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Eyeball Update

By Jim Byrd

I usually like to have a rap-up of the eyeball with all the information and things that happened at the annual event. But, since I did not receive a final report or article from the coordinator, I'll have to play it by ear and apologize for any errors.

As most of you know the 1994 Eyeball was held at Starved Rock State Park in Utica, IL. If my information is correct approximately ninety members and their families were in attendance. I can only speak for myself and Carolyn(my wife), but we did enjoy ourselves. We spent four days at the park in our motor home, even if it did get a little chilly and rain a bit. It did teach us one thing, our motor home got a little small, so when we got home she made me trade it off for a fifth wheel travel trailer with a lot more room in it. Now she can get away from me a little easier.

N9OZI 1994 Eyeball Coordinator

It seems to me that all those that attended had a good time, we seemed to have a lot of members there for their first eyeball and really seemed to be enjoying meeting those faces they have been talking to.

On Saturday afternoon we had the Board of Directors meeting and the general meeting, and of course the annual feed. At the general meeting many, many door prizes were handed out, which if listed here would fill all my space for this article. But, we have to mention the grand prize and its winner. Fred KC4WKR was the winner of the Yeasu Handi-Talke. It sometimes pays to attend, I think almost everybody walked off with at least some kind of door prize.

The decision for next years eyeball will not be made for a couple months, but, I do recommend attending where ever it is. This was my fourth eyeball and I have yet to attend a bad one. Just seeing and talking to the members face to face that you talk to on a regular basis makes the whole thing worth while.

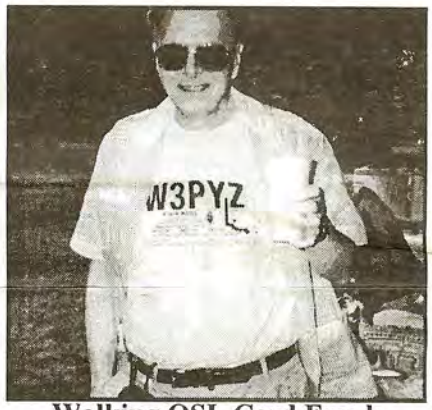
Eyeball Coordinator Gene N9OZI

The big boss Paul WI4Y

K8MZA, WK9O & KB5MRU

Some people don't like to have their picture taken, KE9OI

Dave W0VWD Very Wet Duck



Walking QSL Card Frank W3PYZ

Grand Prize Winner Fred KC4WKR

George N7UDT from way out west

Deep in thought planning an eyeball

Net Controllers Booster

Hello Century Clubbers:

Well, most folks think that all we do here on the "Rockbound Coast of Main" is sit back and eat Lobsters and Blueberries!!!
We sure do eat our share of Maine Lobsters, the Ambrosia of The Sea, and from time to time, I have been known to partake of a Blueberry or three!!

But, most of the time, I enjoy Hamming, working DX, and trying to work for the many fine Awards that are offered by the 3905 Century Club.

Ah, but there sometimes is a problem!!! Lots of nights, when everyone is at parade rest, waiting to pounce on those rare contacts, NOBODY SHOWS UP TO TAKE NET CONTROL, so there is either NO NET AT ALL, or else we all have to sit on our hands and wait until some unsuspecting soul wanders into the field of fire, and volunteers to be Net Control for the evening!!!!

To help out all of us who are routinely disappointed by not having a Net Control Station show up to start the Net, I have submitted some suggestions to the Board of Directors which would enhance the meager benefits enjoyed by Net Controls, and hopefully make it interesting enough so that many more folds would volunteer to take Net Control duties!!!

It isn't to complicated, all it would involve would be to allow NCS to have a BONUS CALL PER ROUND, rather than only one bonus call per net!!!! I wouldn't be Net Control for just one bonus call, and have to put up with all the QRM, QRN, and all the YOYO's who cause problems for Net Controls!! BUT, if I could get one BONUS CALL PER ROUND, and be able to work any Late Checkins as they checked in, I would stand in line at the Net Control Coordinator's Door, looking for the next night that was available for me to be Net Control, and make a good number of extra contracts for my efforts and time!!!

