



# The Centurion

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## Antenna Shoot Out

### A Different Outcome !

#### Report From The The Eighth Annual 3905 Century Club Mobile Antenna Shoot Out

was held on 30 JULY, 2009 at the Vista Antique and Steam Engine Museum in Vista, Ca. Quite a few new faces joined us this year and we had a good turn out with 14 contestants. The mixture of recorded scores were spread over quite a range, but the winning scores were reasonably close together. Many of the participants are beginning to understand how we test our antennas and what is required of their systems in order to place in the top slots.

**The Results** are posted in the order of highest score first. Type of antenna, type of vehicle, and mount location are also included in the chart for comparison of “systems”. Please be sure to read the comments which follow the published results as there has been considerable controversy surrounding the shootout this year.

**Gloom, Despair, and Agony on me.....** That old song rings so true this year. I had expected to attend and conduct the shootout this year, but three last minute service calls at work prevented that.

So, I shipped the test gear to Loren with only days to spare. He put the shootout in the hands of two very shootout savvy individuals – K0WJ, Lon and NJ9T, Prez Pete. However, in all the confusion, I neglected to post the usual and customary set of procedures and rules which would normally preclude our annual event. This later proved to be disastrous for one contestant (Lon, K0WJ) when he failed to remember our cap hat size rule that would normally be enforced. When this was pointed out after the contest, Lon (being the honest person I have always know him to be) voluntarily disqualified himself from competition. This also meant forfeiting his first place finish, the “Top Gun” cap, and the first prize of a new Hi-Q Antenna (which he has since shipped to the second place finisher who was declared the winner upon Lon’s withdrawal).

**So what have we learned .....** Most of the controversy clouding this year’s event had to do with what I feel is lack of technical knowledge of how a mobile antenna system really works. Our little group of “antenna kickers” has been enjoying visiting with one another each year at the shootouts and having fun in the sun. We have also been learning from one another about which antenna set-ups work and which ones work better. Many have observed firsthand that even a marginal antenna (when mounted properly) can outperform a superior antenna (that has been mounted poorly).



1st . KG6YVD, Hayden Perrine

**One of the major complainants....** this year insisted that the test equipment could not have been working properly. I offered to let him pick up and try the gear for himself (and even Loren offered to deliver it), but he declined. After the gear was returned to me, I took it out in the field and tested it to insure it was working properly – it was. If anyone is interested, I have pix and results from testing three different brands of antennas from one vehicle and one mount location.

**Now the hard part.....** I sincerely regret the grief my inattention has caused the club, our club president, and especially my friend Lon. And, I am ashamed of and personally embarrassed by the behavior of one of the shootout participants that I specifically encouraged and invited to attend. For these reasons, I wish to offer an apology to all for this inattention on my part and desire to remove myself as “Shootout Master”. Hopefully some “new blood” will keep the spirit and excitement of our shootouts going for many years to come.

Thank you all...

73,

Tom - AA1NZ

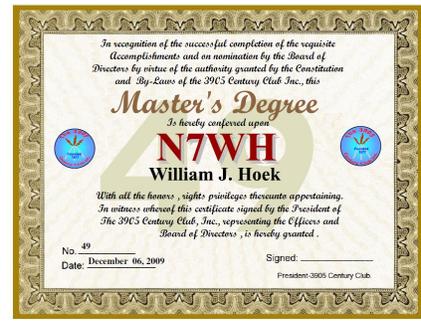
# Results at the antenna shoot out

Test Run #	CALL	Antenna Type	Vehicle Type	Mount Position	Signal in mV	Notes
3	KG6YVD	Tarheel 100 AD	Chevy Avalanche	Rear Bumper Left and High	119	Impressive installation
4	WQ1H	<b>Predator 3"</b>	Mini Van	Center Rear Hitch	116	Coil high above roofline on large van
8	WT0A	DK-3 w/16" Top Hat	Chevy Silverado	Bed Rail Behind Cab – Left	113	
2	NJ9T	<b>Predator 2" w/14" Top Hat</b>	Ford Escape	Rear Bumper – Left	112	Coil above roofline
9	N6TYF	Hi-Q 2.5/80	Pontiac Vibe	Mid-Roof Mag Mount	80	Nice high mount
11	KD7POJ	Hi-Q 5-160 w/EB Top Hat	Chevy Silverado	Bed Rail Behind Cab – Right	60	Coil close to cab
6	W5IL	Hamstick	Nissan Rogue SUV	Mid-Roof Mag Mount	56	Rental Car with high mag mount
13	WD6V	Hi-Q 5-160 w/EB Top Hat	Toyota SUV	Rear Bumper – Left	52	
7	N7JY	DK-3	Chevy Suburban	Rear Bumper – Left	49	Lossy duct tape??
12	AD7DB	Hamstick	Toyota Pickup	Rear Bumper – Left	40	Antenna mounted close alongside truck cap
1	K7FE	Hi-Q 5-160	Ford Windstar	Rear Bumper – Left	36/37	Found loose grounds (loosened by body shop) after testing
10	WB6BFG	Hi-Q 5-160	Dodge Ram 2500	Rear Bumper – Right	30	Coil mounted low below a lotta steel
14	W6HIQ	Hi-Q 5-160 w/EB Top Hat	Mercedes Benz SUV	Rear Bumper – Left	14	Coil and two egg-beater cap hats mounted very close to car body
5	KØWJ	Scorpion SA-680E w/4' Top Hat	Chevy Silverado	Mid Pickup Bed	NV	Lon voluntarily disqualified himself due to oversized cap hat

