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### The Prez Sez.....

by Tim N6GP



### Happy New Year 2017!

But – many of us who operate in the HF bands are depressed with the lack of sunspots, and the knowledge we won't hit the bottom of the cycle for several years. If you want to contact Europe on 10 meters in 2017, forget about it!

What can we do to enjoy this wonderful hobby of ours with this drought of sunspots? Lots of things! There is a lot of fun to be had without sunspots: Try out meteor scatter using K1JT's new mode MSK144. EME (Earth Moon Earth) does not need sunspots. 6 Meters using Sporadic E is great fun in June and July. Try out some of the new digital

modes on HF, like JT65, which effectively adds 10db to your signal. Or try something new in public service, like helping out with the Baker to Vegas race in March. Have a project sitting on the bench you haven't gotten to? Now is the time! The beginning of the new year is also a good time to look over your "go kit", in case there are any disasters later in the year.

Speaking of disaster preparedness, our speaker for January, Brenda Emrick from Costa Mesa Fire Dept is a world renowned speaker in the area of Emergency Preparedness and CERT teams. Last year China sent a delegation of their emergency workers over here to hear her speak. She has spoken at other local clubs to rave reviews. This would be a aood program brina to spouses, family members and friends.

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2017 "Club Dues are DUE" !!!

### **Next General Meeting**

The next OCARC General meeting presentation is titled "Emergency Preparedness in your Community"

By Brenda Emrick KI6EXL

The next General Meeting will be on:

#### Friday, January 20th, 2017 @ 7:00 PM

ENTER from the WEST SIDE entrance of the Red Cross Building, Room 208 Take elevator to the 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor. See you there!

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#### **Monthly Events:**

#### **General Meeting:**

Third Friday of the month at 7:00 PM held at: American Red Cross 600 Parkcenter Drive Santa Ana, CA (Near Tustin Ave. & 4<sup>th</sup> St.)

#### Club Breakfast (Board Mtg.):

Normally First Saturday of month at 8am Marie Callender's Restaurant 1821 North Grand Ave Santa Ana, CA (Between 17<sup>th</sup> & Santa Clara)

#### Club Nets (Listen for W6ZE):

28.375 ± MHz SSB Wed- 7:30 PM - 8:30 PM Bob AF6C, Net Control

146.55 MHz Simplex FM Wed- 8:30 PM - 9:30 PM Bob, WB6IXN, Net Control

7.086 ± MHz CW **OCWN** Sun- 9:00 AM – 10 AM Ann K6OIO, Net Control



#### Club Dues for 2017:

Regular/New Members\* - - - - - \$30 Family renewal/Join\*\*- - - - - \$45 New Member Join Jul-Dec\*\*\*- - - \$15 Replacement Badge\*\*\*\* - - - - - \$3

\* New members Jan-Jun, w/badge.

\*\* Two members or more, w/badge.

\*\*\* New members Jul-Dec, w/badge.

\*\*\*\* There is a \$1.50 charge if you'd like to have your badge mailed to you.



# Request for Bouvet DXpedition-2018 Financial Support

An experienced DXpedition team of 20 operators are in the advanced planning stages of a DXpedition to Bouvet Island ( $3Y\emptyset Z$ ). The DXpedition is scheduled for early 2018. This DXpedition may be the most expensive DXpedition ever! Bouvet Island is known as "The Most Isolated Island on Earth", and is currently ranked #2 on the ClubLog's "most wanted" list.

The DXpedition leaders are: Erling – LA6VM, Bob – K4UEE, and Ralph – KØIR. This is the same leadership team that brought you 3YØX-Peter I Island, K5D-Desecheo Island, HKØNA- Malpelo Island, FT5ZM-Amsterdam Island and, most recently, K1N-Navassa Island.

We have an extraordinary international team of 20 operators. These team members collectively have been part of scores of DXpeditions and have handed out an amazing 4,600,000 QSOs. The Antarctic and harsh climate experience of this team includes Heard Island, South Sandwich (twice) South Georgia (twice), the South Orkneys, and Peter I (twice). Non-Antarctic DXpeditions with these team members include places like Amsterdam Island, Malpelo, Navassa, Desecheo, Bhutan, Saba, Easter Island, Wake Island, Palmyra, Reunion, Midway, Kure, Fiji, Swains, Baker Howland, Conway Reef, Kingman Reef, Eritrea, Lakshadweep, Svalbard and others.

