ORANGE COUNTY AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
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Web Site Http://www.w6ze.org

The Prez Sez:

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March is the last month to renew your dues and to stay current. If you have not
renewed by the end of March you will not receive the April “RF”. Our renewals at the
present time are approx 50% of last year’s membership. Please get your dues in ASAP
to the membership chairman(Lowell Burnett). Now don’t be afraid to part with the loot, because
Lowell has premised to forward the money to the Treasurer. By the way dues are now
$20/yr.

The membership chairman is asking that everyone at the meeting is wearing some
form of ID with name and call. If you forget you club badge get a paper stick-on at the
door.

Blue paper stick-on is for members and Red stick-on for guests. Remember that every
Red badge is a potential member. Make this person part of the group, don’t let them
stand in the corner feeling like an outsider. Also if you do not have a permanent badge
get with Lowell to set one up.

In prior years we had a extra incentive at the meeting’s and that was “MR. RF”
who would be secretly designated prior to each meeting. Any interest in this returning
to our meeting? Details can be worked out at the General Meeting.

The March meeting speaker will be our own very knowledged member Frank Smith
(WA6VKZ). He has a special talk on ------

A class on TOPO reading. He was really stern when I was advised to notify “ALL THE
OLD FOGGIES” To please bring your own magnifier(the one with the light)
BOARD OF DIRECTORS 1999

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RF Editor..........Bud Barkhurst.......WA6VPP........774-6361
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ARRL Liaison.......Frank Smith.........WA6VKZ........838-3180
ARRL Award Managers...Larry Beilin...K6VDP.........557-7217
                        Art Dillon......KE6WOX........997-2078

DUES

Regular Members.....$15.00  Additional Members.......$7.50ea
Teenage Members.....$ 6.00  Optional Club Badge......$5.00ea
Dues for new members are pro-rated quarterly from January First
each year. Family members must reside at the address of a
regular member. Only one RF is sent per household.
Don't Miss the Fun!

The 5th Semi-Annual

W6ZE

NOT SO DX-PEDITION

Save

the Weekend of April
23, 24 & 25, 1999

Location Will Be
El Mirage Dry Lake
L.A. County

- No digging holes required!!!
- Wire antennas are good.
- No real organization.
- You can sleep-in mornings.
- You can sleep all night.
- Outhouses available.
- Campfire nightly (bring wood)
- About 7 miles to Motels and cafes in Adelanto

Tents, campers, trailers, motorhomes are encouraged.

Need Info?
Telephone Larry K6LDC at (714) 636-4345
or Art KE6WOX at (714) 997-2078
Orange County Amateur Radio Club  
PO Box 3454  
Tustin, CA 92781  
1999 Application / Renewal

Date: __________

Name: __________________________  Call: __________________________

Class: Novice  Tech  Tech Plus  General  Advanced  Extra

Address: ________________________________________________________

Phone: __________________________ OK to Publish in Roster? Yes No

Are you an ARRL Member? Yes No

Dues: (Prorated Quarterly from January for New Members only)

  Member ( $15.00/ YR. ................. $ __________
  Family Member ( $7.50/ YR. .............. $ __________

Name: __________________________
Call: __________________________
Class: __________________________

Family Member ( $7.50/ YR. .............. $ __________

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Call: __________________________
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Total Dues: ......................... $ __________
ARRL Membership ................ $ __________

Badge ( $5.00) ....................... $ __________

Total Amount Paid .................. $ __________

Treasurer Processed _________  Membership Processed _________

On-line Address: ____________________________________________

Would you like to have a copy of the RF Mailed ______?

How did you hear about our club? ______________________________________
1999 ARRL Southwestern Division Convention
Long Beach, CA, October 1-3, 1999 at
The Queen Mary

Sponsored by HAMCON, Inc.

Convention site: The Queen Mary (at south end of I-710)
1126 Queens Highway
Long Beach, CA 90802

Special Hotel Rates Starting at $26: Call 562-435-3511 and mention HAMCON

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Badge Information (Print or Type)
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Name__________________________Call_________
Address___________________________

City__________________________State______Zip______

Make checks payable to: HAMCON, Inc.
Free admission to Youngsters, 16 years and under accompanied by an adult.

Mail this form and check to: HAMCON 1999
P.O. Box 17864
Long Beach, CA 90807

For additional information, call Nate Brightman, K6OSC, at (562) 427-5123

CHECK#________Amount_________Pin Given Y__N__Call of person taking Reg______
1999 Orange County Fair

Amateur Radio Booth Sponsored by OCCARO

Orange County Council of Amateur Radio Organizations
Friday July 9 Through Sunday July 25

CQ CQ CQ, This is Special Event Station W6F Calling, CQ CQ CQ! Join the fun work 10, 15, 20 or 40 Meters, See how many contacts we can make during the fair!

Work a High Tech Booth!

Pick Your Shifts So You Can See The Fair!

Free Admission and Parking Just for Volunteering!

Invite Unaffiliated Amateurs to a Local Club Meeting.

Come Meet the Public, Introduce Them to Amateur Radio:
Orange County Clubs Classes V.E. Testing

Have Your Organization or Club Sign Up Early and Sponsor a Day at the Fair!

To Volunteer and/or for more information call: Marola Bruno, N6JSW Home: 714-775-6095 Work: 714-842-5302

Saluting Gold & Grain

Join the Rush to the Orange County Fair
Meeting was called to order at 8:30 a.m. by President, Bud, WA6VPP

All board members present except Larry, K6LDC

Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer, Publicity, Technical: No Report

Membership: 37 total membership, 5 renewals

Activities: Now accepting suggestions for raffle prizes.

Old Business, New Business: None

Good of the Club: EDS Cypress VE test by Larry, K6VDP & Larry, K5LDC

Motion to adjourn made at 8:45 a.m., Motion: Cory, KE6WIU, Second Lowell, KQ6JD

Respectively submitted,

Cory Terando, KE6WIU
Secretary
## CLUB NETS

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(Listen for W6ZE, Net Control) *Plus or Minus QRM

### General Meeting
General Meeting is the third Friday of each month, 7.30P.M. AMERICAN RED CROSS facilities.

- March 19th
- April 16th
- May 21st

Major cross streets: Fourth Street and Tustin Ave.
Talk-in frequency is 146.550 MHZ, simplex

### Board Breakfast
Board Meeting is the first Saturday of each month, 8.00 A.M. COCO'S RESTURANT....... Members are urged to attend and Visitors are welcome.

- April 3rd
- May 1st
- June 5th

Exit the 55 FWY at Lincoln Ave., West to Tustin Ave., Left on Tustin, Restaurant is on the East Side. (Across from Ford Agcy)

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P.O. Box 3454
Tustin, Ca., 92781

First Class Mail

To:

Your Personal Copy

Time Dated Material
PLEASE RUSH

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COMING EVENTS
March 19th TOPO Maps by Frank WA6VKZ
Apr. 10-11 Baker to Vegas
Apr. 23-25 'Not so DX-pedition
June 26-27 Annual Amateur Radio Field Day