# Two New Masters

We have two new Masters here in December but they have not had time to send in a write up or photo for the Centurion yet . I hope to have a story from them by the next issue .

**Congratulations to :**  
**N7WH , William Hoek (49) and KC0MS , Karl Peterson (50)**



*Ain't they pretty !*



Ron

I just got a box from KD4POJ today. It has almost all the cards from his trip to the eyeball. Total wt was 10 pounds 2ozs. It probably is the largest 1 time shipment I've ever received. If you like you can use it in the Centurion if you need to fill a space up. FYI, I'm wearing a Minnesota Vikings tee shirt. HIHI, that should get Jay's NOPUI blood boiling.

Gene , WM9H

**Hey Jay , I'll bet that shirt has a number 4 on the back !**



## CCLOGGER

This program is written for us by Dean Davis, N7XG . It is a very powerful logging program and you will wonder how you every did without it . Not only will it keep your calls sorted but will print your cards and send a list out to the reflectors . Way too many features to mention here ! Download from : [www.Alpinesoft.com](http://www.Alpinesoft.com)

## GIB

This is Good in Bureau . This is a great program that is provided by Rick Mobley , WB5FDP . He has many helpful programs available for us to use . Awards look up by call , name or even for the month . Many more too ! <http://radiohome.com/wb5fdp/3905ccn/>

## Chat Room

We have a Chat Room that has been made available to us from AI, VE4ABU . Great fun to chat with fellow CCN members while the nets are going on and even when there not . Just drop by and say hello . Always a room full !

The Chat Room is only available by contacting AI and requesting a download . Quick and easy . You might be surprised who all you run into there .

Contact VE4ABU at qrz.com and send him an email !

This is just a quick example of the programs that a few of our members have written for us . Just to let you know what was out there . I hope to have more details about their great programs in future issues . In their words , not mine . (much better )

Ron Stanley , Editor

## On the road with Dwayne ,KD4POJ and Glen , WT0A

Episode1: In the beginning

It was a dark and stormy night, sometime in July '09 when Dwayne, KD4POJ and Glen, WT0A decided to try to put together a trip to the Eyeball in PA. Due to a late start in planning and lack of preparation, that was not to be. Dwayne had prior commitments and Glen just didn't have his ducks in a row.

However, with some scheming, they decided they would be able to do a trip of some kind in that general time frame. The 1<sup>st</sup> Annual Tri-State Run was born!

Meeting in SD at the home of Arend, KC00FZ, and Susan, KC0RSP, they started north, 1<sup>st</sup> stop ND/MN/SD. It was then they decided to run /P with a dipole and QRO power since the amplifier that Glen was delivering to Dwayne was in the camper with them and they had a generator. Not many had trouble hearing them.

From there they journeyed west to SD/MT/WY a great place to operate from.

### Next were WY, CO & NE, where the buffalo roam



Heading south, things got a little interesting. While trying to hook up with John, K7STM they experienced a blow out on one of the camper tires. After some gracious help from a local implement shop, back on the road again, but way behind schedule. After dark they found that the tail lights and running lights on the camper were not working. So, after driving many miles with the 4-way flashers on, they finally got to OK, TX, and NM in time for the late nets.

East was the next directional choice, they stopped for a nice visit with Mark, WQ5Y a friend of theirs from 1.947 MHz. After a show, a good meal and a good nights sleep they were on their way again.

Next stop was the OK, AR, MO lines- This was a unique stop as most of the locations Glen and Dwayne operated from they were alone. No visitors, except for the occasional cow, bird or frog. However this night was going to be different.



*Portable set up at Sunset*

They stopped and took pictures at KS, CO & NE, but did not operate from there because it was too early to stop and Glen had been there a week before.