I spend a lot of hours being available as one of the few Stations in Maine for those who need Maine, and I have recently travelled a lot of miles giving out Mobile Contacts from some hard to get areas and State Capitols, but I would not ever be Net Control, unless there were some changes made to make it worthwhile!

I would rather drive several hundred miles, and spend money for fuel, to give out Capitals and rare States and Provinces!!!

If the majority of the Board of Directors went along with my proposed changes, we would all benefit by having more NCS's than we need, and never having to stand by waiting for someone to pick up the Net.

So 3905ers, if you would just let your Area Director know that you support any changes that would make the NCS's job more enjoyable and help us all make more and better contacts, the Board of Directors would be able to do what we elect them to do, they could represent us, and make changes that would be of benefit to all of the 3905 Club Members!!

So, I ask that you consider contacting your Area Director, and letting them know that you want improvements in the benefits available to Net Controls, so that we can continue to have Nets, and more folks will be motivated to volunteer to be Net Control Stations on 3905 Century Club Nets!!

By the time this appears in print, we will be heading for fall, and I'd like to ask you to give some thought to getting on 160 Meters this Fall and Winter. It doesn't take much effort to erect an Antenna for 160, though is does take a lot of room, so if you have Real Estate enough to get up a 160 dipole, you can get on a real nice band, and maybe be the last 160 contact I need for W.A.S. or some other Award from the Century Club...

Hope to work a lot of you from Hartford, Ct., and Albany, NY. this fall, probably in the middle of October!! If you need Quebec or New Brunswick, or Nova Scotia, on 40 or 75 Meters, drop me a line, and if I get enough interest, I will run all of them from my Mobile again this Fall!!

73 & Gook Hunting,

Fred KD1HH Republic of Maine

Subscriber Notices

Notices are availabel free to all current subscribers. Deadlines; Jan. 15 for Winter, Mar. 1 for Spring, June 15 for Summer and Sept. 15 for Fall

ORO-LOG2.0 (IBM-Format) Here's a dedicated 3905CCD logging Program. All nets including RTTY. Keep track of the awards offered by the club plus dupe checking. QSL information. Hit list, points checking and mosre. And this for onlyu $20 and includes a 5-1/4 disk operating manual and shippiong charge. Jim tester. KI7GO 1004 Cowlitz WAy. Kelso, WA 98626

Hamefile F. 19.3- Now In Color!

This very fast Commodore-64 based logging program includes soft/print. Move from file to file, and other great features. No other program is faster. This new version is completely compatibvle with older version. Mention 3905Cc for a special price of just $10.

Photographs wanted!

If you have a photograph of your self, alone, in the shack or with the family please send me a copy. I have been collecting Century Club photos for several years and have an extensive collection. If you have a photo of a member you wish to part with please include it so I can add it to my Rogue's Gallery. My address is Rita A. Weed KD1BM, 111176 Iranistan Ave. Bridgeport, CT 06605-1121

BOD Meetings

June 11, 1994

Meeting called to order by KF0RH at 0332z.

N9OZI moved to approved the minutes of the May 1994 Meetings. Approved

N9OZI moved to adjourn. Approved

Adjourned 0408z

July 9, 1994

Meeting called to order by KF0RH at 0330z

K8MZA moved to approved the minutes of the June 1994 meeting. Approved

NO5C moved that when a station is located on a state line (as defined by the 3905 Century Club) any station may work that station in BOTH states on one call. Each station would then send the other a separate QSL card for each state. MOTION FAILED FOR LACK OF A SECOND

K8MZA moved to refer the question of working a station on a state line for both states on one call to the awards committee. Approved

K8MZA moved to adjourn, Approved

Meeting adjourned 0347z

August 6, 1994

The meeting was held at starved Rock State Park, Utica, Illinois, during the 1994 eyeball. The minutes were recorded by KF0RH

Meeting call to order by KF0RH at 3:30pm local time.

