



SOUTHEASTERN DX CLUB

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Meeting Date: January 14, 1984

Time: 7:30 PM (Local)

Place: Waldo M. Slaton American Legion Post
(see attached map.)

THE NOVEMBER MEETING featured Lee Sheridan, W6OKX, with a great presentation of his 1983 DXpedition to St. Pierre Island. While FP0 doesn't really sound like a really biggie as far as DX operations go, Lee presented one of the most entertaining programs as has ever been done at a SEDX Club meeting! I wish that I had a sense of humor as clever as Lee's!

THE ELECTION OF CLUB OFFICERS went rather smoothly. Harry Early, KC4M, offered the proposed slate of officers and the election was held. The winners (?) and new officers of the Southeastern DX Club are: President, WB4ZNH; Vice President, KC4BX; Secretary, WA4HNL; Treasurer, WI4K; Activities, K4DLI. I know these folks will work hard for you in 1984, but they will need your help from time to time.

THERE WILL BE NO DECEMBER MEETING! Holiday schedule will prevail. THE DECEMBER BULLETIN will NOT be mailed THIRD CLASS as previously announced. In order to qualify as a circular, each piece MUST be identical. Please note that your "WANT LIST" is enclosed, therefore each bulletin is unique and does NOT qualify for third class mail.

ENCLOSED is your want list. Bring your updated WANT LIST and A CHECK FOR YOUR 1984 dues (\$18) to the Banquet or send them to our treasurer: WI4K, Carol Shrader, 4065 Ophie Drive, Marietta, Georgia 30066. Be sure to note ANY changes you want made for the Club roster and if this is your first want list, be sure to mark off ALL the countries you have confirmed and answer ALL the questions. This is the only input for the new Club roster. PLEASE DO NOT MARK OFF COUNTRIES IN SUCH A MANNER THAT WE CANNOT TELL WHAT COUNTRY IT WAS!

THE BANQUET will take place on January 14 at the Waldo M. Slaton American Leigion post 140 on Powers Ferry Rd. adjacent to Chastain Golf Course. A Map is enclosed. The cost will be \$6.50 per person. The menu will consist of Barbecued Chicken, baked beans, cole slaw, roll, and ice tea, soft drinks or beer. Please telephone our treasurer, WI4K, and let her know your plans. Carol's phone number is 973-1450. Carol has an answering machine if there happens to be no one home at the time you call. Please do let us know if you can attend so we can have food for everyone. The deadline for "reservations" is January 9. We DO NOT intend to waste money on excessive food! The program entitled "In search of BY1PK" will be presented by Kathleen and Bob, N4IA, Duggan.

I KNOW many members will still be trying to recover from the holiday season the second week of January, but let me remind you that our annual banquet is one of only two times a year when our meetings are mostly social. Our (YOUR) banquet is the only time we really get a chance to meet the wives, girl friends and husbands of our fellow members. Fraternal fellowship, corny as it sounds, is really great. If it is at all possible, do plan to attend. You won't be sorry!

W4KFC, Vic Clark, President of the ARRL, dead at the age of 66 of a heart attack. A DXer, Contester and all around achiever, Vic will be missed by many. W4KFC was first licensed in 1933 and was a Charter member of the ARRL, Life member of the QCWA, and a Senior member of the IEEE. Vic was a member of the IARU WARC 79 team as well as former Director of the

Roanoke Division and Vice-President of the ARRL. Director of the Coast Guard Electronic Lab from 1963 - 1974 and before that an employee of the FAA (and predecessor agencies) for over 20 years, his last FAA post was chief of its navigational aids office in Washington.

CONTEST CORNER - No more contests in 1983. 1984 operating activities to be announced soon.

STRAYS

There will be NO FCC exams given during the month of December. If they cut all the services and administrative work then we should be able to do very well without the FCC!

HELP! K4DLI - 9M2, OY, and TN. ZL/K (CW) - N4NX. WB4ZNH - XU.

The "HELP" column is for you. If you are chasing a particularly illusive DX station(s) let your editor know and you will be listed in the "HELP" column for up to three prefixes, it works! WA4VDE phoned one Friday evening, FB8WJ on 20M and NO LIST! "All good things come to those who wait." Speaking of FB8WJ, his name is Henri and he used to be 5T5AY.

The Southeastern DX Club offers FREE license renewal reminder service to members. Only about 115 members have provided their expiration dates and already we have notified about 8 members of "time to renew." The database does NOT contain the expiration dates for the following list of people. Send the month and year of expiration to WB4ZNH.

W1UA, K3KG, K4AHJ, WA4BCY, K4FWR, AA4GA, W4GIW, W4GKF, N4HU, KC4I, K4IHP, K4JAG, WB4LJP, WD4LRB, KC4M, W4MGN, KC4MJ, K4MQG, W4MWT, WB4NDX, W4NET, W4NL, KC4OH, N4OL, N4OM, WA4OMI, W4OOZ, WA4PBW, N4PN, AE4Q, KS4Q, NE4R, WA4REF, K4RIG, N4RJ, W4RNZ, K4ROZ, WB4RUA, KA4S, K4SE, WA4SSU, K4TEA, KB4TS, KC4UC, KD4UH, WA4UNZ, W4UYC, N4VZ, NT4W, N4WQ, ND4Y, K4YXJ, NZ4Z, W8QFR.

Please note that my machine now sorts in to Callbook order. Only took me two years to learn this simple trick! The database also contains incorrect expiration date for the following: WB4EDD and AA4Z. These folks were reminded of impending expiration and as of yet, have not supplied new expiration dates.

THE TRADER

FOR SALE or TRADE - TRS-80 MODEL II with Disk Drive expansion (total of 3 each 8 inch floppy disks) Much software on MANY diskettes. Radio Shack Dot Matrix Printer, LP-VI, call Jim Mullins, KC4IX, at 993-1234 office, or 993-5710 at home.

WANTED - inexpensive transceiver or transmitter/receiver combination for new novice with limited budget. Contact WB4ZNH, 478-3255.

FREE - GLA-1000 with the purchase of nice KWM-2 and Power Supply. FOR SALE - IBM PC, with or without Color/Graphics and Multi-function boards. WB4ZNH, 478-3255.

FOR SALE - BC-221 Freq. meter, manual, and ORIGINAL military A/C PS; \$55. HW-7 (QRP RIG) and PS; \$60. WANTED - 3 drawer steelmaster 5" X 6-1/2". Call Bill, N4NX, at 993-3631.

YOUR BULLETIN still needs contributing authors. I really enjoy writing the bulletin, but things are getting very hectic around here, and then I will have to have some relief. Would someone please help? Just an occasional month would be of great assistance.

BULLETIN COPYING - Our thanks to Frank Johnston, N4DXX for copying this month's bulletin. Please help if you can! If you can "host" the bulletin copying one month, please call our new Secretary Joel, WA4HNL (394-5466) with the information.

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