After setting up across the street, (to keep away from the heavy truck traffic the road next to the marker gets), a car pull up behind the trailer. Glen went to investigate and came back to tell Dwayne he needed to go meet the visitor. "As I approached the car, I noted two people in the car. Figuring it was a safe bet the driver is who I needed to talk with, Dwayne introduced himself and found out it was not the driver that wanted to speak with him, but the passenger!"

It turned out the lot across the street from the marker, is shared by the gas station the passenger. "I have met some unique folks over the years in my travels. I have heard stories about some of the back woods kind of fellows (leaders of the clans) but never met one till that night. I think he said he was the 7<sup>th</sup> son of the 7<sup>th</sup> son and patriarch of the clan and some other interesting self declarations." said Dwayne, "And after a short chat and explanation of our purpose for our being there. The gentleman, I never really go his name only his titles, instructed me that NO ONE was allowed up that dirt road and if Glen and I saw any folks trespassing there we were to call him right away."

Dwayne went on to say, "I believe that the driver, who never spoke a word, was, the hired well.....Help (muscle) and he was none too friendly." Dwayne says that if you do this location, park either beside the monument or if need be, park more towards the gas stations side of the lot.



*Dwayne KD4POJ OK, AR MO line*

Then on they went to visit with Jerry, N0XWR, another fine friend from 1.947, in Joplin, MO. Everyone had a great time, they chatted for a long time, had lunch and Jerry gave Glen and Dwayne the nickel tour of the historic Jasper County Courthouse in Carthage near Joplin, Mo



After the visit with Jerry, off to KS, MO, OK line. This can be a bit difficult to find, if you don't watch for the almost hidden left turn you will end up at a large Casino.



*Old Marker*

On their way back to NE they stopped in Topeka, KS and had a great visit with Ray, N0KXL, & his wife Marge, one of the greatest couples you would ever want to meet. Glen and Dwayne spent a few hours with Ray and sadly it would be their last meeting with Ray. Ray passed away a few months later.

*Dwayne doing karate kid Crane stance imitation on new marker.*

After a days rest back at Glen's house they made a short trip to the NE/KS line. Then after making some more contacts they continued on their way towards SD and Arend's house to pick up Dwayne's truck. They had one more stop to go before they could end their Tri-State Run adventure. They set up mobile on MN, SD, and IA marker. Before they even left for the trip a fellow CCN member gave them a cryptic message. They would find something at the marker that was interesting. They found it. Maybe if you ever operate from there you will find what they did. NO, they won't tell you what it is...you have to look for yourself.



What a great trip!

*Ray N0KXL, Glen W0A*

The May trip, the 1<sup>st</sup> Annual Tornado Dare, was an impromptu jaunt. Dwayne needed to go to PA to take care of some family business and Glen offered to co-pilot. To make it interesting, it was decided to pick up a few southern states along the way and dare the Tornadoes.

After visits with Don, K0JMN and Dr. John, K0VET (1.947 group) in MO, they were able to op from MO cap on 75 m. This was not in the original plan to operate from the State Cap but it was a great opportunity to test all the antennas before any serious operations later on the trip. It was a good thing as they discovered a broken base mount to one of the 75m antennas. After the 75m net and checking into a motel they hooked up Dwayne's new Hi-Q, 5" 160 m antenna. They tested it out on 75m and then had a nice chat on 160m with Ed, NN2E. They were back in business with all the bands covered.

Before leaving MO Dwayne and Glen met up with Randy WL7YM for a short lunch and for Randy to pass on some items for our traveler's to deliver to Ed NN2E in KY. Those that frequent the 160m net know that Ed is also known as "Mr. 160m." Ed has been a great help over the years for the 160m nets.

Ed lives not far from Paducah, KY and it's really not a very difficult thing to get there, or so Glen and Dwayne thought. "Just look for the antenna" Dwayne said "we should be able to see it from the highway. Dwayne was right you can see the antenna from many directions on the highway. But, you can't get there from here! After nearly a ¼ tank of gas and about 5 different phone calls to Ed for directions they finally made their way to his house riding on fumes.

Next stop KY/TN, a great place to op from near Hazel, actually straddling the state lines. The next day they traveled through the hills of TN to meet up with Randy, KJ4JC and Doug, W0WSP, they have a great lunch and great visit with Randy and Doug and then were off to AL/MS. They had another good night on the bands and a lot of contacts in the logs.



**Dwayne and Glen with the 3905 First Lady , Jackie Williams WV4EVR**

After working the line Glen and Dwayne had the pleasure of stopping and visiting with Lee, KE4VYN in Atlanta. What a great guy. If you ever get to me Lee in person you will understand.

