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Celebrating 68 years as an active ham radio club—Since 1937
The Palo Alto Amateur Radio Association, Inc.



CALENDAR



August..... 5 **PAARA Meeting**
7:00–9:30
Menlo Park Rec Center
700 Alma Street
Menlo Park, CA 94025

(Note meeting time changed to 7:00)

August..... 10 **PAARA Board Meeting**
7:30pm
Red Cross Bld., 400 Mitchell Lane Palo Alto
(due to Parking Lot problems location may change, check net before Bd. meeting)

September 9 **PAARA Meeting**, 7:00pm
September 14 **PAARA Board Meeting**, 7:30pm

President's corner



Have you noticed that time is literally flying by this year. I wonder if it is simply my age and the fact that I am only noticing this phenomenon now? We have made it through half of the new year

already with a successful and completed Field Day event; a relatively good fund raising flea market sponsorship; a couple of mini equipment auctions at the regular meetings; and a whole lot of great communications and personal "eyeball" visits. PAARA members have turned out in droves to assist with these various club activities and to visit the Am-Tech Day event held monthly at the Stanford Linear Accelerator. As a result the PAARA Board has decided NOT to have a summer picnic this year. The Board has also decided to start the **regular monthly meetings at 7 PM, rather than 7:30 PM**. This will allow more time for socializing; announcements and our guest speaker. The Board is also seeking one good ham volunteer (a PAARA member) to work on a new committee that is charged with preparing the technical list for our on going grant proposal. All PAARA members are encouraged to submit their ideas or thoughts about the health, administration and future of our radio club. Please talk with a Board of Directors member or attend a Board meeting.

73: Your humble President:

~Terry Finn. AA6T.

NEXT MEETING



August 5, 2005

Speaker:

Glenn Cohen, KD6ITC

Program:

“Scanners in the 21st Century”

Glenn Cohen, KD6ITC will present to us the history of scanners—how they have evolved over the years to meet the desires of the monitoring crowd and how they have changed recently to handle the high-tech analog and digital trunking radio systems used by some police and fire agencies.

Glenn Cohen has been the owner of Scanners Unlimited for 28 years, which is the largest scanner store in the Western U.S. and has a big business mail order, but locals can visit his storefront on El Camino Real in Redwood City, for an eyeball QSO or personal advice on buying scanners or CB radios (he even stocks a few ham radios, too).

~Peter, K6WEB

PAARA MEETING TIME CHANGE

TO:

7:00 pm

Both General and Board Meetings

(see above)

Miscellaneous Info

VE Exams, 3rd Saturday each month, 10:30AM, 145.23– PL=100Hz
Redwood City Main Library, Community Conference Room
1044 Middlefield Road, Redwood City, CA
contact: <http://amateur-radio.org/> or Al, WB6IMX@arrl.net

ELECTRONICS FLEA MARKET
Sponsorship by A.S.V.A.R.O.
(Association of Silicon Valley Amateur Radio Organizations)
Second Saturday of month, March-October, 6am–2pm
Howard M. Krawetz, N6HM 650-856-9761
Contact: <http://www.electronicfleamarket.com/>

LARK Swap meet
LosPositas College, Livermore, 1st Sunday each month.
Contact: Cliff Kibbe (209) 835 6715 or Eliot Ross (925) 606 7710
<http://www.livermoreark.org/swap/swap.html>

PAARA Palo Alto Amateur Radio Association
meets 1st Friday 7:30pm each month, Net 145.230 each Monday 8:30,
contact: <http://PAARA.org/> or Terry Finn, AA6T, 650-366-9111

FARS Foothills Amateur Radio Society
meets 4th Friday 7:30pm each month
contact: <http://www.fars.k6ya.org/>

NCDXC Northern California DX Club
meets 2nd Friday 7:30pm each month,
repeater for member info 147.360, Thur 8:00PM
contact: <http://ncdxc.org/> or Mike Gavin W6WZ, (650) 851 8699

NorCalQRP Northern California QRP Club
meets 1st Sunday each month
contact: <http://www.norcalqrp.org/>

SPECS Southern Peninsula Emergency Communication System
meets each Monday 8:00pm on Net 145.27, 440.80 MHz
contact: <http://specsnet.org/> or Tom Cascone, KF6LWZ, 650-688-0441

