



THE COMMUNICATOR



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ELECTION RESULTS

The SARC ELECTIONS were held at the November 2004 meeting.

2005 Officers

| | |
|----------------|-------------------------|
| President | Cynthia Thompson, W8SPU |
| Vice President | Bob Burleson, KG7QJ |
| Secretary | Rodney Bevill, K7RLB |
| Treasurer | Ron Hedtke, AC7MN |

2005 Board Members

Terry Cross, NK7T
 Gene Wilson, WA8TSG
 Jonathan Simmonds, KD7VCF
 Jim Hoggard, K7MY
 Harold Newman, KD7VK

SKYWARN Recognition Day December 4th

Start 5PM Fri Dec 3, ending at 5PM Saturday Dec 4.
 2 meter freq – 146.74 70 cm freq – 442.800
 Interested go <http://hamradio.noaa.gov> website.
 Try contacting local station **WX7PHX**

SARC Hamfest December 4th

6:00 AM till 2:00 PM
 Mesa Community College
 Southwest Parking Lot
 Dobson / Southern Campus
 Located on Dobson Road in Mesa, Arizona
 Take Exit 177 off US 60 Freeway, go ¼ mile north

FREE Parking

FREE Admission

PRIZES

Grand prize – ICOM 706MKIIG
2nd prize – YAESU FT2800M
3rd prize – ASTRON SS-25

VE EXAMS

| | |
|-------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Registration | 8:00 - 9:00 AM |
| Testing | 9:00 – 11:00 AM |
| Photo ID required | \$12.00 Fee (exact change please) |

Additional documents required: original and one copy of current license and/or any applicable CSCE.

Map to Location



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Annual Volunteer Event Lost Dutchman Marathon

This year's Holiday Party will be on Tuesday evening, December 14, 2004 at Bishop's Restaurant, in the city of Mesa. Bishop's is located on west side of Longmore which is the road directly west of Fiesta Mall. A detailed map will be provided in the next issue of the Communicator.

Bishop's is a cafeteria style buffet (all you can eat) including soups, salads, entrees (typically six meats and multiple vegetables), desserts, beverages, etc. Currently door prizes are in the works for the attendees. Attire will be casual however it is recommended that some form of club identification be available (shirt, id, etc). Cost of the event is \$5.00 per person. The funds will be collected by the club and bill paid in full by the SARC.



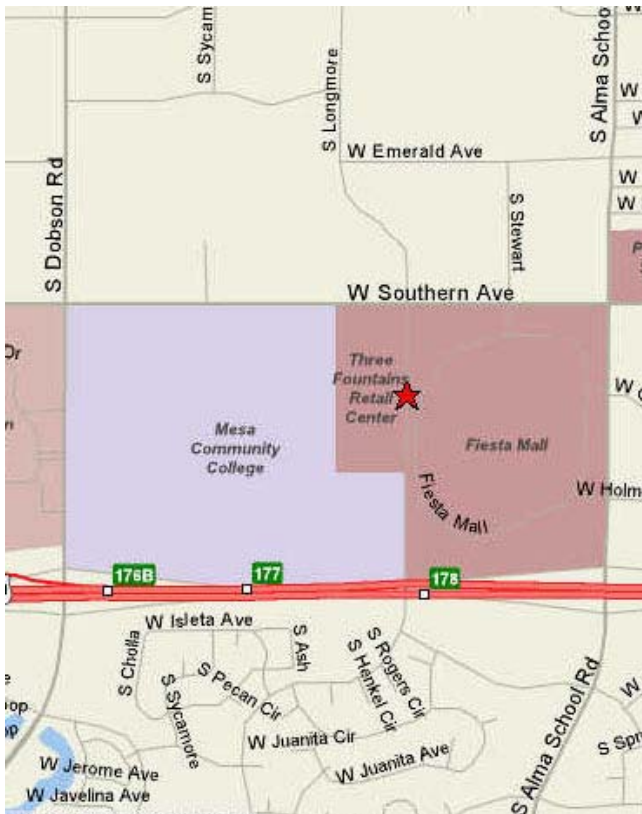
Our annual club public service event is coming in January. The SARC is the main support for communications for the LOST DUTCHMAN MARATHON. The event will be Sunday January 16, 2005. To sign up as a volunteer go to Maricopa County Emergency Communication Group website at

<http://www.link-11.com/pserve/index.asp> .

If you do not have a login, you will need to register as a user. The process can take a day as your callsign will be validated. Once logged in select Event Signup management under User Functions then select Lost Dutchman Marathon Sign Up.

The amateur operator coordinator for this event is Dennis Griffin, KD7CAC. His email address is eagleeye@fastq.com .

MAP to BISHOP'S



MEETING HOUSE

The Superstition Amateur Radio Club Meets at the Mesa Community College, at Southern and Dobson in Mesa.

Our meeting room is in the basement of the Clock Tower, center of Campus.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

BOARD MEETING

PLACE: NO MEETING IN DECEMBER

TIME:

DATE:

GENERAL MEETING

PLACE: BISHOP'S FAMILY DINING

ROOM: BISHOP'S FAMILY DINING

TIME: 6 PM, SECOND TUESDAY OF THE MONTH

DATE: 14-DECEMBER 2004

VE TESTING

PLACE: MESA UTILITIES OFFICE, 640 NORTH MESA DR.