We have all the permits necessary for landing on Bouvet Island, establishing a camp and setting up our ham radio equipment and antennas. We first applied for a permit after 3YØX, so we have been working on this project for ten years. We now have the right combination of a ship, a helicopter, and a workable financial plan. Everything is in place except our financing. This is where we need your support---the support of your Club and individual members.

The DXpedition team expects to be away for about 7-8 weeks. The voyage to Bouvet will require about two weeks as will the return. We plan to be at the island for three weeks and weather permitting, expect to be on the air for 14-16 days. We will transport our team and equipment ashore by helicopter, setting up on the Slakhallet Glacier at approximately 200 meters ASL. This location is on the northeastern part of Bouvet. This area will maximize our ability to work all continents. We have deliberately chosen not to do a beach landing and operation, since beach landings are extremely hazard

ous and beach locations do not give clear, unobstructed paths to major population areas. Also, the Nyroysa site used by previous DXpeditions has been declared off-limits by the Norsk Polar Institute.

This will be an all-band, all-mode DXpedition with stations on every open band. Antennas will include Yagis for the high bands and verticals for the low bands. We will run maximum legal power. Our primary station and hardware sponsors are Flex Radio Systems and DX Engineering. We are aware that the low bands will be of great importance, therefore Nodir – EY8MM is working with other low band enthusiasts from around the world to maximize our footprint on these bands. At a minimum, our station count will be nine with reserves in place. We believe we will be able to do EME without compromising resources on the HF bands.

Our QSL manager will be N2OO and his SJDXA crew. We will have an on-line log and submit our logs to LOTW within six months after our return.

Our total budget for this DXpedition is \$610,000. As with our previous DXpeditions, the team is committed to paying 50% of the expenses. The upfront cost for each operator is projected to be a minimum of \$15,000 plus travel to and from our embarkation and disembarkation point, likely to be Punta Arenas, Chile.

Club/Foundation and individual donors can be seen on our website: www.bouvetdx.org

All donors will be acknowledged on our website. Clubs will have their logos posted with major contributors receiving proportionately more space. The contribution required for your logo on our QSL card is a minimum of \$500. For your club's name on the QSL the minimum is \$250. Individual DXer's contributions of \$100 or more will be listed on the QSL card.

We encourage you to visit the Bouvet Island website (<a href="http://www.bouvetdx.org">http://www.bouvetdx.org</a>) and donate via the PayPal link. It's free and easy -- and you can contribute with a major credit card, even without a PayPal account. If that is not convenient, you may make a check or money order payable to DX Expeditions, Inc. - Bouvet and mail to Bob Allphin-K4UEE the address shown below. Remember to put your club's name or your callsign on the "for" line.

Please make your check to: *DX Expeditions, Inc. – Bouvet* and mail the check to: Bob Allphin-K4UEE 4235 Blackland Dr. Marietta, GA 30067

If any members of your club have questions, I would be happy to address them personally. Our team would be honored to be considered for your support of the Bouvet Island DXpedition-2018.

73 and great DXing,

Bob Allphin-K4UEE

# What's Under the Hood?

Heathkit SB 201

by Ron Mudry W6FPS

Back in the "Good Old Days", when we were all much younger, it was common place for guys of our generation to tinker with or "hoop-up" whatever bike, car or motorcycle that you or your buddies had. I think somewhere along the way the "MacGyver" mindset has been lost. Probably due to the shear complexity of things today. Look under the hood of your car today and you will find one black box after another. Where do you set the points or are there any points hidden amongst the technology of today? Hell, I can't even find the spark plugs! It's the same for amateur radio. Big Black Boxes.

About a year or so ago, I was at the TRW swap meet. I normally go every couple of months and more often than not come home empty handed. Well, on this particular trip I found an old amp and even if you are into QRP, everybody needs an amp in the shack. Right? It was a Heathkit SB 201.

I used the amp a few times, but to tell the truth it spent the majority or the time collecting dust. That was until I put it to use trying to pick up a few multipliers. I know that that would kick me into the QRO Class, but I wasn't exactly killing the "under 100 watt" group as it was. I found that I liked hearing the stations running the frequencies would often come back to me on my first call. I think it's some kind of an ego thing.

Now here's where the tinkering comes in. Since I now own an old stock VW version of an amplifier, what could I do to improve it? The internet is a wonderful source of information and inspiration. I found articles and videos about upgrading the SB 200 and its sister the 201. I ordered three kits from Harbach Electronics to replace the old capacitors, and added the "soft start" and "soft key" features to the old amp. Replacing the old power supply caps is a good idea and the soft key allows you to key the amp directly from modern transceivers. The "soft key" replaced an out board relay circuit that I originally built to keep the high voltage away from the Icom 746.

