

ORANGE COUNTY AMATEUR RADIO CLUB

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# MAY 13 PROGRAM

# COME VISIT WITH THE FOLKS FROM NIVAESU SEE WHAT'S NEW! 7:30 PM

JULY

20th

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### CLUB APPOINTMENTS

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### CLUB FUNCTIONS

MONTHLY MEETING: 3rd Friday of each month, 7:30PM at: MERCURY SAVINGS & LOAN TUSTIN, CA. MAY 18th 1095 Irvine Blvd. (4th St. becomes Irvine) Talk-in on 146.55 MHz JUNE 15th

> (Take the 4th St. exit of the 55 FREEWAY and head east. Continue about two blocks past Newport Blvd. It's on the left.)

CLUB BREAKFAST: 1st. Saturday of each month, 8:00AM at: DENNY'S RESTURANT

JUNE 2nd 2314 E. 17TH Street

Santa Ana, CA. (714) 543-0872

JULY 7TH (Second building west of the Newport (55) Freeway) 

### CLUB NETS

	BAND	MODE	DAY	LOCAL	TIME	FRED MHz	SPLIT	P1_	OPERATOR
2	Meters	FM	Wed	2100	hrs.	146.550	smplx	na	MBGIXN
1.5	Meters	SSB	Wed	2000	hrs.	21.375*	smplx	ma	KD6XO
15	Meters	CW	Thu	2000	hrs.	21.175*			
	(Lis	sten fo	or W6ZE,	net co	ontrol)	*Plus	or min	us O	RM

### ARES DISTRICT NETS

2	Meters	FM	Mon	1900	hrs.	146.220	-600	1.A	NAHQI	1
2	Meters	FM	Mon	~1915	hrs.	145.340	-600	4.Z	WASVKZ	-
2	Meters	FM	Mon	1930	hrs.	noted	smplx	na	noted	35

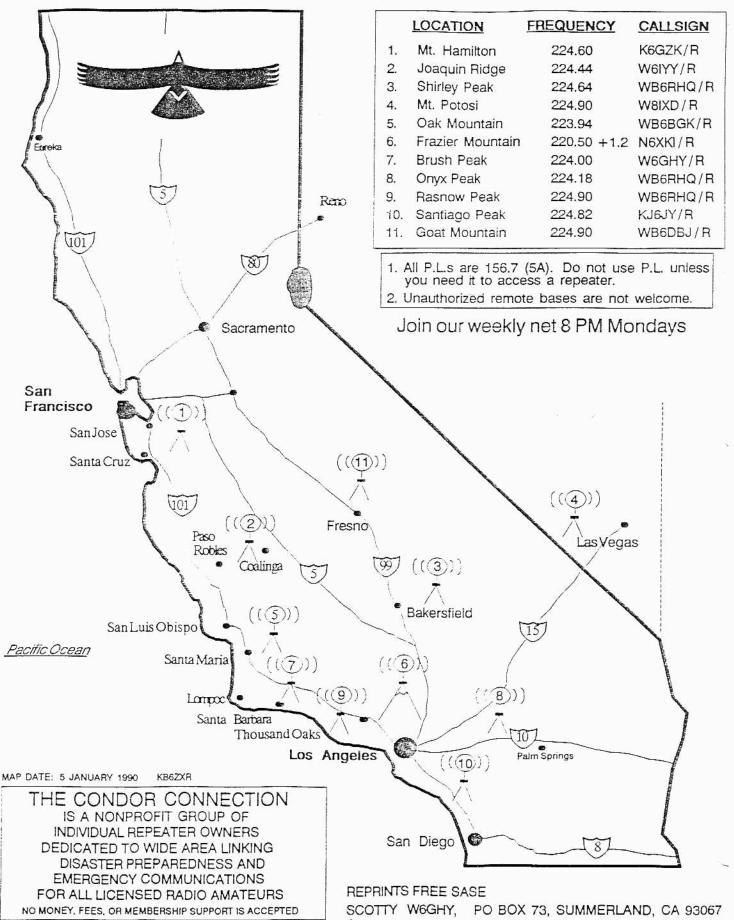
<sup>1 -</sup> ARES Info net. 2 - ARES District 3 net starts after info net is completed (Usually about 1915 hrs).