NC, SC was next, and still no Tornado's! Not as daring as our traveler's were hoping.

While on the line, some guy by the name of Mac made a comment that it was too bad WV wasn't on the itinerary because they would be more than welcome. Well guess who showed up on his doorstep the next night? Yep, that's right Mac ended up having visitors for the evening.



Mac was a great host, Glen and Dwayne both say, "Thanks for the Ramps Mac!"

After their visit and overnight stay with Mac, W8LMG it was on to PA. Dwayne's brother Daren and family were great hosts. Daren and Sharon have three great girls and they are some fun loving kids.

While leaving PA they made a stop at the PA/MD/WV line where met up with "The Tribe". What a nice ham radio family.



Just a note about the PA/MD/PA line, the old marker is right beside the dirt road however a new marker is about 1000ft away. The new marker is directly beneath a set of HIGH POWER TRANSMISSION LINES. Not a safe place to operate from, so use the Old Marker. You are still close enough to the actual tri-state to count it as good. Remember Safety FIRST!

1<sup>st</sup> stop after PA was to be OH, IN, MI line. Some invitations caused a stop at Dayton. This turned out to more frustrating then either could handle. After being sent all over the Dayton area, not even close to the Hamvention, Glen and Dwayne were able to get KB8UEY to give them directions. Our travelers, tired and frustrated from driving, joined up with Rob for a very short visit. With apologies and regrets our travelers went on to their original planned location.



**Dwayne Doug ,W0WSP Glen**



**Rob KB8UEY and Glen WT0A**



**Rob KB8UEY and Dwayne KD4POJ**

If you don't know your way around Dayton, don't like large crowd's and have not secured motel reservations a year in advance, and don't like being discouraged to find all the ticket offices are close before you get there...Stay home or plan for the trip to Dayton way in advance instead of a last minute swing into that city. "Rob, thanks for the help and sorry we didn't stay longer."

*This is such a great story and photos and very much appreciated . Look for the conclusion of Dwayne and Glen's mobile adventure in the next issue of the Centurion .*

**Ron Stanley , Editor**

Several hours behind schedule with the unsuccessful Dayton detour under their belts, they got back on the road for the MI/OH/IN Tri State. Arriving late to the marker, (the marker is hard to find, something about being covered with a storm drain cover, makes it a bit hard to see at night) they were still able to make a lot of great contacts.

After a good rest in the motel, they drove thru rain around Chicago wondering if they would again be behind schedule for the nets. But with a little luck they made it on time to the WI/IL line. With all the storms in the area it was a very noisy night on the air. Amazingly they made a lot of contacts; they want to thank the NCS and all the relays that made it a very successful night on the air.

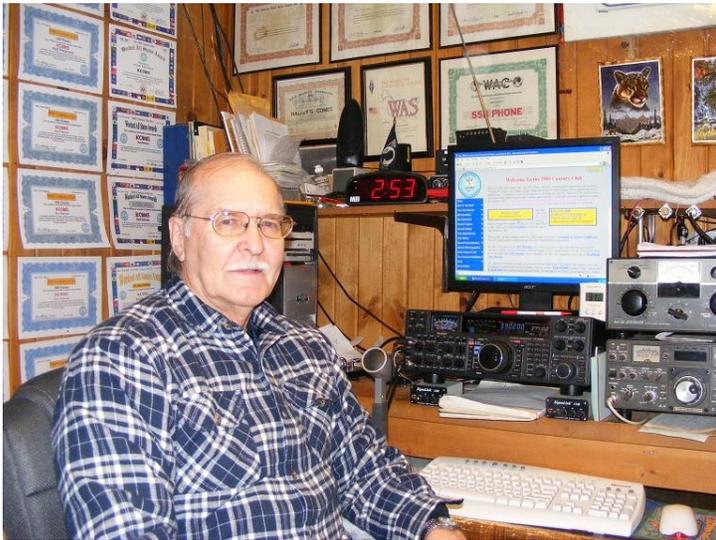
Finally across IA to NE to Glens house. "Iowa keeps getting wider every time I drive across it" said Glen. "It must be something in the water."

## **Mobiles on the Century Club**

**These are valuable contacts so next time you work a mobile tell them " thanks for being there "**



## This just in ....



# New Masters 50

## Karl Peterson

Prior to getting my Amateur ticket in the spring of 1981, I was, like many ops, a CB'er. I had a brand new President Washington base radio and a Wilson Laser 6 element Beam Antenna. Through a sheer accident from simply fooling around with the buttons on the rig, I found it rather curious when I pushed the "priority channel 9" button half-way in, the digital frequency readout would disappear, yet I could hear people talking "out there, where ever "there" was.

