

From the Boardroom

Some of the matters coming before the Board which might be of interest to our Club members include:

1. NNØO noted that cards from AL7FC, without state specified, returned to AL7FC, are being replaced with good cards.
2. KA5HFB is interested in having the Club establish a RTTY net. The Board will be taking action on this in the near future.
3. Anniversary stickers will be printed by WA4SGP and will be sent to KB3GN for mailing to eligible Club members.
4. New Club Officers take over March 1.

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From Your Editor

by K4KWN

Well, just like a chicken on a Junebug, I've changed word processors again and so I don't have to put a bunch of slash marks at the beginning for you to put on appropriate zeros! This one (Easy Script) seems to be able to do all I want of it, so perhaps I won't change again, hi!

This issue is chocked full of items you might find interesting. Thanks to Ray, WA4SGP, there is a list of recent award recipients. Ray also passed on some of the recent upgrades which we have included elsewhere. Header O. Dyne visited Texas since the last issue and a short "Message from Megalopolis" is included herein. For the Puzzle Freaks, a Word Search is printed (courtesy of a new program I just received for the ole' Commodore).

In other matters, "Letters From Our Readers" includes a letter from Barb, N3DRO, which leads me to think some things have happened on the Net which was less-than-desirable. A recent letter from Bob, KB9QP, passes along a request to say "Hi" to all of his friends in the Century Club. Bob recently changed his QTH in Naptown, and as he now lives in an apartment, it may be a little time before he gets back on the air.

I have also included a list of awards and net times, thanks to Mike, KB1GN. Some of the events from the Board of Directors have been included. A big CONGRATULATIONS is in order for our new officers. Thanks to Herb, KJ4NK, for putting me on the mailing list for his Club newsletter from

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the Dalton Amateur Radio Club. I've stolen a few things from his newsletter and have included them in this issue and will in future issues. A reminder that Eyeball IX will be held in the Branson, MO area on August 1, 2, and 3. Letha (KA5HFB) and Spence (K0AFY) will be coordinating the event.

That's all for now, I'll be looking for you on the nets!

73,
Bob, K4KWN

From Our Readers

(Editor's Note: I've had to condense three and one-half hand-written pages into a few much-shorter paragraphs, but the thrust of Barb's thoughts are there).

I owe the 3rd Area, members, non-members, and the officers of the 3905 Century Club an apology for being somewhat lax over the past two months in showing up for Board meetings and some of my nets. I've been having a few problems that have kept me from doing what I'm scheduled for sometimes.

I want to thank John, N3DPF, for being there when I wasn't. I also want to thank the people who picked up my nets for me when I wasn't there. I really appreciate it. Now that I've got that off of my mind, I would like to express a few other thoughts which have been bothering me lately.

I've had a few incidents on my nets in the past few months that have upset me. There are people out there who do not want any help or relays when making their calls. I think we should respect that on the nets. Whether they are wanting to test the antennas or whatever, it's their station and they should be able to operate it as they wish without smart remarks.

I've had the situation occur a few times on the net when I was NCS, and later I've heard them say, "I don't think that's right! I don't think I'll go back!" If we don't want to run off the new members, if we want to keep the old members and add more, then we all will have to watch out for "loose lips" (to put it bluntly) resulting from someone who has a differing opinion. Insulting someone, whether it

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QSL BUREAUS

75 M WA9CNV Pauline Course, 1669 Wrightwood Ct., Glendale Heights, IL 60139
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Message from Megalopolis

Editor's note: I got a call the other day from a person in Houston, TX (and with apologies beforehand to our Century Club members in Texas) who perfectly fit the "Texan" stereotype...at least over the telephone. You know the type, one who says of himself that he has done everything but hang the moon and is not at all bashful about telling you about it. Perhaps I would not have been so sensitive had he not continually called the town I was in "Lewisville", as if he was not aware of a horse race the first Saturday in May that, seemingly, has the eye of the world; or the place where more professional baseball players' bats are made than anywhere else [Louisville Slugger]; or the place where the only permanent artificial heart implants are done (forgive the bragging, please...I'm from the Ozarks, not Kentucky)...not to mention the home of the team that beat the University of Houston by 17 points on National Television on February 22.

Anyway, this phone call reminds me of an episode in the life of Header O. Dyne that you might appreciate. Oh, by-the-by...you know how to tell a rich Hillbilly, don't you? He is the one that has two cars up on blocks in his front yard!]

Header was visiting the Texas Gulf Coast this past winter trying to stay warm, when he struck up a conversation with a person who was talking about how everything was so big in Texas, especially his ranch.

"My place is so big," said the Texan, "...well, let me put it like this. I've got this pickup truck, ya see, that I can get in at sunrise and go all day and still not be to the end of my property!"

Well, I declare!", exclaimed Header. "Ya know, I got a truck just like that!"

NET CONTROL COORDINATORS

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be with a serious attitude or half in jest, still hurts and results in a bad image for the 3905 Century Club.

I think that the Net Control and/or-relay stations should ask each station, when it is their call, if they want help or relays. If they want help, fine. If they don't, that's fine, too! After all, it is their net! We don't want to lose anyone, even if it is only one or two stations, because of some incident. That one station that leaves might be one that another of our Club members need for an award.

I would like some other opinions on this. You can contact me before or after the net or write to me. I'll gladly listen to you and will read all I receive. You don't have to agree with me to contact me; I want all opinions! By the way, since those incidents mentioned above, I've not heard those stations back in the net. I'm sorry for that and the people on the net who need them.

