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ORANGE COUNTY AMATEUR RADIO CLUB

P.O. BOX 95, ORANGE, CALIF. 92668

**** FEBRUARY PROGRAM ****

Ken Andrews, WA6SMB, from Techtronics is coming to visit us with his spectrum analyzer. There will be a short VCR on spectrum analyzing and everybody gets a kit on narrow band FM. There will also be prizes for the cleanest and dirtiest HT. This sounds like it will be a lot of fun for all! Tie a string around your finger or whatever it is you do to remind yourself of something, so you won't forget your HT.

**** MARCH PROGRAM ****

Ever wonder why we have WARC meetings and the I. T. U??? Think there's a lot of QRM in and out of the bands? Come to our meeting on March 16 and hear M/Sgt. Johnson, Communications Officer MWCS 38 El Toro, explain frequency management and the use of the radio spectrum. After hearing M/Sgt. Johnson, we should appreciate our ham bands a whole lot more.

We'll be looking forward to seeing you all at these two important meetings.

1983 BOARD

President.....	KA6IMP	Chris Breller	651-3911
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MEETINGS

THIRD FRIDAY OF EACH MONTH 7:30 PM

MERCURY SAVINGS and LCAN BUILDING
1095 IRVINE BLVD.
TUSTIN, CA.
(100 Yards east of Newport Blvd. intersection)

CLUB NETS

<u>DAY</u>	<u>TIME</u>	<u>BAND</u>	<u>MODE</u>	<u>FREQ</u>
TUESDAY	7:00 PM	10M	SSB	28.775
WEDNESDAY	7:00 PM	15M	CW	21.175
WEDNESDAY	8:00 PM	15M	SSB	21.375
WEDNESDAY	9:00 PM	2M	FM	146.550

Look for W6ZE

CLUB BREAKFAST

Date: First Saturday of each Month
Time: 8:00 AM

Location: MIMI'S CAFE
(just east of 17th St. and 55-FWY)
17231 17TH Street
Tustin, Ca.
544-5522

BOARD MEETING MINUTES

February 05, 1984

Officers in attendance: KA6IMP, W6IBP, W6HHC, W6MIL, W6IBR, AF6C,
WB6LAR, N6JSV

Meeting opened at 3:21 P.M.

1. TREASURERS REPORT: \$1,500 on hand plus dues received. A complete financial report will be submitted as soon as the end of year (1983) report is submitted by the out going treasurer.
2. The Secretary (W6MIL) was directed to give Kei, W6NGO a letter authorizing him to dispose of the broken generator and return any monies less any expenses to the club treasurer.
3. Field Day plans were discussed and it was decided that sign-up sheets and band captains be appointed no later than the March meeting. A Field Day location is still under discussion.
4. Questionnaires are going to be mailed out to ex club members using a 1980 club roster. Returns are starting to come in.
5. A schedule for forthcoming activities, both social and ham was presented by Chris, KA6IMP and will be published in a upcoming RF.
6. Report on the Novice class was given. Presently there are 20 students enrolled with a possibility of a few more at the second meeting on Feb.11th.
7. Insurance for the club is due for renewal in March. The possibility of changing carriers was discussed because of lower premium. Board appointed Ken, W6HHC to check and compare coverages and premiums.

Meeting closed at 4:22 P.M.

***** PREZ SEZ *****

Dear Amateur,

As the new president of the Orange County Amateur Radio Club, I am looking forward to serving the club during 1984. I have noticed over the last few years that membership has fallen off and interest in club activities has declined.

I hope to reverse these trends, but in order to do this I need some information from both past and present club members. The enclosed questionnaire will hopefully provide me with some insight into your ideas and interests in general as well as in amateur radio.

Please take a little time and fill out this questionnaire and return it in the self addressed stamped envelope provided. The questionnaire is fairly straight forward, but if you have any questions please feel free to call me at the numbers listed below.

Thank you for your time and I look forward to working with you to improve the Orange County Amateur Radio Club.


Chris Breller
KA6IMP

MCAS El Toro
(714) 651-3360 Work
(714) 651-3911 Rm. #4 Home

P. S. As you can see, there is no self-addressed stamped envelope but we do expect to see you at this month's meeting, so please bring the questionnaire with you.

Chris

HOW MANY OCARC MEETINGS DID YOU ATTEND IN THE LAST 2 YEARS?

DO YOU BELONG TO ANY OTHER AMATEUR/ELECTRONICS CLUBS?

IF SO, WHICH ONES?

WHY DO THESE OTHER CLUBS APPEAL TO YOU?

WHEN DO THESE OTHER CLUBS HOLD MEETINGS?

HOW MANY MEETINGS BY CLUB HAVE YOU ATTENDED IN THE LAST 2 YEARS?

WHAT CLASS LICENSE DO YOU HOLD?

WHAT INTERESTS/HOBBIES DO YOU HAVE?

OF THE ABOVE, WHICH ONES OCCUPY THE MAJORITY OF YOUR LEISURE TIME?

OF THE TIME SPENT IN AMATEUR RADIO, WHAT PERCENTAGE OCCUPIES
THE FOLLOWING AREAS?

PHONE _____ CW _____ RTTY _____

WHAT PERCENTAGE OF AMATEUR RADIO ACTIVITIES IS SPENT IN THE
FOLLOWING AREAS?

RAG CHEWING _____ DX _____ NETS _____

PUBLIC SERVICE _____ CONTESTING _____

TRAFFIC HANDLING _____ OTHER(List) _____

HOW MANY HOURS PER MONTH DO YOU SPEND ON THE FOLLOWING BANDS?

HF _____ 2M _____ 220 _____

OTHER (List) _____

ARE YOU STILL ACTIVE IN OCARC?

IF NOT, WHY ARE YOU NO LONGER A MEMBER?

WHAT KIND OF PRESENTATIONS WOULD YOU LIKE TO SEE AT CLUB
MEETINGS?

WHAT ACTIVITIES HAS THE CLUB SPONSORED IN THE PAST THAT YOU ENJOYED?

DISLIKED?

WHAT ACTIVITIES WOULD YOU LIKE TO SEE THE CLUB DO IN THE FUTURE?

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS?

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