<sup>3 -</sup> City nets; Orange: 146.565, NAOWF; Tustin: 146.505, WA6VKZ; Santa Ana: 147.585, W6HHC [Page 2]

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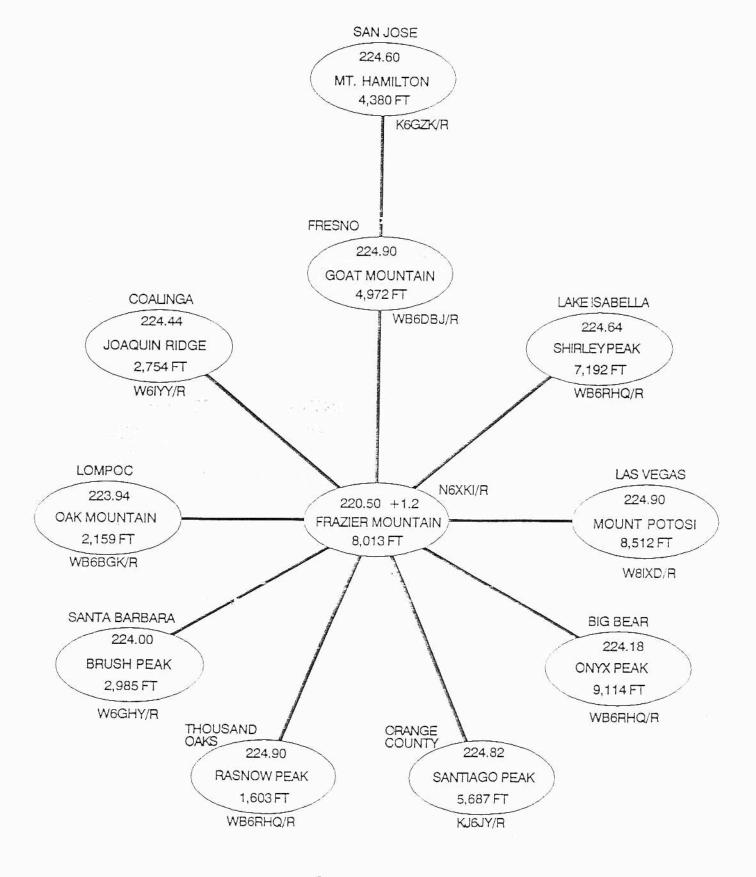
4/4 2m phone net - W6ZE/IXN checked in BPX, ZH, NG7D, SDU, VPP, DLA, RE, & PFA. BPX rakes leaves, trims poinsetta bushes, gets more bees in his trees, &  $1\ 1/2$ " of rain frm Tues. storm. RE operates frm the HT as the Astron pwr supply 'poops out'! Alex will hve 2 Newsline tapes next net. ZH receives UJD's package on a Tustin park fer FD, & Chris loses his case in traffic court! NG7D is feeling better as his neighbor has a heart attack! John has 100 DXCC countries worked, but not all confirmed, wid 41 states fer his 12m WAS. SDU has 99 QSL cards toward his DXCC, & Foster asks. OPs if they hve ever heard of a ham radio 'investors net!..(no response!) NG7D meets new friend, Manny Hass, N6BXR, who also has MD. Rain gives VPP a day off frm getting the QTH ready fer painting, & DLA purchases a Swan vertical ant., & asks OPs abt proper rope to support radials. PFA checks in later, as ZH reminds all abt the Sat. Breakfast & Board meeting. 4/5 15m CW net - W6ZE checks in NG7D. John was just dropping off to sleep & missed the quake, seismometer & all! 4/112m phone net- W6ZE/ IXN checks in BPX, AF6C, RE, ZH, VPP, &, KA6ISM, Cliff, in Orange, &, KA6MOK, John. BPX & Blanche celebrate their 57th WA. Ever busy AF6C checks in & out, & RE plays 2 Newsline tapes after 'surgical' repairs on the Astron! JSV, IXN & bro., Lee, put up PFA's 10m dipole in KB6BWF's garage. UJD landlines news that Tustin City Council meeting is on Tues. eve., not Mon! IXN relays info to net. ZH, none & Bro., celebrate Chris & Jane's 2nd WA over dinner, & KA6ISM, Cliff, informs OPs of a new Fresno area CONDOR repeater, on 224.90 MHz, on the way up the I-5 Fwy. Cliff tells OPs that Al, AA6IK, is in Kaiser Hosp., 4867 Sunset Blvd., LA. 90027, wid cancer. VPP arranges to meet IXN on 28.400 after net. Cliff also informs us that Leonard, N6NVT, sight impaired, needs help in up-grading, tel: 525-5641. 4/18 2m phone net-W6ZE/IXN checks in BPX,NG7D,JSV,RE,YZG,DLA,VPP, & ZH. ZH gives OPs an account of FD proceedings, & OPs thank UJD for his time & effort wid Tustin City Officials! BPX, JSV, RE, & VPP thirst after finding dry rain guages, & VPP mowed both lawns during the 'storm'! UJD, YZG, HHC,NGO,ZH, & n\ne appeared before the Tustin City Council to win approval of the FD site, & to have FD week proclaimed 'Amateur Radio Week'. YZG received the proclamation cert. fer the Club. RE informs OPs that ARRL carries insurance fer FD fer affiliated clubs fer a price! DLA puts up a new 40-10m vertical & IXN monitors Bruce's FB sigs on 15m. YZG tells JSV to cross his fingers & toes & everything else, as he waits fer 'Snails, Inc.'(ie: Kenwood) to service his ailing rig! OPs welcomed NG7D to the net after his recent visit in the hosp. fer a lingering virus. John informed OPs abt a new American-made QRP rig fer 12m, 1-15W, made by DIGITREX Electronics, in Mich. You can buy it in kit or assembled form fer 200+ dollars! 4/25 2m phone net- W6ZE/IXN checks in BPX, ZH, RE, PFA, DLA, YZG, & JSV. The 'rain gods' did not answer Wyatt's prayers and sprinkle his newly planted corn & beans wid 'heavenly dew'! ZH & nne uncomfortably contemplate air conditioner repairs as they welcome IBP & IBR home after a 2-week trip back East; & Chris reminds OP's of the up-coming Club breakfast. RE & OP's enjoy YZG's program on WWII air force activities. RE was a radar maintenance officer in the Marines during that time. Alex airs Newsline tapes & updates OPs on late ARRL bulletins. IXN asks YZG if he heard abt Stelath Bomber program at Nellis AFB..Affirmative!..& Lu says Fran is feeling better! DLA isn't mobile as harmonic 'ops' fer the soldering gun instead of youth activities. DLA & PFA give OPs a run-down on highly successful ATV display/activities at the COPS Expo at 'The City' shopping mall in Orange. PFA will be asked to give a Club program on this event; showing tapes he recorded, etc. (Tom O'Hara, W6ORG, was in the helicopter). JSV joins us as EZS continues to watch the Country Music Awards. EZS will call IXN's bro., Lee, abt upcoming Home Church event.