TIME: 6:00 PM, THIRD MONDAY OF THE MONTH

DATE: 20 DECEMBER 2004

FUTURE MEETING LOCATIONS

DECEMBER: BISHOPS

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Net Control Station

Wednesdays: KG7FA, John
147.12 MHz Repeater at 8:00 PM
Thursdays: WB7CRK, Larry
147.12 and 28.47 MHz at 7:30 PM
Amateur Radio Newline both nights: Provided by
the net host

Classifieds

Alinco 2 meter DJ195, H.T., battery operated, FM Transceiver, 1.5 yr. Old, hardly used. Al KD7TOM 602-291-8500 (\$85.00)

Scouts' Computer Swap Meet

Hours: 5AM to 12 noon, 3rd Sunday of every month at Scottsdale Community College, 9000 E. Chaparral Drive, Scottsdale. Phone: 480-752-7444

Free admission, parking \$3. Offering include a variety of software, hardware, computer accessories, and tools for sale. Proceeds benefit local Boy Scout Troops Web Site:

<http://www.scoutscomputerswapmeet.com/>

This space available for advertising items for sell or items wanted to purchase. Also advertise your expertise or the need for help in solving problems. This is limited to Amateur Radio needs.

LINKS

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HAM TRIVIA

What was the name of the first Russian amateur radio operator

- A Alexander Popov
- B Vladimir Ulyanov
- C Ernst Krenkel
- D Fedor Lbov

For political reasons, it was prohibited for radio amateurs from the former Soviet Union to work with ham's from some countries.

What two countries were on this 'black list'

- A England and USA
- B South Africa and Israel
- C Albania and Korea
- D Spain and Portugal

What was the callsign, of the first

Russian amateur radio station

- A R3A
- B R1FL
- C UA3AA
- D RAEM

In what year, was the 'Central Radio Club of the Russian Federation' founded

- A 1917
- B 1924
- C 1936
- D 1946

Who We Are

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Club Repeater: WB7TJD/R
147.120 MHz(+), 162.2 Hz PL
449.60 MHz(-), 100.0 PL

Club Web Site: www.wb7tid.org

NEEDED!

We need your article for the Newsletter. Write us about your most embarrassing situation relating to Ham Radio. Send photos as well.

TRIVIA ANSWERS

D is correct. Fedor Lbov

B is correct South Africa and Israel

B is correct R1FL!

D is correct. 1946 The 'Krenkel Central Radio Club of the Russian Federation' (named after Ernst Krenkel, RAEM) was founded in March, 1946.

Weekly Nets

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
|--|--|---|--|--|---|-----------------------------------|
| 1800 – AZ Desert 10-10 2000 - ECOM 2100 – 2100 Net | 0700 - Coffee Clutch 0900 - West Valley 1930 - Mon Swap 1930 – Smart 2100 - 2100 Net | 0700 - Coffee Clutch 0900 - West Valley 1900 – Scottsdale 1900 – SKYWARN 6 1930 – AM 2-meter 2100 - 2100 Net | 0700 - Coffee Clutch 0900 - West Valley 1900 – SKYWARN 2 1900 – Thunderbird 2000 – SARC 2100 - 2100 Net | 0700 - Coffee Clutch 0900 - West Valley 1900 – Sheriff Posse 1930 – SARC 2100 - 2100 Net | 0700 - Coffee Clutch 0900 - West Valley 2100 - 2100 Net | 0815 – Mercury 2100 - 2100 Net |

NET Definitions

| | | | | |
|-------------------|---------|------------|-------------|-------------------------------|
| AM 2-meter net | 144.45 | AM Simplex | 7:30 pm MST | Vertical polarized antennas |
| Az. Desert 10-10 | 28.445 | | 6:00 pm MST | |
| Coffee Clutch Net | 145.350 | -600 | PL 162.2 | 7:00 am MST |
| Mon Swap Net | 146.940 | -600 | PL 162.2 | 7:30 pm MST |
| ECOM Training Net | 145.51 | Simplex | | 8:00 pm MST |
| ECOM Training Net | 147.06 | +600 | PL no | 8:00 pm MST |
| Mercury Net | 146.72 | -600 | PL 162.2 | 8:15 am MST |
| Scottsdale ARC | 147.180 | +600 | PL 162.2 | 7:00 pm MST |
| Sheriff Posse Net | 448.825 | -5.0 | PL 100.0 | 7:00 pm MST |
| SKYWARN 2 | 442.80 | +5.0 | PL 100.0 | 8:00 pm MST |
| SKYWARN 6 | 146.74 | -600 | PL 162.2 | 8:00 pm MST |
| Smart Net | 147.16 | +600 | PL 141.3 | 7:30 pm MST |
| Superstition ARC | 147.120 | +600 | PL 162.2 | 8:00 pm MST |
| Superstition ARC | 28.475 | | | 7:30 pm MST |
| Thunderbird ARC | 146.70 | -600 | PL 162.2 | 7:00 pm MST |
| Thunderbird ARC | 446.15 | -5.0 | PL 100.0 | 7:00 pm MST |
| West Valley Net | 147.300 | +600 | PL 162.2 | 9:00 am MST |
| 2100 Net | 147.360 | +600 | PL 162.2 | 9:00 pm MST |
| | | | | Mt. Ord & linked to Flagstaff |
| | | | | (Sector 2) |
| | | | | (Sector 6) |
| | | | | Mt. Lemmon Tucson |
| | | | | Linked to 147.120 |
| | | | | Linked to 446.15 |
| | | | | Linked to 146.70 |