SCARES South County Amateur Radio Emergency Service
meets 3rd Thursday 7:30pm each month, San Carlos City Hall.
Net is on 146.445 [PL 114.8] & 444.50 (PL-100) 7:30 Monday evenings.
contact: President Phil Stripling, KG6ILU, 650-342-6648, <http://k6mpn.org/>

SCCARA Santa Clara County Amateur Radio Association
Operates W6UU & W6UU/R, repeater 146.985-pl
Nets: 2m, 7:30pm Mon; 70cm, 442.425+ (pl 107.2) Thur.
meets 2nd Mon each month @ 7:30 PM.
contact: <http://www.qsl.net/sccara/> or Clark Murphy KE6KXO 408-262-9334
ARRL/VEC license testing contact 408-507-4698

SVECS Silicon Valley Emergency Communications
Operates AA6BT repeater (146.115 MHz+)
contact: <http://www.svecs.net/> or Lou Stierer WA6QYS 408 241 7999

WVARA West Valley Amateur Radio Association
W6PIY six-meter repeater on 52.58MHz. Normally, six-meters is linked with 147 and 223, while 441 and 1286 repeaters are linked.
VHF: 52.58 (-500) 151.4 ctcss UHF: 441.35 (+5.0 88.5) ctcss
147.39 (+600) 151.4 ctcss 1286.20 (-12m) 100.0 ctcss
223.96 (+1.6) 156.7 ctcss
meets 3rd Wed every month.
contact: <http://wvara.org/>, Bill Ashby N6FFC, 408-267-3118, N6FFC@Juno.com, or N6FFC@ARRL.NET

DISASTER SERVICES

American Red Cross, PALO ALTO AREA CHAPTER
400 Mitchell Lane
Meets 3rd Wed. each month 7:30PM
HF, packet, BBS, ATV, OSCAR Gateway, NASA satellite.
contact: <http://paarc.org/> or Mac Millian 650-688-0423. MACM@paarc.org
American Red Cross, SANTA CLARA VALLEY CHAPTER
contact: <http://santaclaravalley.redcross.org/> or Scott Hensley KB6UOO, (408) 967 7924 fshensley@Novell.com

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See the calendar for Board meeting times. **Visitors are welcome.**

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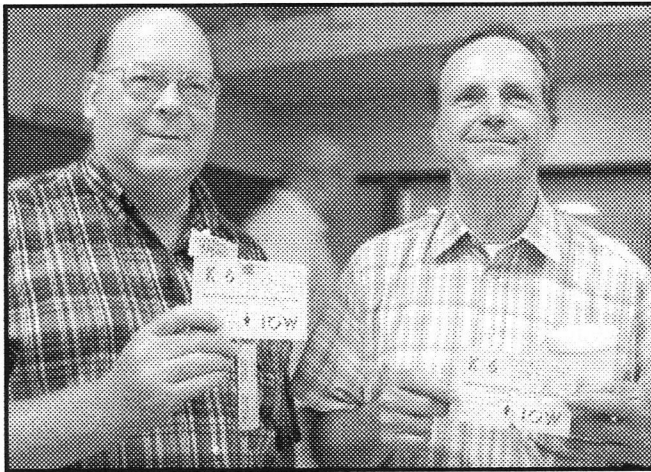
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★ **LIFE MEMBERSHIP** ★
★ Awarded by Action of the PAARA Board ★
★ **Ron Panton, W6VG July 2003** ★
★ **Joe Gomes, KB6HDC May 2004** ★
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PAARA Members QSL almost 50 years later.



This photo depicts PAARA member **Vic Black, AB6SO** on the left and **John Walther, K6PKT** on the right at the most recent PAARA monthly meeting. John is displaying two QSL cards from **K6IOW** (Vic Black's call in the early 50's). And here they are again, at a PAARA meeting. Talk about a small world.

Vic Black was first licensed in 1954 as KN6IOW which was a one year, non-renewable novice class license. His mother was a friend of John Walther's mother who were neighbors. Young John Walther, who was three years younger than Vic, became interested in radio while he was involved with the Mountain View, Troop 23 Boy Scouts. As it happened, Vic was a general class operator by that time and had earned his Eagle rank with God and Country Award in the same troop. As Vic was helping the younger Scouts through the Stanford Area Council of the Boy Scouts or Explorer Scouting as it is called today, he ended up teaching morse code to young John Walther so he could qualify for the merit badge in radio. His interest increased and soon John was a short wave listener "SWL" and then he earned his novice license and first call sign of **KN6PKT**. The N was dropped by the FCC when the licensee earned a technician or general license. John up-graded and became an extra class 20 wpm radio operator. John served in the U.S. Navy as a radioman and went on to a career in high tech.