Putting together the three kits is simple and can be done in an evening or two. I waited until a Saturday morning to start working on the amp. I wanted to be rested and not be rushed to complete the removal of the old parts and installation of the new. HIGH VOLTAGE WILL KILL YOU!!! Be safe and know what you are up against BEFORE you start. I just wanted to say that before anyone sticks his or her fingers into their amps where 2000 to 3000 volts is waiting for you. The instructions that come with the kits are detailed and made it almost foolproof. The disassembly and reassembly went smoothly and after a few hours the tubes were reinstalled and the case closed. Before firing up the amp I set the meter switch on HV (high voltage) to show the fruits of my labor. With a flick of the power switch, "Presto"------ DAMN, nothing showing on the meter. What have I done to a perfectly good amplifier? With the meter giving no indication on what is happening, is there HV now lurking in the brand new fully charged capacitors? Will the bleed resistors do their job and neutralize the situation when the power is turned off? These are the times that try men's souls.

Sunday morning, having put some thought into my predicament, I decided to follow the installation instructions step by step and check each soldered connection. Did I say the instructions were "Almost Foolproof"? First of all, I grounded out each power capacitor to dissipate any latent charge. They all appeared harmless with no pent up power. Next step was to check the connections. And there it was; the very first wire that I had attached yesterday morning was attached to the wrong lug of a two lug terminal strip. I continued through the instructions checking wire by wire, and connection by connection. Nothing else was found. So after replacing the tubes and closing up the case a second time I was ready to give it a try again. This time everything went as planned. With 2300 volts showing on the meter I was now a happy camper. When I shut off the power I could watch the meter needle fall as those little bleeder resistors did their job. You know, it kind of gives you the same feeling as in the "Good Old Days" when you put that rebuilt carburetor back into the VW, and "Presto" the engine fired right up. Just like you knew it would.

What's under your hood?

73, Ron W6FPS



Figure 01 - Before and After photo of the Heathkit SB 201 RF Amplifier (It looks the same from the outside.)

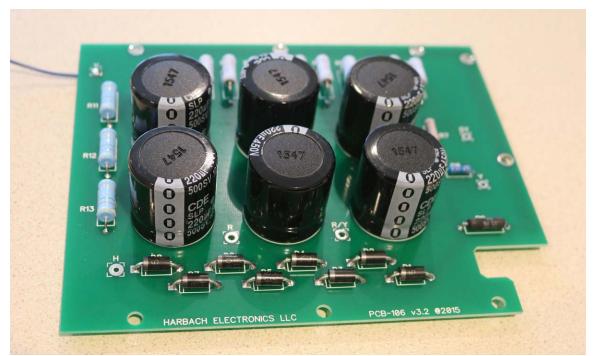


Figure 02 - The PM-200 Power supply Module



Figure 03 - SS-201-120 Soft Start Module

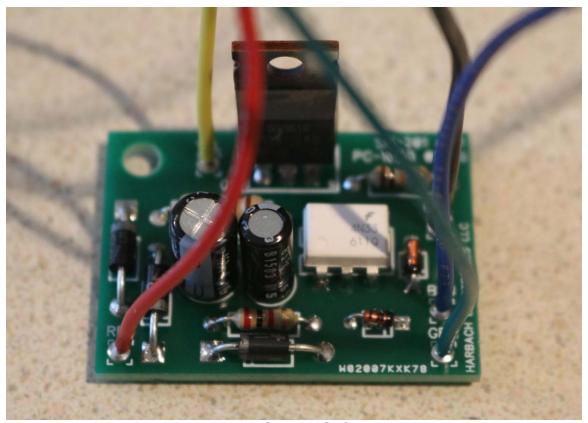
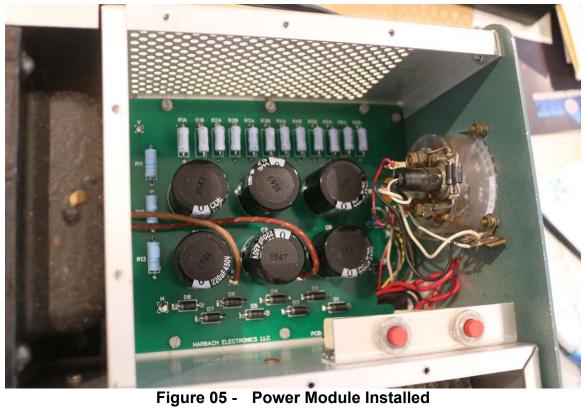


