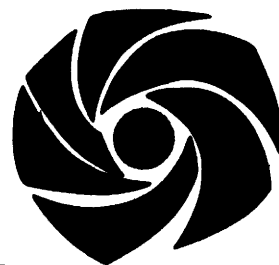


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Sun City Amateur Radio Club, Inc.

SCARC meets the 3rd Tuesday of each month, September through May at 7 PM at Fairway Recreation Center, 107th and Peoria Aves.

Our November Meeting is on Tuesday the 19th. Norman Hoffmann, Meteorologist in Charge of the National Weather Service in Phoenix, will discuss the use of electronics in meteorology. The Nominating Committee will announce its slate of candidates for the coming year. Bring along a non-driving ham neighbor.

There were 25 Sun Cities hams participating in the Palo Verde Siren Test on November 6th. Net Control Dick Jackson, K7VCI, expressed his appreciation for the turnout, which included our local coordinator Floyd K7BN and the following: Ed N9ARC, Jim KD7BN, Mit K9CCX, Jean KD7CH, Larry W6CZ, George KE7DH, Jim K7DI, Ray KE7FA, Ralph N7FNU, Ruth WA8FSX, Don W1JH, Bill W7JSF, Paul K2KFL, Gil KA0LVA, Ray W7LZS, John WA7NTQ, Chuck K0OSN, Van KB0PK, Rudy WA9RK1, Eva KC7RY, Al W9VYG, Floyd NQ7X, Carl W7YQ, Chuck W7YU.

The Pacific Division's Las Vegas Convention was well attended and enjoyed by area hams. The only negative comments involved the absence of certain vendors. We hope that the organizers were successful enough to warrant another convention next year.

Oliver Grieve, W7GW, is the Secretary/Treasurer of the Arizona chapter of QCWA. He would appreciate hearing from any national QCWA members or any of you 25-year folks who wish to become members.

Oliver also reminds us that the Mingus Mountain Repeater Group has a new repeater on Towers Mountain on 147.86/26. On occasions this repeater has been heard near Twentynine Palms, CA. We are encouraged to use the system and to join the Group. Other machines include 147.60/00 and 447.15/442.15 MHz on Mingus, 147.88/28 in Phoenix, and 443.575/448.575 on Towers.

Congratulations to Eva, KC7RY, who passed her Extra Class exams recently. She plans to keep her familiar call letters.

A reminder that ham classes have shifted to Mondays, 1 to 3 PM, in the Fairway Rec Center auditorium. Preparations for tests in all grades are available. For more information call our secretary at 972-8733.

We are sorry to report the passing of Agnes Blake, XYL of W7BP. We extend our sympathy to Charlie and his family.

At this writing, Howard W7HHC is in Boswell Hospital. All our good wishes are with him. Zeb KM7L is recuperating at home and has been missed by all of us, especially the 2 meter net. Al W6SAM appears to be doing fine after a brief stay in the hospital.

Chuck W7YU has been keeping us informed via the Westlinks tapes and George W1RGH adds items from ARRL Letters and W5YI Reports plus other Westlinks news. Join us on 147.57 MHz Wednesdays at 7 PM for the Sun Cities Net.

FOR SALE ----- FOR SALE ----- FOR SALE ----- FOR SALE ----- FOR SALE

Heath HW-101 Transceiver w/power supply and cables; MFJ-900 Antenna Tuner; Heath HM-102 SWR/Power Bridge; D-104 Mike; all manuals. Complete, \$200 or best offer. Bill W7KAJ (974-0639).

Complete station, ready to go: Heath SB104A Transceiver; SB604 Power Supply and Speaker; HM2140 Power and SWR Meter; Pedestal Mike w/PTT switch; Dummy Antenna; Drake 1000W low-pass Filter; Antenna Tuner; 6-pos. Antenna Switch; Miniquad rotatable antenna w/ automatic servo rotor, all connecting cables; Manuals; Radio Amateur's Handbook and other technical books. All equipment under 6 years old. Complete, \$600. Fred KA7GYZ (974-6413).

The following in mint or excellent condition: 2M Azden 4000 w/Avanti antenna, \$225; two mobile antennas, Heliwound Anixter 160M and 40M, \$20 each; Scope B&K 1460, Solid state, Trigger Sweep, DC to 10 MHz, lab quality, \$125; Heath digital VOM, \$30; Admiral B&W TV, 16", \$20. George KE7DH (974-3361).

Butternut HF6V Vert. Antenna w/radials, \$85; Hallicrafter HT-37, SB Transmitter w/manuals, \$100. Ken WAØIOK (584-5898).

40-Meter, 2-element Mosley antenna, brand new, \$300. Joe W7FPG (584-6117).

Wilson Tri-band 5-element beam, excellent condition, \$75 (firm). Paul W7KBE (974-0885).

Yaesu FT-dx-400 Transceiver, complete with external VFO, SSB & CW filters, Speaker and Microphone, \$175; Heathkit General Class Course, including tapes, 1985 Edition, \$15. Chuck W7YU (977-7427).

Hustler Vertical (10-15-20-40), \$40. Earle N7EJA (974-4660).

WANTED. Variable Condenser, 400 to 500 mmf. Mit K9CCX (974-5618). Mit also has QST's, years 1977, 78, 81, to give away.

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The Arizona Repeaters Directory, published by ARCA, is available for 35¢ from Ham Radio Outlet. Or write to Wm. Oliver Grieve, ARCA Repeater Directory, 4301 N. 31st Ave., Phoenix, AZ 85017, sending 35¢ and a business SASE.

Remember to renew your ARRL membership through club ARRL Liaison Floyd Emanuel K7BN. The club gets \$2 of your dues. (Make ARRL check for \$2 less, and SCARC check for \$2.) We also have applications for new ARRL memberships which will credit the club with \$5 per new member.

Area hams meet for lunch at Ritter's Chalet at 11:30 every Thursday. Join us for a pleasant eyeball (or highball), and soup or sandwich, etc.

The information requested below is for the 1986 Roster. Members (and local hams wishing to receive Short Skip next year) are asked to turn in the information with their \$4 dues (or subscription) to Sec. Ray Sumner, KE7FA, 11037 Fargo Drive, Sun City, AZ 85351.

Name _____ Call _____
Address _____ Name of Spouse _____
City _____ Zip _____ Phone _____
ARRL Member Yes ___ No ___
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