When John brought the two QSL cards to the PAARA meeting it came as a complete surprise to Vic. However, he confirmed that they were his old QSL cards, one for an SWL verification and the other for his first QSO as a novice licensee. Way to go John !! This is one of the fun parts of amateur radio. Thanks guys. See you on the air.

~Terry Finn. AA6T.

PAARA seeks input from membership.

The PAARA Board of Directors has asked the membership to provide a written assessment or de-briefing of the events they observed or took part in at the June Field Day site. This information will be compiled and used to create a better and more streamlined Field Day operation next year. Although, we had dedicated station captains and others placed in responsible positions, there were some activities or responsibilities that were not monitored or completed properly this year. Please give us your thoughts by letter or by simply e-mailing them to the PAARA Secretary. Thank you.

On that very note, please be aware that the PAARA Board of Directors is also seeking a member to come forth and serve on a special committee that is charged with submitting the technical details required on or within the parameters of our on going bid for an equipment grant. Please speak with the PAARA President or any PAARA Board member.

~Terry Finn. AA6T.

Terry,

Thank you so much for keeping the Bike for Breath announcements in the Newsletter and at the meetings. Please pass on all of our gratitude.

Dearest Bike for Breath volunteers,

I wanted to extend a huge thank you from everyone at the American Lung Association for all your hard work on Saturday. Bike for Breath was a tremendous success thanks to the contributions of our 100+ volunteers. And I'm pleased to share that it looks like we have reached our goal of \$115,000, making this year's event an unprecedented success! I know we would not be able to reach this goal if it weren't for the tireless efforts of all of you, who make the ride run so smoothly and keep our riders coming back year after year.

I know many of you have volunteered at Bike for Breath for many years, while others volunteered for the first time this year.

Thanks again for volunteering at Bike for Breath! I hope to see you all again next year!

Kind regards,- Jill

Jill DiGiacomo

Special Events & Marketing Communications Manager
American Lung Association

Bike for Breath Communication Volunteers,

Thank you, each one, for your time, energy and cooperation and flexibility. We had one person getting ill Friday evening and one Saturday "No Show"...and yet it all went smoothly. This is due to the wonderful dedication of each one of you. You should know that ALA had \$103,000.00 as of close of business FRIDAY! This with the addition of the normal Saturday event registration should break all records. There were a total of 692 riders with 430 on the 50/62 mile route.

There was only one minor shoulder scrape which was attended to by our volunteer at Start/Finish, Brian Baugher of Mills Medical Clinic. Thank you for your time and skills, Brian.

Thankfully, AMR and Lisa were left with nothing to do.

Bert had to leave PAARA member, **Peter, K6WEB**, on his own at the major Rest Stop ¼. I later found out that this was Peter's first event ever. I can not begin to express my gratitude for Peter's perseverance, time and effort. You operated great and stuck through it all like a pro, Peter!

Jon Mosby, Unit 31, KF6RFQ, kf6rfq@arrl.net
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PAARA BADGES

To order one, contact our Badge Coordinator:

Doug Teter, KG6LWE
dteter@wewi.com

Sent: Saturday, July 16, 2005 5:03 AM
Subject: Pacificon Presentation Schedule
 and Bio / Descriptions:

We have been working on the Pacificon Presentation Schedule, and will be emailing it to you very soon. We also will be creating a program description document, and we need these items from you, preferably in either Word for Windows or a flat file text file format:

- 1) Your Name, any titles held, biography. This should be 1 paragraph long
- 2) A description of your presentation – also 1 paragraph long

We plan on publishing both a schedule – in a “block format” as well as the longer “syllabus” description of presentations. They will be sorted by track or forum, then by presentation title and presenters name. We also have a few slots left – so if you would either like to give your presentation twice, or if you would like to give a second presentation with another topic / theme, please let me know. If you know anyone else who would like to present, please encourage them and ask them to send their request and information to me.

For those of you who are running a multiple session forum (i.e. QRP, HF Pack, Emcomm, etc), please make sure your presenters also create and email their Bio and presentation descriptions. Attendees will no doubt read the descriptions and then mark their schedules as far as what they want to see and when.