K8MZA moved to approved the minutes of the July 1994 meeting. Approved

K8MZA moved to return the proposal to permit a station on state lines to be worked for both states on one call to the September 1994 agenda. Approved

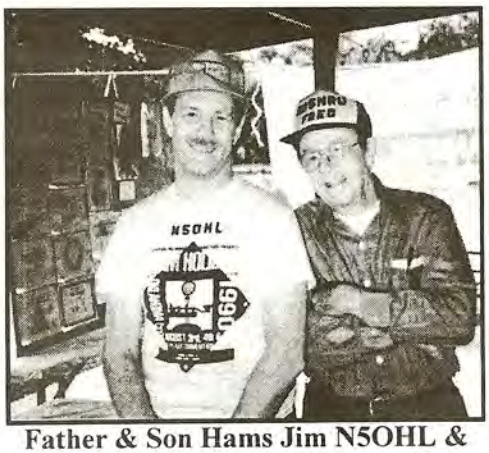
N9OZI moved to adjourn. Approved

Meeting adjourned at 3:30pm local time

1994 Eyeball Booklet

By Jim Byrd KD5FW

The 1994 Eyeball Booklet will soon be a reality. As soon as this newsletter is in the mail, I will start the booklet. With a little luck it will take about two or three weeks to have it ready to send to the printer. This year there will not be but a few booklets printed extra, so if you want one you need to get your orders in as soon as possible. The cost this year will be $8.00 and the booklet will be a little bigger and I hope a little better than last years. I plan at this time to have somewhere in the neighborhood of 80 to 100 pictures and cover 20 to 24 pages, I cannot be sure until I see how many of the pictures I have are usable. Again I must remind everyone that wants a booklet to get your order in as I will only print the amount I have orders for. I have made this arrangement with the printer so that I will not lose as much money as I did last year. So, folks if you want one you need to get your orders to me in the next three weeks. I believe y'all will be pleased with the booklet, the cover has been designed and ready for the printer, so all I need to do is start putting pictures in and ship it off.



Father & Son Hams Jim N5OHL & Fred KB5MRU

Preparing the Saturday afternoon meal

Looking forward to the next issue

Coming up in the Winter issue of the Centurion.

Annual Election information

A product review of KI7GO's ORO-LOG logging program.

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NCS AWARDS

FRED RICHARDSON
KB5MRU
MICHAEL LESTZ KF9UD
PAUL O'CONNOR N3OYB

75 Meters

100 POINT 1994 N30UF, 1995 NC8U, 1996 KN6WZ, 1997 AB6WS, 1998 KC5DIR, 1999 KE8QX, 2000 AB5SW, 2001 KG8CL, 2002 AA3BU, 2003 KC7ALM, 2004 WD4FXX, 2005 K5RHR, 2006 KB8NXY, 2007 WA4IAX, 2008 KF9UQ, 2009 KE3DK, 2010 N2MLU, 2011 KM6QF, 2012 KC4SLS, 2013 KR4TG