Figure 04 - The SK-201 Soft Key Module



# OCARC BOARD MEETING MINUTES 2017-01-07

The OCARC Board meeting was held at the Marie Callender's Restaurant at 1821 N. Grand Ave in Santa Ana on January 7, 2017. There were a total of eleven club members and board members in attendance. There was a quorum with all officers present with the exception of Dan N6PEQ

#### **DIRECTOR REPORTS:**

- Vice President Jim AF6N provided a list of potential and firm speakers for the General Meeting from January through November. Jim is working with the Red Cross to insure use of their facilities for up-coming General Meetings.
- Membership Bob AF6C is working on updating the club membership roster. The online membership renewal bottom is now fully functioning.
- Treasurers Report Ken W6HHC indicated that the bank signature cards required updating (This was completed after the Board Meeting).

#### **OLD BUSINESS:**

- Newsletter Editors
  Jan Greg W6ATB, Feb- Bob
  - Jan Greg W6ATB, Feb- Bob AF6C, Mar- Tim N6TMT Apr- Tim N6GP
- Program Speaker for January General Meeting
   Brenda Emrick KI6EXL on "Emergency Preparedness in Your Community"
- Membership PayPal Button Progress The membership renew via PayPal is working thanks to Bob AF6C.
- Club Historian Report Corey KE6YHX furnished a report on the process of making "browser-able" DVD of the clubs historical records.
- New Assistant WebMaster Ken W6HHC explained that he will confirm interest by Lito KI9H to assist in the maintenance of the web site.
- Radio Donations Nicholas AF6CF will provide information on recently radio equipment to Bob AF6C which he will include in the "For Sale" section of the web site.
- 2016 Financial Audit The Audit Committee, Ken W6HHC, Greg W6ATB, Tim N6GP and Tim N6TMT completed the audit after the BoD meeting.

- Club Tri-fold Brochure Tim N6TMT completed an order for 500 copies of the updated 8.5 x 14 brochures.
- Elmering at Irvine HS Tim N6GP will contact Woodbridge High School regarding their request for assistance with a STEM "CubeSat" project.

#### **NEW BUSINESS:**

- New Board Members for 2017 Badges were distributed and the new Board of Directors assumed their duties to the club.
- December Party Feedback The overall feedback regarding the location and food was positive. There was a negative cash flow with respect to the sale of "opportunity" tickets and the cost of the provided gifts. It was suggested by Tom W6ETC that we use the "Sell a Square" approach that worked a few years ago as fund raising method.
- Bank Signature Cards Tim N6GP, Ken W6HHC and Jim AF6N went to the bank after the Board meeting and completed the signing.
- June 2017 field Day Tim N6GP will contact Carla Nossett of the Centralia School District and start the process to obtain the Walter Knott Educational Center site for the next Field Day. The club will look into inviting other local amateur radio organization to join us at Field Day
- Winter Field Day Ron W6FPS will provide an email to be sent to club members asking if they are interested in participating in a very "informal" Winter Field Day, possibly at Prodo Regional Park.
- Process To Handle HELP Requests after much discussion, the board agreed that an improved procedure is (1) Ken e-mails help-request s to generalmembership and then (2) Ken will relay all club responses back to the board...to keep board members informed.

#### GOOD of the CLUB:

- The "Good of the Club" award will be given out at the January General Meeting as the recipient was not present at the December party.
- Bob AF6C said that the club has some donated radio equipment, located in Stanton, that should be transferred to Clem W0MEC.

**Submitted by** Ron Mudry W6FPS

- OCARC Secretary

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### by Tim N6GP

It is that time of year again to renew your membership. I just renewed mine in less than 90 seconds, thanks to the hard work of the 2016 board and especially Bob AF6C who have implemented the easy Paypal option. Renewing has never been easier.

Our Christmas party at Mimi's Café was a wonderful occasion, with good food and great friends. Kudos to Activity Chair, Tim N6TMT, for putting it on, along with other Board members.

I hope to see many of you out at the Prado Regional Park the last weekend of this month for Winter Field Day. This will be a very "low key" event, and will be a great opportunity to get on the air. Even with no sunspots, I look forward to a great 2017, and an awesome Field Day in June.