Some, if not all of this will be published on the Pacificon web site, which is one way attendees can get a copy of these materials months before the event. I am looking into how we might best publish and distribute this information on paper, or at least in PDF format that we can somehow send to registered attendees months before the event.

~73, Rich, KY6R

Join us for pre-meeting eyeball

at Su Hong Restaurant
 1039 El Camino Real, Menlo Park

Food will be served at 6:00 sharp, so guests will be on time for the PAARA meeting. Those arriving late will be responsible for their own order and bill.

Congratulations: June 3rd 2005

Raffle Prize Winners

- 1st Prize: Rob Riley KG6HVW / Yaesu FT-2800M
 2nd Prize: Rob Riley KG6HVW / Garmin eTrex
 3rd Prize: Paul Jemelian KG6JLE / Kill A Watt
 4th Prize: Carlos / Powerex WorldWide Travel Charger
 5th Prize: Jim Tyranski KG6UDW /
 Ultimate DX World Map / Laminated 36”
 6th Prize: Bob Golder WA2CFN /
 Gordon West 0 to 5 wpm Morse Code / 2 CD Set
 7th Prize: Jim Tyranski KG6UDW /
 Northern California Repeater Directory
 8th Prize: Ron Edwards KG6RWN
 1 year subscription to World Radio

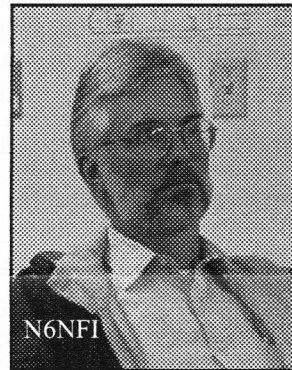


DONATIONS

PAARA is soliciting donations of equipment for our annual Field Day emergency-preparedness exercise. PAARA is a 501 (c) (4) tax-exempt club, and will either use donated equipment directly, or sell it to raise funds if it's not quite something we can use.

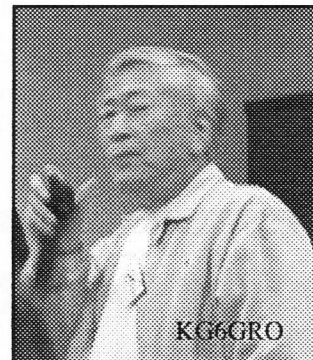
- A replacement for our 1952 30-foot travel trailer, which has been attacked by rust and termites. 10'×10' or 10'×20' E-ZUP or MASTERTENT shelters.
- Five or six roughly identical, reasonably rugged laptop computers, just fast enough to run Windows XP.
- Folding chairs and tables for operating stations.

Donations are not tax deductible, but larger donations will garner you a company logo emblazoned on one or more of our trailers, tents, or other equipment.



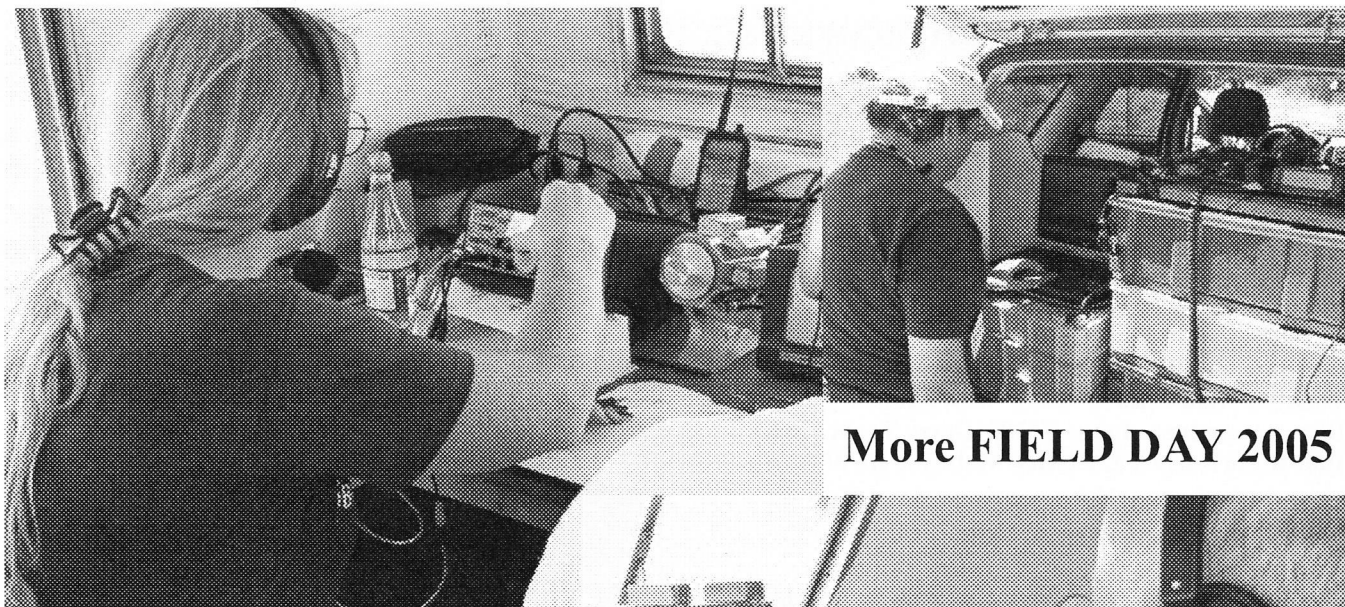
N6NFI appointed new ASVARO rep for PAARA.