500 POINT KD1TU, KA2NMH, NC8U, N3OUC, AA0KK, KM6ZP, N8OYY, WA3TLT, KF9UD, N5OHL, KN6WZ

1000 POINT 321 VE3OVX, 322 NC8U, 323 AA0KK, 324 KI7RI, 325 AB5SL, 326 N5OHL

2000 POINT 95 W1BYH

3000 POINT 27 WY8J

6000 POINT 4 KA1IFC, 5 AB6TX, 6 KF9GP

7000 4 KA1IFC

ALPHABET 174 KA2NMH, 175 NC8U, 176 AB5SL, 177 AA0KK, 178 KD4EPK

BAKERS DOZ 319 AB5SL, 320 KF9UD, 321 NC8U, 322 KD4EPK, 324 K2LJJ, 327 KI7SJ, 329 KF9UD

MOB ENDOR AC4GY, AA8DP

CERT HUNTER 140 KC4KWR, 141 AB5SL

NITE OWL 146 KG7LS, 147 KD4EPK, 148 KB7PDL, 149 KF9FU

NOMAD 39 AA0KK

NOMAD 200 KD1HH

NOMAN 400 AD4SZ

POKER PLAYER 14 KI5RN

VIP 412 W3DHN, 414 KN6WZ, 416 KA2NMH, 417 AB5SL, 418 KI7SJ, 419 KF9UD, 420 KD1TU, 421 N0UCG

WAS 459 KA2NMH, 461 NC8U, 464 KR4GD, 465 KF9UD, 466 KB7PDL, 468 WA3TLT, 471 KB4MNG

WAS ENDOR KF9FU

W/VE KF9FU

WAS 40 STATES KD1HH

40 METERS

100 POINT 1673 AA3FC, 1674 VE3ROY, 1675 VE7HB, 1676 KC5DIR, 1677 AA3BU, 1678 KC7ALM, 1679 KB0KFW, 1680 KE3DK, 1681 WD4FXX, 1682 KA2NMH, 1683 N2XTT, 1684 N9WGK, 1685 KD1TU, 1686 KN6WZ, 1687 KR4TG

500 POINT VE7HB, K5GJ, KI7RI, KD1HH

1000 POINT 300 N7SZY

2000 POINT 101 AB6EN, 102 AA0KK, 103 NY5E, 104 WA9KCN

3000 POINT 43 KE9OI, 44 WB4HIN

5000 POINT 23 KI5RN

9000 8 KD1BM

10000 5 AB6TX, 6 K8MZA

ALPHABET 179 KI7SN

BAKERS DOZ 323 K5FNS, 325 KI7RI, 326 VE7FYQ, 328 AA0KK

MOB AC4GY

MOB ENDOR KF7YZ, AC4GY

CERT HUNTER 142 KI7SN

NITE OWL 102 KG7LS, 103 KF9FU, 104 KI7SN, 105 KM6QF

NOMAD 54 KD1HH, 55 AA0KK

WAS 458 VE3ROY, 460 KG0EZ, 462 KI7SN, 463 KD4EPK, 467 KI7RI, 469 AA3FC, 470 KE3DK

WAS CAPS 350 WY8J, 351 N8JZH

WAS ENDOR KF9FU

WAS/VE ENDOR KF9FU

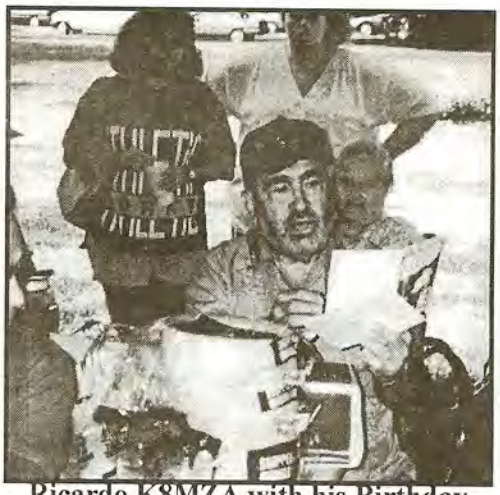
WAS CAPS 50 WA9KCN
50 ENDOR - WY8J

160 METERS

135 KR4GD, 136 KF9OQ

CALL SIGN CHANGES

WA9PQY NOW KF9FU



Ricardo K8MZA with his Birthday

John N8JZH & Barry WA4MFF

NET SCHEDULES

M, W, F, 80 Mtrs 3603khz 0300-0500z (CW Net)

Daily 75 Mtrs 3903.5khz 0200-0500z (Summer)(0200-0600z (Winter)

Daily 40 Mtrs 7233.5khz 0000-0400z

Daily there are Late Nets on 75 and 40 meters that start after the regular closing time for the Early Nets and they operate for approximately 3 hours.

M, W, F 40 Mtrs 70333-7035khz 0200-0400z (CW Net)

Tu, F, Sat 160 Mtrs 1892khz 0200-0500z

Sun 40 Mtrs 7083khz 0100-0300z (RTTY Net - 60WPM/170 Shift)

Listen to net frequencies for more info as to whether these nets are operational and for any time or frequency changes.

These times and dates are to the best of my knowledge correct, I have tried many sources trying to make sue it is correct. If in error please let me know so I can make the necessary corrections.

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Eyeball 95 Host

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