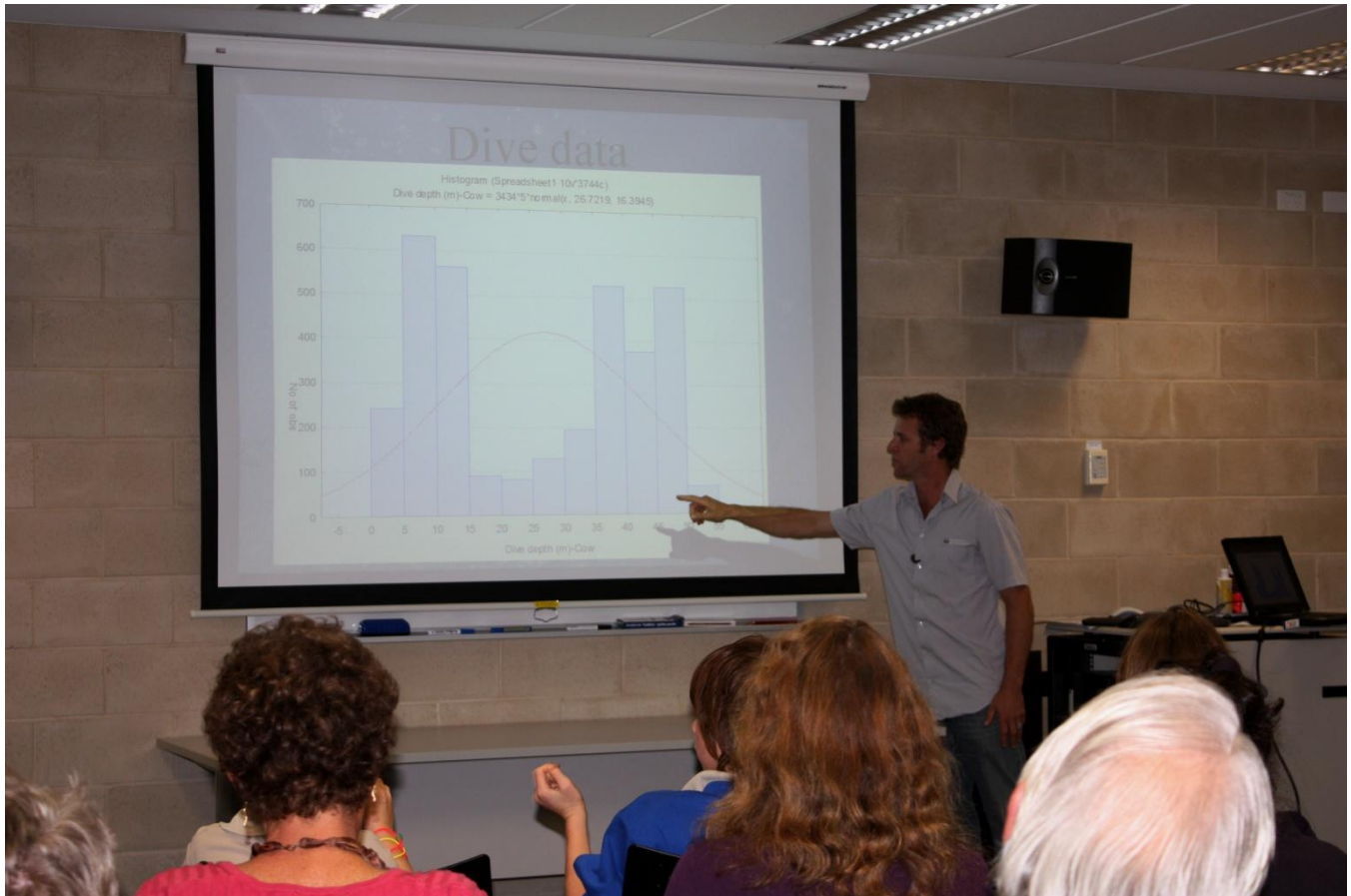




# 2011 Coastal Conversations Series - Session 4

## KASAP<sup>1</sup> survey report – ‘Australian Sea Lions’



**Picture 1: Dr Richard Campbell presenting on Australian Sea Lions at Batavia Coast Maritime Institute on June 8 (2011) in Geraldton.**

