

# **News Bulletin of the TRW Amateur Radio Club**

Member, American Radio Relay League

FEBRUARY, 1984

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Garrett/W6TRW Repeater: 145.32/down 600 (2A-PL) -- UHF: 442.000 in/447.000 out

## CALENDAR FOR FEBRUARY AND MARCH

Feb. 25 8-11am

Swapmeet.

Feb. 28, noon

Club Meeting R4-1041.

March 13 after work Executive Board Meeting; all are welcome.

March 16 after work St. Patrick's Day Observance.

# FROM THE LIBRARY AT BLDG 65

The library wishes to thank Ed Thornley, W6RXD, for his donation of QST (7 years from 1982 back). We now have extra copies from '78 to '81. If you know of any club or school that could use them, drop me a note at 138/5688.

Lately we have acquired World Radio paper and some exchanged Newsletters from other radio clubs. You are welcome to use them.

We need boxes for storing the magazines: 7x10x2" for the earlier QST format and  $8\frac{1}{2}x^{1}1x^{2}$  for the large format, such as those for photographic paper (photo services have very few of them).

For info to those who have a Vic 20, there is a program for locating callletters, countries, longitude and latitude, and dx from U.S.A. in the Feb. issue of 73.

For info to those who have an Apple: There are 2 Apple nets that you could receive at West Coast: one is on Sundays, 1700 at 14.329 Mhz and the other on Saturday mornings at 0900 PST at 7.230. GMT/ZULU

The Librarian

### NEW BADGES

The new badges that were ordered are now in for: Margaret, N6GNK; Jim, W6GPE; Fred, N6JDO; Roy, W6JET; Sandy, WB6UXK. Bob, N6JDH; and Ray, WA6KXX.

# NEW TRW/ARC MEMBERS

WE WISH TO WELCOME THESE NEW MEMBERS TO OUR CLUB!

Ray Dromgold, WA6KXX

Sanford Barnes, WB6UXK

Robert Wasson, N6JDH

Donald Gibson, N6GPS

Mike Smiljanich, KA60UF

Charles Clarke, W6NWP

### FOR SALE

For Sale: RTTY/CW printed ckt interface board and instructions for VIC-20-to-low Band RTTY/CW operation. New/recently purchased. \$15.00

Bill Schreck, KE6LB

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### SWAPMEET NOTES, JANUARY 1984

The first W6TRW Swapmeet of 1984 was a HUGE success. The weather was delightful and on the warm side for January. This may have helped to bring out the buyers and sellers. Within the sellers parking lot of 375 available spaces, ther were only 42 unoccupied spaces at 9:00 am, and the Buyers were over flowing the available parking space surrounding the Swapmeet area.

The January volunteer swapmeet supervisors, Chris Wachs, WA2KDL and Harry Junker, KZ6M did a fine job of traffic control and general supervision. Gary Komatsu took the responsibility for supervising the closing of the swapmeet - my thanks to all of these fellow club members for their help and good work. The Swapmeet represents a real Mecca for those interested in low-cost electronic components and some real bargains are to be found in amateur radio communication equipment.

If you haven't been to our swapmeet yet, I think you'll enjoy the experience. Hope to see you at the February 25, 1984 event.

Jim McWilliams, W6RTG

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# **MURPHY'S RADIO CLASS**

# **AMATEUR RADIO CLASSES TO START ON FEBRUARY 21, 1984**

YOU can learn to be an amateur "Ham" radio operator (or upgrade your present license). Murphy's Radio Class will begin morse code and radio theory courses for Novice/General, Advanced, and Extra Class amateur radio license starting on February 21, 1984.

### **NOVICE/GENERAL CLASS**

For the General class, no background in electronics or Morse code is required. Students will receive training for their Novice License while attending this class and by the conclusion of the class will have the qualifications necessary to pass the Federal Communications Commission examination for the General Class Amateur License. This class license allows you to talk to fellow amateur "ham" radio operators throughout the world.

The class will provide all written study materials and practice code tapes will be available at a nominal cost. Students should have a cassette tape recorder available for home use.

Classes will be held one evening per week for eighteen weeks. The cost of the eighteen week course is \$65.00 (\$10.00 discount for advanced payment). Students under 18 years of age may register for \$25.00. A full refund will be made through the third class for any persons who do not wish to continue.

### ADVANCED AND EXTRA CLASSES

Advanced and Extra classes will be taught on Tuesday evenings and are nine weeks in length. The material for all classes is based on the new FCC examinations. New classes will start on Feb. 21, and again on May 1, 1984. The fee for the Advanced Class or Extra Class is \$45.00 (\$10.00 discount for advanced payment).

### WHERE/WHEN

Tuesday, February 21, 1984 classes for all three license levels will be held at the Senior Citizen's Bldg. at 4153 Overland Blvd., Culver City (located ½ block South of Culver Blvd., adjacent to the Veterans Memorial Building). Classes meet weekly from 7 pm to 9 pm. (Feb. 21, 1984 we will be open at 6 pm for registrations.) More information? Call (213) 391-0312.

### FCC LICENSE EXPIRATION

Fred Reed, W6UMC
W. L. Fisher, K6GZF
Lorne Sherle, K6OMD

Clayton Kau, KH6JSL David Burdett, WB6DVH

# THIS IS THE SECOND NOTICE FOR DUES

Adams	Allen	Anderson, C	Anderson, C.E.
Bayuk	Bennett	Burdett	Buskirk, J.
Buskirk, S.	Cullian	Dalrymple	Dickson, B.
Dickson, E.	Dillinger, B.	Dobbins	Edwards
Fisher, W.	Freeman	Garland	Gartsman
Gorman	Gradwohl	Hale	Hamilton
Hassall	Hayes	Hefley	Hone
Ickes	Ivey	Jones	Jordan
Junker, M.	Kau	Kennedy, S.	Кеу
Koenig	Koran	Lace	Lange
Lee, A.	Lee, J.	Low	Mahr
Marlett	Martens	Mason	McGrew
McKechnie	McGuire	Miller	Mullen
Nelson	O'Brien	O'Neal	Olsson
Pettingell	Richardson, D.	Richardson, J.	Robertshaw
Robertson	Schilling	Sherle	Smith
Tallon	Thorpe	Treece	Valentine
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Dues are past do so check the above list and if you find your name "Please" fill out the membership application and send a check to the address listed at the bottom of the membership application. This will be your last Crosstalk as I will have to remove your name from mailing list.

73 Bill K6AWO Membership Chairman

# ST. PATRICKS DAY OBSERVANCE

Hold March 16 open for celebration at Pizza Parlor - some refreshments to be provided by W6TRW. Special bulletin to follow.