Holiday

March

March 1 First Night Ramadan

March 5 Ash Wednesday

March 8-9 Orange Cnty Cup UW Hockey Irvine CA

March 9 Daylight Savings

March 13 Marine Resources Comm Meeting

March 15-16 Boston Sea Rovers Dive Show

March 15-16 UW Rugby Tournament – Boston

March 15-16 UW Hockey Tourn of Universe Key Largo FL

March 17 St Pats Day

March 26 CenCal Meeting

March 28-30 Beneath the Sea Dive Show

March 30 Ramadan Ends

April

April 5 Eugene Potluck UW Hockey Eugene OR

April 9 Skin Spearfishing Comm & Rules Meeting

April 11 Skin Spear Nationals Lake Pleasant AZ

April 12 Victoria Potluck UW Hockey Victoria BC

April 13	Palm Sunday
April 18	Good Friday
	Paul Revere Ride
April 20	Easter
	Orthodox Easter
	Passover Ends
April 22	Earth Day
April 26-27	Lucky Florida Cup, UW Hockey, Orlando FL
May	
May 4	May the Fourth Be With You
May 5	Cinco de Mayo
May 11	Mothers Day
May 17-18	NW Club Cup UW Hockey St Helenes OR
May 23-25	Fin Swimming World Cup Coral Springs FL
<i>May 26</i>	<i>Memorial Day</i>
May 28	CenCal Meeting
May 31-June 1	Scuba Show, Long Beach
June	
June 7-8	UW Rugby Nationals, Newark NJ
June 8	Oceans Day
June 14	Flag Day
June 15	Fathers Day
June 19	Cal Dept Fish & Wildlife Meeting
June 20-22	UW Hockey Nat Championships Denver
July	
<i>July 4</i>	<i>Independence Day</i>

July 14 Marine Resources Committee Meeting

July 30 CenCal Meeting – 5th Wednesday

August

August 2-3 Portland 3v3 UW Hockey Portland OR

August 7+ World Games/Fin Swimming, Colombia

August 15-20 Americas Qualifier UW Hockey, Colombia

September

Sept 1 Labor Day

Sept 23 Rosh Hashanah

Sept 24 CenCal Meeting

October

Oct 2 Yom Kippur

Oct 4 USOA Annual Membership Meeting – Virtual

Oct 13 Indigenous People Day

November

Nov 2 Daylight Off

Nov 11 Election Day

Nov 6 Marine Resources Comm Meeting

Nov 11 Veterans Day

Nov 11-14 DEMA – Orlando FL

Nov 21-24 Skindiving Spear Worlds Brazil

Nov 26 Move CenCal Meeting Move to December 3

Nov 27 Thanksgiving Day

December

Dec 3 CenCal Meeting

Dec 7 Pearl Harbor Day

Dec 11	Cal Dept Fish & Wildlife Commission Meeting
Dec 15	Hanukkah
<i>Dec 25</i>	<i>Christmas Day</i>
Dec 26	Kwanzaa Begins