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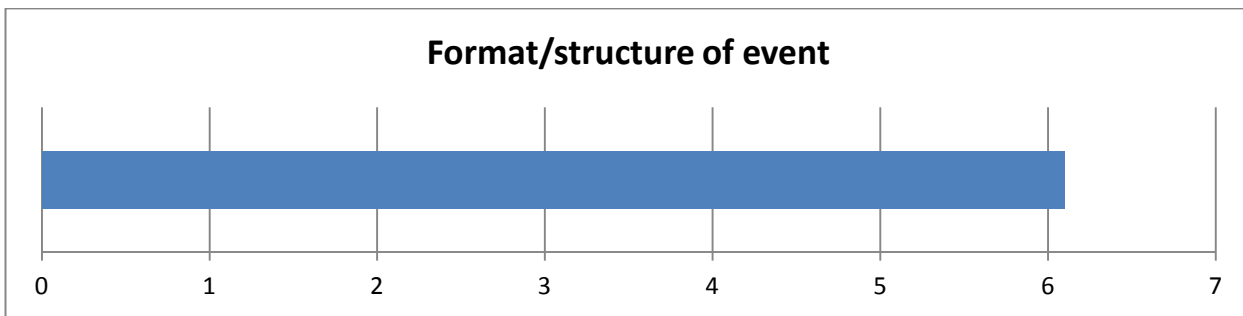
<sup>1</sup> KASAP stands for Knowledge, Attitudes, Skills, Aspirations and Practices.



42 respondents filled in a survey, but not all respondents filled in all questions.

The Coastal Conversations Series 4 was both held in Geraldton and Jurien Bay. 26 respondents from Geraldton filled in a survey and 16 from Jurien Bay.

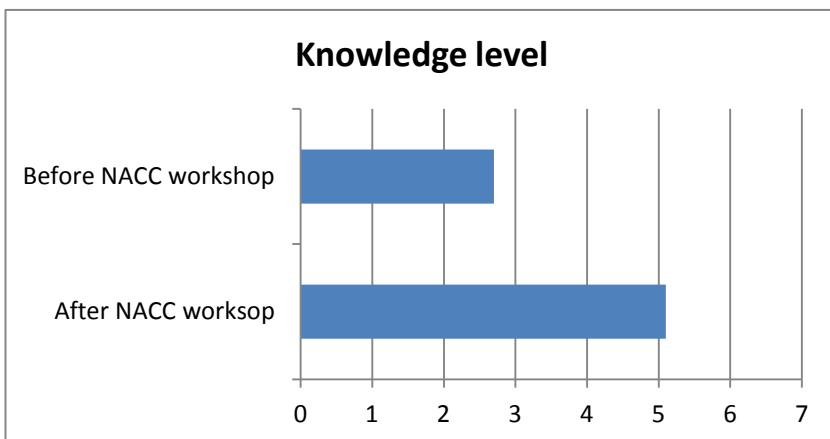
**Question 1: How do you rate the format/structure of this event?**



41 respondents answered this question. Most respondents rated the format/structure of the workshop as very good. Comments were:

- Knowledge and presentations very good.
- Very interesting.

**Question 2: Please indicate your knowledge level on local sea lion population movements, human impacts on sea lion populations, and potential impacts of climate change on sea lions:**