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MINUTES APRIL MEETING

Meeting was called to order at 7:40 pm by President Chris KJ6ZH Mark KJ6JC was absent. 35 members and guests were present. Regularly scheduled program was sick, so Lou K1YZG filled in with interesting auto biography of his experiences as a fighter pilot in Europe during WW II. TREASURER'S REPORT - Checking \$449.83 Savings \$851.72. Ted Glick's estate donated \$100 to the club. OLD BUSINESS - Bud WA6VPP was appointed TVI chairman. Band captains are still needed for field day. NEW BUSINESS - none. Fried WA6WZO talked about no code license. Visitors were N6XBM Steve Baker, KC6IQK and Paul Corrigan, a new ham. Meeting was adjourned 9:44 pm.

Respectfully submitted, Bob KD6XO, Secretary.

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### 3-ELEMENT 20 METER BEAM FOR SALE

1 HAVE A USED 3-EL MODIFIED HY-GAIN BEAM FOR 20 METER DX-ERS. IT HAS A 20-FOOT BOOM FOR WIDE SPACING AND HAS BEEN MODIFIED TO USE A GAMMA-MATCH FEED TECHNIQUE (BY A REAL ANTENNA PRO). THE ALL ALUMINUM CONSTRUCTION SHOWS IT'S AGE A LITTLE, BUT STILL SHOULD BE GOOD FOR ANOTHER TEN YEARS OF FOG AND SANTA-ANA WINDS.

NEEDS NEW BOLTS AND NUTS. I AM ASKING \$50 FOR THIS DXCC-KILLER!!

.tt: CALL KEN KONECHY/W6HHC --541-6249





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