73, Tim Goeppinger N6GP President





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# OCARC 2017 Club & Special Event Calendar

# Winter Field Day 2017

When: January 28 & 29 Where: Prado Regional Park Information: <u>www.winterfieldday.com</u>,

http://cms.sbcounty.gov/parks/Parks/PradoRegionalPark.aspx

If anyone is interested in gathering for a very informal OCARC Winter Field Day at Prado Regional Park please send me an email at <a href="w6fps@w6ze.org">w6fps@w6ze.org</a>. It's time to put those portable stations on the air. Let me know what bands and modes that you will operate on. I will put that information and your contact information in an email that will be sent to all those that respond so we will have an idea of what to expect. I want to emphases that this will be "Very Informal" just come and put your station on the air or operate from another member's station, No Stress. Spend a few hours or the entire weekend. We can discuss any further plans at the next General Meeting.

73, Ron W6FPS

# OCARC Financial Audit Report for 2016 12/31/2016

INFLOWS			Assets - Beginning Balance: 2015-12-31	
ARRL Membership Dues	•	39.00	Checking Statement \$ 6,102.66	
Auction In	\$	1,233.75	Savings Statement \$ 0.09	
		6.00	Cash Box \$ 5.50	
Badge Income	\$			
Badge Income (PayPay)	\$	2.13	Outstanding checks \$ (816.83)	
Battery-Box-Kit	\$	150.00	Total Beginning Net Balance: \$ 5,291.42	
Christmas - Opportunity Drawing 2016	\$	273.00		
Christmas Dinner 2016	\$	839.23		
Dues, Membership 2016	\$	1,670.00	Account to the contract of the	
Dues, Membership 2017	\$	60.00	Assets - Ending Balance: 2016-12-31	
Dues, Membership 2017 (PayPal)	\$	262.38	Checking Statement \$ 5,280.89	
Dues, New Member 2016	\$	180.00	Savings Statement \$ 0.09	
Dues, New Member 2016 (PayPal)	\$	14.26	Cash Box \$ 8.93	
Dues, New Member 2017	\$	30.00	PayPal account (deposit Bank 1/03/2017) \$ 261.90	
Dues, New Membership 2017 (PayPal)	\$	28.83	Outstanding checks \$ (136.10)	
Field Day Food Advance	\$	428.50	Total Ending Net Balance: \$ 5,415.71	
Food Snacks Donations	\$	91.20		
Old Generator Sold	\$	100.00		
Opportunity Drawing -Monthly	\$	180.00		
Accounting Adjustment	\$	128.25	Total Beginning Balance: \$ 5,291.42	
TOTAL INFLOWS	\$	5,716.53	Total Ending Net Balance: \$ 5,415.71	
	*	0,1.10.00	Net Change for the Year \$ 124.29	
OUTFLOWS			The shange for the real	
ARRL Membership Expense	\$	34.00		
Auction Payout	\$	828.00		
Bank Svc Chg	\$	60.00	Audit Acceptance:	
Battery-Box-Parts	\$	166.25	Addit Acceptance.	
CA Statement Of Info filing	\$	20.00		
Christmas Dinner - Ladies Gifts 2016	\$	73.85	7im Goeppinger N6GP	
Christmas Dinner 2016, Plaque Award	\$	56.16	Tim Goeppinger N6GP	
		789.58	Tim Goeppinger Noor	
Christmas Dinner 2016 Food Exspense	\$	4.00		
Club History Archive	\$	76.73	a d man acomo	
Coffee Supplies Expense	\$		7imothy Millard N6TM7	
Door Prize	\$	100.00	Timothy Millard N6TMT	
Field Day Food	\$	612.50		
Food Snacks	\$	264.95	1 21 0122	
LIABILITY INSURANCE	\$	300.00	Greg Bohning W6ATB	
Money Back For Change	\$	10.00	Greg Bohning W6ATB, 2016 Treasurer	
OCARC Historian	\$	176.37		
Opportunity Drwg - Christmas Prizes 2016	\$	108.32		
Opprotunity Drwg - Christmas 2016	\$	500.00	Ken Konechy WOHHC	
PAYPAL Testing Reimbursement	\$	2.80	Ken Konechy W6HHC, Incoming Treasurer (2017)	
PO Box Rental	\$	60.00		
Postage	\$	39.16		
Promotional OCARC Pens	\$	136.70		
Storage Locker	\$	963.00		
Web Site Hosting	\$	179.88	Date signed: 2017/January/07	
Web Site SSL Fee	\$	29.99		
TOTAL OUTFLOWS	\$	5,592.24		
NET CHANGE	\$	124.29		
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### A HISTORY of OCARC **PRESIDENTS**

by Ken Konechy W6HHC with great assistance from our Club Historian Emeritus, Bob Evans - WB6IXN