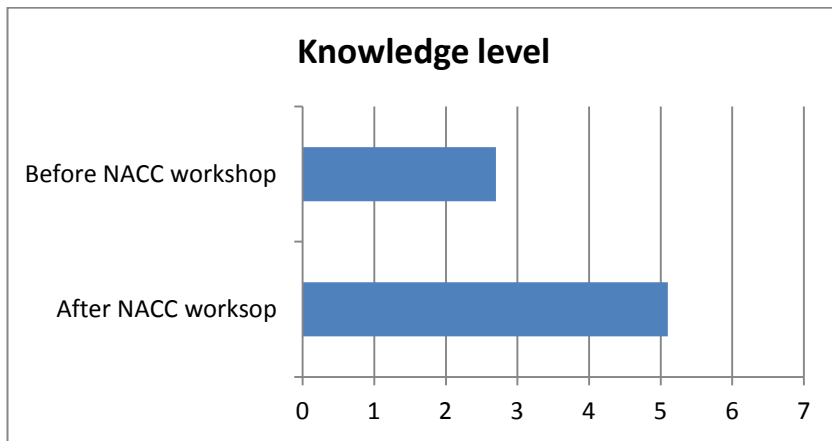




41 respondents answered this question. They indicated a  $(5.7 - 2.5) / 5.7 * 100\% \approx 56\%$  increase in knowledge. Comments were:

- It's great.
- I knew zilch!

**Question 3: Please indicate your knowledge level on local solutions for reducing our impacts on sea lions:**



41 respondents answered this question. They indicated a  $(5.3 - 2.3) / 5.3 * 100\% \approx 57\%$  increase in knowledge. One comment was:

- The cray pot trappings were a surprise.

**Question 4: What was the one thing you enjoyed most about this event?**

36 respondents answered this question and their feedback is summarized below:

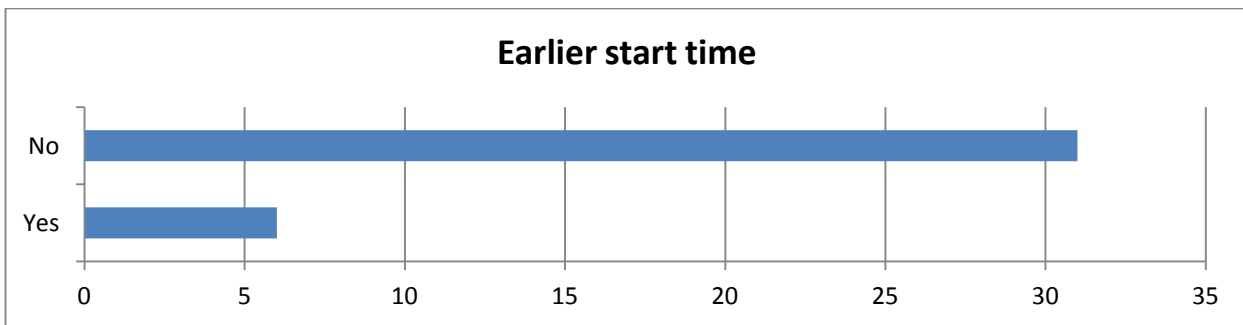
- Dr. Campbell's style of presentation - very easy to listen to a great graphics in PowerPoint. Very knowledgeable and engaging. (10)
- Interesting, didn't know much about sea lions, learnt a lot. (5)
- Pictures and relevance of subject. (4)



- Found the whole evening very interesting. (4)
- Easy to understand and comfortable. (3)
- Opportunity to ask questions. The topic is very interesting as well. Great food. (3)
- All the new information. (2)
- The explanation on how seals live. (2)
- Collaboration between the fishing/marine industries to provide data and promote conservation. (2)
- Visual sea lion catching lobster in craypot.
- New inventions - progress.
- Very friendly people.
- Well delivered.
- Movies. It was very interesting, very to the point.
- Imparted knowledge on sea lions.
- Learning about my community and its natural fauna.

**Question 5: Would you have preferred an earlier start time and/or later finish time?**

37 respondents answered this question.



Comments were:

- Start 5pm, finish 7pm
- Time was perfect for me, thank you.
- Good timing.
- 5pm, but would come anytime.
- Before or after evening meal is good.



- 6.30 pm
- Only earlier because I travel far and have to drive home late.
- 6pm

### **Question 6: Other comments:**

17 respondents answered this question.

- Forums of this nature are significantly important because they keep the whole community informed about issues that are of importance to their environment.
- Coastal team rock!!
- Very interesting and enjoyable session (5).
- Very informative - we are still learning.
- Great presentation as always. (4)
- Thanks you and keep it up.
- Very good presentation of research data.
- Well spoken, easy to follow and very to the point. Wonderful presentation!!!
- Excellent.
- Thank you!