



SOUTHEASTERN DX CLUB

W4NT

HEADQUARTERED IN ATLANTA, GEORGIA
DX Alert 147.500, also 147.795T/.195R
DX Ragchew 147.470, .540S, .795T/.195R
Meeting Date: Tuesday, November 20, 1984
Time: 7:30 PM (Local)
Place: Lutheran Church at the corner of Peachtree
and Narmore. (2 blocks North of Phipps Plaza.)

THE OCTOBER MEETING was an excellent program on "HAVING FUN WHILE CONTESTING AND WINNING SOME NICE AWARDS DOING IT!" The meeting was conducted by N40L, Bob Harrell. Bob had some really nice slides of awards, and he emphasized some of the side benefits of contesting.

THE UNSCHEDULED MEETING was a roaring success! ON4UN showed us some interesting slides of his station in Ghent. The main attractions were his personally-designed, self-supported, 80-foot tower, 3/8 Wave 80 Meter transmitting vertical, and John's beverage antennas with their ingenious switching arrangement. Even though John had just endured a long trans-Atlantic flight, he did an excellent job of fielding our questions. The planning and consideration of each minute detail in the construction by ON4UN was simply astronomical! The best part of the entire presentation was John's promise to "try" to attend DXPO Atlanta 1985! ON4UN's attendance could be as much of a boost as W2PV's was in 1981!

* * *SPECIAL * * * THE PROGRAM FOR THE NOVEMBER MEETING will be Brook Byers, K4TKM. Brook will be attending the November meeting for his first time in years! Brook's home is in California. He and his brother Ken, K4TEA, were members of the SEDXC about 20 years ago. Brook will be showing us slides and telling us about operating from HS0A, 9N1MM, and 4S7BBG. DON'T MISS THIS ONE!!!!!!

PLEASE TAKE NOTE, that the Pastor of the Church where we hold our meetings has been specifically invited to the November meeting. While we should always be on our best behaviour, in case of an unexpected visit, the impression the Pastor receives might influence our future use of the meeting room. There will be NO door prizes given.

JAY and JAN (W6GO/K6HHD QSL Manager List--the only WB4ZNH approved list) might be in town a week after the club meeting. A party is being planned. Contact Carol, WI4K, for info.

BUSINESS - ELECTION DAY!!! The nominating committee presents this proposed slate of officers for your consideration: President-WB4ZNH; Vice President-K4DLI; Secretary-KD4RR; Treasurer-WI4K; and Activities Director-KC4TJ.

BUREAU - The plot thickens in regard to the Two-letter prefix Qsl Bureau. Your President met with Frank Butler, W4RH, at the airport during our ARRL Director's layover enroute to Newington for a board meeting. Frank advises me that the current bureau manager has submitted his resignation to his Director, Gay Milius, W4UG, effective at the end of his 1 year appointment or in about 8 months. Presently, we are just trying to take some of the pressure off of the Sterling Park Club, and we should be receiving 1 or 2 more letters to sort. These are already spoken for, but our involvement can deepen if we want it to. If you want the club to get more involved and would be willing to assist with a possible future commitment, please phone Carol, WI4K, at 973-1450, sometime this month. She already has a list of several volunteers, so if you have already spoken to her, it will not be necessary to call again.

If you have a card or two enclosed with this bulletin, that DOES NOT mean that we have someone sorting your letter. There were several club members' cards mis-sorted. For example, KD4UH had cards in with the V's, which WA4VDE sorts.

CONTEST CORNER - As I promised last month, here are the scores for the September contest. Some were very good! The winner was K4JRB with 53. W4GTS had 50; WA4VDE, 48; WI4K, 46; and K4DLI was last with 15. (Well, I ENTERED anyway!)

Let's get the scores in for the CQ WW Phone, and don't forget to send in your entry to CQ Magazine to help the club! November's contest is the CQ WW CW; we've included an entry form and sample log sheet for this one also.

Let's see if we can get 12 entries on one of these; that would top the ARRL DX Phone. Next month is the 160 Meter contest that runs from December 1 'til December 20th, so get your 160 Meter antennas up and working before the cold weather gets here.