The 3905 Century Club is a fine group of people and we want it to stay that way. After all, none of us is perfect!

In closing, I want to thank everyone that has helped me out since I've been Net Control. I've had a lot of help and that makes a net run pretty smooth. I've received a lot of compliments on my nets but all the credit doesn't go just to me. If it were not for the relay stations that help out, and sometimes almost have to relay the entire net, we would not be having the fun we are having. No Net Control Station could run the net alone! It takes the help and cooperation of us all to make it work! I'll be waiting to hear from you.

Bye,
Barb, N3DRO

CENTURY CLUB NET SCHEDULE

Daily	75 Mtrs.	3905 KHz 0100 - 0500Z (Summer) 0200 - 0600Z (Winter)
Wed.	80 Mtrs.	3705 KHz 0200 - 0400Z (CW Net)
Daily	40 Mtrs.	7233 KHz 0100 - 0500Z year round
Fr/Sa	160 Mtrs.	1865 KHz Fri 0100 - 0500Z with a late net Saturday 0400Z.

Every night, except Sunday Night, there is a 75 meter and 40 meter Late Net which starts at the close of the regular net and operates for 3 hours.

RECENT CLUB AWARDS

The following Awards have been granted in the past three months ending November, 1985.

<u>160 METER - 100 POINT AWARDS</u>		
22 K8VEX	25 KV4X	28 KA4TYO
23 N8FTJ	26 W5AWT	29 NG2T
24 KY5D	27 WB6ALC	30 NB8R

<u>75 METER - 100 POINT AWARDS</u>		
1280 WB4CHK	1292 WB8CBU	1304 NØDMP
1281 KØ5G	1293 K4YDO	1305 NØDRX
1282 KDØVVU	1294 KF4FP	1306 KA5UWW
1283 N9EZF	1295 KA5RNH	1307 N9ASP
1284 N1CBJ	1296 KA4IPH	1308 WB4ZTJ
1285 N5AWE	1297 N8FEH	1309 W5VPV
1286 N4KLM	1298 N2EDF	1310 KA1MNH
1287 WDØEMY	1299 WD9AWS	1311 KAØQFY
1288 N4JVL	1300 KA9QCG	1312 N9BUB
1289 NØFUN	1301 WDØCHZ	1313 N7GVV
1290 AH6CG	1302 KC5CV	1314 VE1XA
1291 KB1QØ	1303 WAØCED	1315 KA5VUU

<u>75 METERS - 1000 POINT AWARDS</u>		
182 KE4LN	185 KM8O	188 KE5TC
183 WM4Y	186 KA2CNG	189 WB4CHK
184 KE4UP	187 W5MAV	190 WAØBMO

<u>75 METERS - 2000 POINT AWARDS</u>		
26 KB6HM	28 W5AWT	30 AG2K
27 N3DRO	29 KØAFY	31 N3DPF

<u>75 METERS - JOURNEYMAN AWARD</u>		
14 WA8KMK		

<u>40 METERS - 100 POINT AWARDS</u>		
909 WA6UVS	918 NØGCC	927 AKØG
910 AH6CG	919 W7LHO	928 WB7TXP
911 W5RJH	920 KG6QF	929 N4MCN
912 KE6KT	921 KF4FP	930 KA3NHB
913 KJ4FM	922 KC5CV	931 K8RWF
914 KJ4BS	923 WA1SBI	932 AA4LB
915 WA6LHG	924 N1CBJ	933 N4JQG
916 N9ASP	925 NØDMP	934 NC8I
917 N7FDV	926 N5FSN	935 N3DRE

<u>40 METERS - 1000 POINT AWARDS</u>		
135 KUØA	137 N3DPF	139 KZ7X
136 W5AWT	138 VE3FNM	140 KA3HBB

<u>40 METERS - 2000 POINT AWARDS</u>		
24 WANNØ	25 AG2K	26 KØAFY

<u>40 METERS - JOURNEYMAN AWARD</u>		
7 KK2M		

The following awards were issued during December 1985 and January 1986.

<u>160 METERS - 100 POINT AWARDS</u>		
32 KB3GN	33 KAØSLD	34 N1ABY

<u>75 METERS - 100 POINT AWARDS</u>		
1328 KB4KKB	1332 KD9EG	1336 K1ZIT
1329 KA9JLU	1333 N5HWF	1337 KB7LC
1330 NC8I	1334 KA4LSO	1338 N7EDL
1331 KJ4KR	1335 KA1HRV	1339 K3QKP

<u>75 METERS - 1000 POINT AWARDS</u>		
192 KAØIQØ	193 W2JAJ	

<u>75 METERS - 2000 POINT AWARDS</u>		
32 NNØØ	33 KV4X	

<u>40 METERS - 100 POINT AWARDS</u>		
945 WB3GQZ	946 N5ITV	947 KT1K

<u>40 METERS - 1000 POINT AWARDS</u>		
141 KE7IL	142 NO5C	

CONGRATULATIONS!

CONGRATULATIONS are in order to many of the following. In some instances call sign changes due to moving, in other cases due to upgrading: KE7MP (ex-KL7HHX), N5GWN (ex-KA8BIC), KD9OF (ex-KA9QPC), NØØU (ex-KAØNQV), N5ITO (ex-KA9JLU), WF5T (ex-KD7J), AL7GQ (ex-N5DDV), and KA2NRR (upgrade to Advanced). Also, Marty (KA2NRR) mentions that he has finally received his DXCC!