



# Southeastern DX Club

## W4NT

THE SOUTH'S PREMIER DX CLUB

August 2010

### President's Report:

Jim Streible's column has the details, but starting with the September meeting, we will begin meeting in the fabulous Rich Auditorium on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of each month starting September 16th. The Rich Auditorium is in Piedmont Hospital Building 77 and is reached from the north parking lot. Chaz has made some videos to help you find the Rich, and we will find a way to post them, but believe me, even I had no trouble finding it. We owe a BIG thanks to our former SEDXC president, Jim Kauten, W4TE for arranging this for us. Jim was also responsible for booking our ten years or so run in the Fuqua Heart Center.

The solar wind, came blowin' in - from oh so far.  
It lingered there, so warm and fair, a gift from a nearby star.

All summer long, it sang a song - and stormed on and on.

The DX—and the solar wind.

As you may have noticed, the wind has been doing a number on propagation above 20 meters, but this is a sign that old Sol is waking up. I hope to hear more about this at the Huntsville Hamfest the weekend after the picnic, as THE SUN MAN, Dr. Hathaway will be speaking. We will have a table at the hamfest, and Gary and Wes will be making presentations. There will be an enjoyable DX Dinner there as well. I hope to see you there—and at the picnic.

73 and Gud DX

Bob W2WG

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### Vice President's Report:

No Report this month.

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### Secretaries' Report:

No report this month:

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Going to be a short bulletin this month!

### Treasurers Report:

July 30, 2010

Operating Account

Beginning Balance: \$ 5251.98

Receipts in the month :

PayPal transfer



We also expect to soon lift the curtain on some very exciting news concerning an event on Saturday, November 13 involving the Atlanta area ham community. Details are still fluid, but please pencil in this date on your calendars.

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|------------------------|---------------|
| Meeting raffle/badges  | 96.00         |
| <u>Member Renewals</u> | <u>152.00</u> |

Total rec'd Cash and Cks    \$248.00

Disbursements in the month of January were:

|                        |                 |
|------------------------|-----------------|
| Summer Picnic Supplies | 250.00          |
| <u>Other</u>           | <u>0.00</u>     |
| <u>Total disbursed</u> | <u>\$250.00</u> |

|                                 |                 |
|---------------------------------|-----------------|
| Undeposited funds               | \$0.00          |
| PayPal transfer enroute         | .00             |
| <u>Checking account balance</u> | <u>5,249.98</u> |

Balance June 30,2010    \$5,249.98

NAQP this weekend. Hope to work you. Then we will see you all at the picnic. John and Jackie are great to host us at their home. I look forward to picking up a few new zones with John's 40 meter beam while he is busy with other stuff.

Also don't forget Huntsville on the 21<sup>st</sup> of August. Great hamfest – all indoors and tons of goodies to follow you home. Gary will be putting out the call for booth help before long.

73 es Gud DX,  
Mike ND4V

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## Activities Managers Report:

Coming up this month:

Hope everyone had a chance to work the NAQP (cw). Remember to support our local contest club, the SECC, with your submitted scores.

Our summer picnic was sponsored by repeated providers of generosity, John & Jackie Harden, on Sat, Aug 14<sup>th</sup>. Thanks, John and Jackie!

Huntsville, AL hamfest, Aug 21 & 22 wknd. Both W3WL, Wes and I presented back to back DX101 & DX102 seminars. Then there was our club booth; not a bad ride there,

even if it's only for one day. Tried to hookup with the locals (is Greg Richards out there?) for those great BBQ joints, as there wasn't much dining within walking distance from the hamfest. [www.hamfest.org](http://www.hamfest.org)

See everyone at the September 16th meeting... WB4SQ

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## Well we finally have a new meeting room!!!!

Thanks to Jim Kauten, W4TE, it is at the same location, Piedmont Hospital, and it is much easier to find than the old room. It is also much larger and very comfortable. The presentation facilities are much better, all we have to do is figure out how to run them.

The parking will be in the same location and when you come out of the parking garage instead of going to the right, bear left and cross the driveway to Building 77. There are some steps on the right side of the building. As you go up the steps and through the glass doors, turn left, go past the elevators and turn right. Then just a few steps straight ahead is the Rich Auditorium.

The September 16<sup>th</sup> meeting will be held there so everyone come out and see out new facilities. I am sure you will approve.

I had a picture I was going to include but, for some strange reason I could not get it to paste into the bulletin. I don't know if it was the picture format or what. Anyway you will just have to come and see the new room.

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Well, I made another try and did get the picture to paste into the bulletin so this is a segment of what the room looks like.

See you at the new meeting place on Thursday, September 16<sup>th</sup>!

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K4UGA (Athens)(2400) 145.67 (SE Megaclst)

(telnet 128.192.52.40 599, must put in port 599)

DX COMMUNICATION FREQ.

Simplex 147.54

#### SPECIAL NOTE:

The club is now using the Repeater on 145.410, down 600, for chatting and real time DX announcements.

Join the group there. No tone required.

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