PAARA member **Rolf Klibo, N6NFI**, has been appointed the new ASVARO representative on the PAARA Board of Directors. It should be noted that Rolf is also the current Vice President of the ASVARO group who maintain and administer the monthly electronic flea market activities.



PAARA wishes to thank **Howard Takaoka, KG6GRO**, who has been handling that liaison position for the last several years. Howard has done a great job and we appreciate all of his efforts over the years.

~Terry Finn. AA6T.



More FIELD DAY 2005



In the July PAARAgaphs issue we failed to recognize the Field Day pictures by: Al Montoya, WB6IMX, Dick Kors, KM6EP, & Wally Porter, K6URO.

Congratulations: July 8th 2005 Raffle Prize Winners

- 1st Prize: Terry Finn AA6T / Kenwood TH-K2AT 2m / 5W / HT**
- 2nd Prize: Dale O'Harra NX6S / Garmin eTrex GPS**
- 3rd Prize: Mike Gavin W6WZ / Grundig FR-200 Emergency Radio**
- 4th Prize: Joel Wilhite KD6W / Powerex WorldWide Travel Charger**
- 5th Prize: Rob Riley KG6HVW / ARRL 2005 Handbook**
- 6th Prize: Dave Platt AE6EO / SGC Digital Multimeter**
- 7th Prize: Lily Suzuki W6LIL / 1 year subscription to World Radio**

PAARA Members and Visitors: THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT of the exciting monthly raffles! Since Feb. 03, 69 Radios, including a YAESU FT-847, an ICOM 706 MK IIG, and TWO Elecraft KX1's have gone to Fellow Hams, THANKS TO YOU!

PAARA is having a remarkable year in 2005! If you aren't a member, please join PAARA now, and experience fun 2005 events with the "friendliest club around."

~K6AK Jim



BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING.

JULY 13, 2005

The PAARA Board meeting was held at the Palo Alto Red Cross building and started at 19:45 hrs

In attendance were:

President Terry Finn	AA6T
Vice President Peter Sheerin	K6WEB
Secretary Adrianus Schrauwen	W6AJS
Treasurer Ron Chester	W6AZ
Directors Andreas Junge N6NU, Gerry Tucker N6NV, Rolf Klibo N6NFI, & Kirsten McIntyre K6WX	(part time)
Membership Vic Black	AB6SO
Editor Wally Porter	K6URO

The Secretary reported there is a quorum for tonight's meeting.

Last months minutes were approved as read.

The Treasurer reported on the status of the club finances, The treasury report was approved as read.

Old Business

Bylaws revisions: There was no action taken by the "Bylaws Revision Committee".

Grantwriter: There were no replies received by the secretary from members for Terry Finn's request of a wishlist for the grantwriter. A grant proposal committee will be formed for this issue, consisting of Peter Sheerin, possibly Joel Wilhite and 1 more member to be appointed.

Fleamarket: Director **Rolf Klibo** is appointed to resolve the item about request for monetary support for the losses sustained at the PAARA fleamarket because of sudden restrictions in selling hotdogs (no open flames etc.) and denial of raising the fees.