Don't forget to keep working all the countries you can for the year-long DX contest and get me the scores by January 1. That is all this month, 73 and Good DX! Jim, K4DLI

IMPORTANT * READ COMPLETELY * IMPORTANT * READ COMPLETELY * IMPORTANT * READ COMPLETELY

DUES AND WANT LISTS. Wow! Time flies when you're having fun! Another (club) year has come and gone. Enclosed is your countries needed list. PLEASE DRAW A SINGLE LINE THROUGH EACH COUNTRY WHICH YOU HAVE WORKED. DO NOT MARK IT SO IT IS UNREADABLE. If you are a new member, you will be receiving a larger list. YOU MUST FILL OUT THIS FORM TO BE LISTED IN OUR CLUB BOOK. PLEASE MARK OUT THE COUNTRIES WHICH YOU DO NOT NEED or if more appropriate ENCIRCLE THOSE WHICH YOU DO NEED. Send your want-list and your CHECK (WITH YOUR CALLSIGN ON THE CHECK) for \$18 (for 1985 dues) to Carol Shrader (Treasurer), 4065 Uphie Drive, Marietta, GA, 30066. Please check your listing in the CURRENT BOOK and note any corrections on your print-out. Also, if your call appears below in the LICENSE RENEWAL section, then please include your expiration date.

LICENSE RENEWAL REMINDER - NOVEMBER, NONE; DECEMBER, K4BYK and KT4M.

I still need NEW renewal dates for K4AHJ, K0ALL, K4BYK, WB4EDD, W4GBU, KN4H, KT4M, K4STK, and K05G; plus I have never received expiration dates for the following:
WA4BEC, K4FWR, W4GKF, K4IHP, KC4OH, N4OL, W4OOZ, WA4PBW, N4PN, WA4REF,
W4RNZ, K4ROZ, KD4UH, and W4PME.

STRAYS

HELP! K4DLI - VK9X, OY, and 9M6. N4NX - VK0 MacQ(CW). N4IA - BV, S2, and XU.
WD4FWE - JT, A35, and T2. W4OWY - A6, BV, and FW. WI4K - HS, TA, and VK9W.
The "HELP" column is for you. If you are chasing a particularly elusive DX station(s), let your editor know and you will be listed in the "HELP" column for up to three prefixes.

THE TRADER

FOR SALE: Yaesu FT-207R with NC-3 AC powersupply/charger and speaker mic. Vocom 25 wt. 2 meter amp. with charger plug. Dentron Clipperton-L Linear Amplifier. Call K4DLI at 955-1775 during the day or 993-1767 at night.
FOR SALE: HY-Gain TH6DXX Tri-bander, \$150; and a Mosley TA-33 Tri-bander, \$125; Harry, K4GFH; at Home: (404) 352-2946; Office: 581-2322.
FOR SALE: Heath SB-220 Linear (with 10M!) and 4-element Cubex Tri-band Quad (30-foot boom model). Call Bob, W4OWY, (404) 973-4021 evenings and weekends.

BULLETIN COPYING - Our thanks to Russ Blair, WA4BSN, for copying this month's bulletin. Please help! We will have to start paying soon if we can't get additional help. If you can copy the bulletin one month, please call our Secretary, Joel, WA4HNL, at 394-5466.
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October 20, 1984

Dear Clubmember,

There are two reasons for this letter. The first one is the arrival on November the 1st of a very special guest in the Atlanta area. ON4UN will be in town for one day only and has brought some slides with him. For those who might have trouble remembering call signs, John is a very special DXer. ON4UN is probably THE low frequency expert in the entire world of Amateur Radio! John has authored several books on antennas, sunrise/sunset charts, and 80 meter DXing.

ON4UN is also a very accomplished DXer. I don't know all of his awards but I do know that John was the very first person in the entire world to Work-All-Zones on 5 bands!!!!!!

Carol is trying to schedule the Lutheran Church for John's visit, and while we understand that his plans are FIRM, be cautious and if you are planning to attend this special called meeting on November 1 at the Peachtree Lutheran Church at 7:30 PM, then check with Carol, WI4K, 973-1450 a day or two ahead.

The second reason for this letter is the CQ WW Phone. Enclosed you will find an entry form, a log sheet (maybe on the back side of the entry form), and a stamped envelope addressed properly for your entry.

Bob, N4OL, gave an excellent program intended to encourage club participation in contests and especially the up coming CQ WW Phone. Well, attendance was poor and I expect the people that the program was intended to influence, because they don't participate in contests, are the very ones that stayed away.

Your other officers and myself have put a helluva lot of work into your club and all we ask is that you show a little bit of interest. PLEASE don't throw this contest entry form away. PLEASE get on the air next weekend as much as you possibly can and fill up log sheets with contacts and then mail them in to CQ Magazine. A lot of you are very busy. I am very busy also so I understand. PLEASE take the time to make as many contacts as your busy schedule will permit. Even if only a handfull and then mail them in with the envelope provided. PLEASE!

Very 73,