2017 N6GP Tim Goeppinger 2016 AF6CF Nicholas Haban 2015 N6TMT Tim Millard 2014 AF6CF Nicholas Haban 2013 AF6CF Nicholas Haban 2012 W6GMU Paul Gussow 2011 W6GMU Paul Gussow 2010 K6PEQ Kristin Dankert 2009 AF6CF Nicholas Haban 2008 N8WP Willie Peloquin 2007 K6PEQ Kristin Dankert 2006 N8WP Willie Peloquin 2005 W6HHC Ken Konechy 2004 N1AB Steve Brody 2003 KQ6JD Lowell Burnett 2002 KE6WIU Cory Terando (now AE6GW) 2001 KD6BWH Bob Buss (later KØBWH) 2000 K6LDC Larry Hoffman 1999 WA6VPP Bud Barkhurst 1998 KD6BWH Bob Buss (later KØBWH) 1997 WA6VKZ Frank Smith 1996 AF6C Bob Eckweiler 1995 N6XTJ Jim Roberts 1994 KJ6ZH Chris Breller 1993 KC6TAM Jane Breller 1992 WA6VKZ Frank Smith 1991 W6HHC Ken Konechy

YEAR 1990 KJ6ZH Chris Breller 1989 WA6VKZ Frank Smith 1988 W6HHC Ken Konechy 1987 N6JSV Jim Talcott 1986 WA6VKZ Frank Smith 1985 AF6C Bob Eckweiler 1984 KA6IMP Chris Breller (now KJ6ZH) 1983 W6IBR AI Watts 1982 KA6HNY Robin Hoff 1981 WA6VKZ Frank Smith 1980 WA6FOW Ernie Prichard 1979 WB6IHZ Terry Mathers 1978 WA6LFF Jim Kingsbury 1977 WA6WZO Fried Hevn 1976 WB6PEX Martin Raymond 1975 WA6LHB Art Sheldon (now K7ZE) 1974 W6HHC Ken Konechy 1973 WB6QNU Bob Eckweiler (now AF6C) 1972 WA6FIT Ron Cade (now W6ZQ) 1971 WB6CQR Billy Hall (now N6EDY) 1970 WB6UDC Jack Hollander (now N6UC) 1969 WA6ROF Jerry VerDuft (now ADØA) 1968 W6COJ Dave Hollander 1967 WB6GPK Jim Hill 1966 WA6YWN Jack Shaw 1965 K6KTX Rolland Miller 1964 W6WRJ Ralph Alexander (later W6RE)

1963 W6DEY Roy Maxson

1962 K6LJA Ted Glick

1961 K6IQ Roy Morriss

#### YEAR

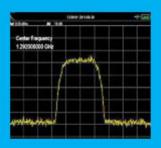
1960 K6TXS Charles(Ed)Edwards 1959 W6BVI Ken Kesel 1958 W6BVI Ken Kesel 1957 - CLUB DISBANDED -1956 W6HIL Bob Swenson 1955 W6BVI Ken Kesel 1954 W6UPP Marinus Conway 1953 Probably only informal meetings, no officers? 1952 W6QZQ Horace Bates 1951 W6LDJ Sam (Mac) McNeal 1950 Probably only informal meetings, no officers? 1949 W6CGF Chuck Lunder 1948 W6BWO Dale Bose 1947 W6ALO Tommy Gentges 1946 W6DEY Roy Maxson 1945 W6DEY Roy Maxson 1944 - **ALL OFF TO WAR!!** 1943 - ALL OFF TO WAR!! 1942 W6IBN Roy Cumpston 1941 W6BAM Shelley Trotter 1940 W6KLU Harold Christensen 1939 Probably only informal meetings, no officers? 1938 W6NSA Les Gates 1938 W6ADT Noral Evans 1937 W6LYN Noral Evans (later reissued as W6ADT) 1936 W6LYN Noral Evans (later reissued as W6ADT) 1935 - CLUB DISBANDED!! 1934 W6IGO Earl Moore

1933 W6IGO Earl Moore



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