Gerry Tucker managed to sell items to boost the club finances in recent July fleamarket.

Picnic: Due to timely unavailability of a picnic site there will be NO PAARA picnic this year.

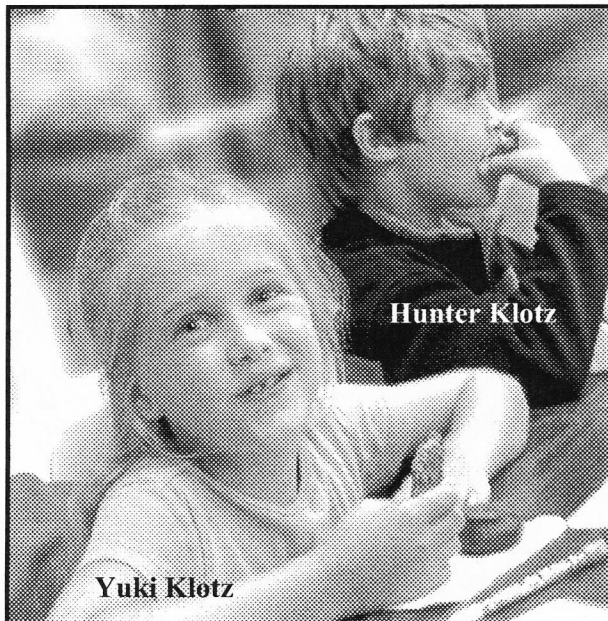
Past Field Day: At the debriefing of the field day experience at the regular club meeting on July 8, 2005, miscellaneous items good poor and not so bad were covered.

A thank you note will be drafted by the secretary and send to the field day caterers. At this board meeting **Adrianus Schrauwen** questioned how the less experienced operators will get a chance if only top operators are being utilized for the field day. Is it not in the interest of the club that everybody should get a change? What if we run short of top operators? The answer to the above is forthcoming, and is being worked on by several board members

The meeting was adjourned at 21.10 hrs.

Respectfully submitted by PAARA secretary

~Adrianus Schrauwen W6AJS

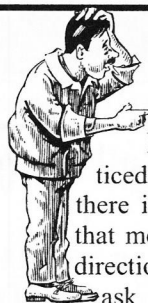


Hunter Klotz

Yuki Klotz

The photograph depicts young Hunter and his sister Yuki at a recent PAARA meeting assisting **Kyle Rice, KG6MSK**, the raffle ticket master. Hunter and Yuki are the children of PAARA member **Leigh Klotz, WA5ZNU**. Both of these youngsters have an interest in the amateur radio service and are being coached by their father. Hunter is further ahead on the electronic theory but both are coming along nicely learning the code. **Jim Rice, K6AK** has asked Leigh Klotz if he could bring both of them along to more PAARA meetings to assist in the raffle ticket sales and prize drawing ceremony. We believe that Leigh will do just that as long as he is able to make the necessary travel arrangements on a monthly basis.

~ Terry Finn. AA6T



CHAPLAIN'S CORNER

~Rev. Rick Line KG6TMD

DIRECTIONS: One of the things I have noticed on the two meter repeater frequencies is that there is often a call for directions. This reminds me that men are stereotyped as never stopping to ask for directions. Even if, by chance that is true, it is o.k. to ask for directions over the airwaves or get them from some other high-tech source like the computer or GPS.

A few years ago as my wife and I traveled on vacation I used the computer to download maps and directions to each planned overnight stop. All was going well until we tried to find our motel in San Antonio, Texas. We followed the directions perfectly and still ended up at a "dead end". I mean a literal "dead end". The directions lead us right into a cemetery! Obviously, this was someone's idea of a joke.

This made me think about the quality of the directions we get. When looking for directions, we need to be sure to get them from a true and trustworthy source. If you are trying to get to the store, wrong directions are an inconvenience. If you are trying to get through life, wrong directions can be perilous! Where are you getting your directions through life's maze? May I suggest the Creator's direction book.

PAARA

Aug. 5th Meeting and Raffle

PAARA “The Friendliest Club Around”

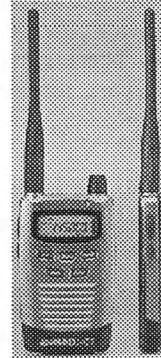
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Date and Time: Friday, Aug. 5th, at 7 p.m.

Location: Menlo Park Rec. Center, 700 Alma St., Menlo Park, CA.

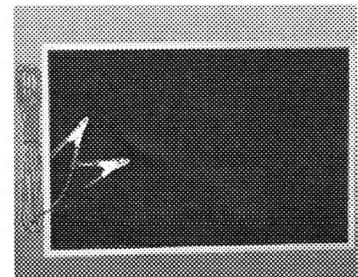
Welcome Members and Visitors / Raffle Prizes:

**FIRST PRIZE: Alinco DJ-C7T
144 / 430MHz FM Dual Band HT**



**SECOND PRIZE: Heil “The Traveler”
Headset and cable for your radio**

**THIRD PRIZE: Solar Panel
12 Volt / 350mA / 5W**



FOURTH PRIZE: Power Panel UPS / AC to Battery Switcher / HamStop
FIFTH PRIZE: Power Panel 6 / 6 Port DC Power Distribution Panel / HamStop
SIXTH PRIZE: VHF / UHF HT Antenna with SMA Connector
SEVENTH PRIZE: 1-year Subscription to World Radio

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Enjoy our fabulous speakers, free refreshments, chatting with your friends, and the chance to take home an unbelievable prize. See you at Round Table after the meeting!

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Contact Kyle, KG6MSK, “One of PAARA’s youngest members” for tickets at the meeting.

Special Thanks to Bob, Howard, Mark, Rick, and everyone at HRO for their continued SUPPORT!

~K6AK Jim

TRUCKS FOR SALE.

One 1932 Ford model BB, 1 and one half ton, dual rear wheel, four cylinder model C engine drivable truck. Requires aesthetic restoration of cab interior and a box or bed for the rear.

One 1932 Ford model BB, 1 and on half ton, dual rear wheel, eight cylinder engine, van style, drivable truck. Complete restoration almost finished with new wood, rubber, glass and interior.

Both vehicles have clean California titles and historical license plates and the ownership history is known. Both are located in Redwood City and available for inspection by request. These are the perfect advertising platforms, parade vehicles, mobile ham stations or items for your collection.

Contact: Terry Finn. AA6T. 650-366-9111.

PAARA Radio NET

every Monday evening at
8:30 P.M., local time

on the 145.230 -600 MHz repeater, PL tone off

HAM FEST

at

ANGELINO'S RESTAURANT

3132 Williams Road, at Winchester Blvd.

2:00 PM

Second Sunday each month, starting April 10.

www.Angelinosrest.com

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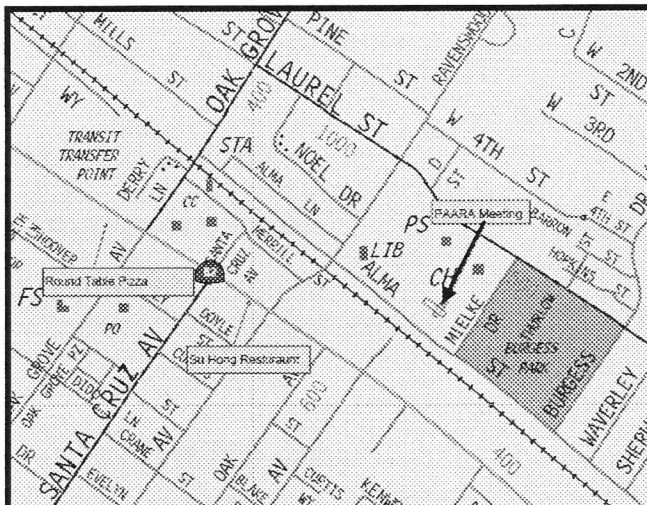
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control operators:

Week	Operator
1 st Mon.	Pink Foster, KG6ILA
2 nd Mon.	Peter Sheerin, K6WEB
3 rd Mon.	Peter Sheerin, K6WEB
4 th Mon.	Bill Rausch, AA6PA
5 th Mon.	Volunteer!



Directions to PAARA meeting:

<http://paara.org/meetings/>

Palo Alto Amateur Radio Association

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Club meetings are on the first Friday of each month, 7:30pm at the Menlo Park Rec Center, 700 Alma Street, Menlo Park, CA.

Radio NET & Swap Session every Monday evening, at 8:30pm, on the 145.230 -600 MHz repeater, PL tone off.

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August 5th

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