So, I rigged up a little jig, that allowed the button to be pushed in half-way and held there, and one fateful day, I keyed the microphone and called out if anybody could hear me. A fellow in Milano Italy came back to me and said I was 5 over 9. I could hardly believe my ears, but as a result of that first contact, I was "hooked" on making contacts to other stations out there, where ever "there" was.

I subsequently made over 30 DX contacts and collected "State flag Post Cards" (all the rage back then) of all 50 states. One late summer evening, I was enjoying a pleasant qso with a young lady named Michelle, located in Fairbanks Alaska,

when there came a knock on the front door. It was "Uncle Charlie", from the F.C.C., who just happened to be in town, checking out complaints regarding illegal CB activity in the area.

I was informed that they had monitored me operating on an unauthorized frequency, transmitting longer than 10 minutes without identifying my station call-letters, and communicating with a station more than 250 miles away....(the limit for Citizen Band, contacts). I pled guilty to everything but the operating on an illegal frequency part of their complaint.

It was then that I learned where "there" was, when they informed me I was transmitting on 27.445MHz....channel "44" in CB lingo. They accused me of having a modified transmitter, which I vehemently denied, saying I bought it brand new from Comtron Electronics in town and it has not had any adjustments or modifications done to it.

When I showed them my little trick with the Channel 9 priority button, and because the rig had an FCC approved tag on the back, they elected not to confiscate it,

however advised me that if I really wanted to talk DX like I was doing, I should go apply for a ham radio license.

I did, and within a month, got my novice ticket, informed the F.C.C. of my actions and received a letter in the mail a few days later telling me that due to my cooperation and becoming a licensed amateur operator, they were dropping all further proceedings against me. A number of other operators in town were not so fortunate, having incurred substantial monetary fines as well as having their equipment confiscated.

Three months later I upgraded to Advanced and now we jump to the summer of '81, when I made my very first Century Club contact with a station in Louisiana, when the club was actually *on* 3.905MHz. This was back when I also had a contact with a fellow I now refer to as the Voice of America, whom y'all know as W5NNO, *before* he had his 40 and 75m 100 pt awards.

I may not be as old as some members of the Century Club, but I do go back a '*few*' years as I kicked around the nets for a good while...even was an NCS on occasion in the mid 1980's.....but never considered the idea of applying for any of the awards the club offered..not even the 100 pointer one.

When I expanded my business in '91, which left little time for such luxuries as Ham Radio, I became much inactive until I sold the business, retired, and dusted off what is now considered an "antique" Kenwood TS830S; replaced all the coaxes and rotor control cables on the tower, (squirrels had stripped much of the insulation off over the years), and keyed the old straight key for the first time in nearly 17 years and was surprised to see the watt meter show I was "getting out".

That was in the fall of 2007. The "Dragon" was back on the air again! Initially, the Dragon handle was the result of my drag-racing days where I had the name Magik Draggin painted on the side of my ram-inducted Dodge Dart. Nowadays, the moniker has been modified to Dragon's Breath in honor of my pet and faithful companion, a big stray Tomcat I adopted from the animal shelter, who shares the shack with me. He has *got* to have the foulest breath.....hence the name of the Club.

One of the first things I did after getting back on the air, was to hunt down one of the Century Club nets and check in.

It was all uphill from there, as it was then I decided to do something with all those cards I had collected from past years...

and I actively began in earnest in going after some of the Century Club awards.

The rest is "history" now. Believe me, I can certainly appreciate those who obtained their Masters Awards long before me...*before* the benefits of some technological aids that we have today. What those early Masters accomplished was a sheer stupendous and absolutely *awesome* achievement!

And while I may have had the benefit of some of the advances in licensing, sophisticated buro operations, and easily obtainable "vanity calls", by no stretch of ones imagination, could it be said that all that made becoming a Master, EASY.

EasIER maybe, to some degree, but no means was it EASY! I almost quit and gave up on a number of occasions, thinking this is just plain 'impossible' to do....but with a lot of encouragement from a lot of helpful and concerned Club members, I stuck with it, until one day while sorting through the literal PILE of cards I had, pieces of that Poker Player award suddenly started falling into place.

I can't say enough and dole out enough praise to each and every individual who helped make becoming Master Number 50 a reality for me, and it would be virtually impossible to attempt to list them here....and if I did try, knowing me, I'd end up leaving someone out.

Suffice it to say, it was a "club effort"...I couldn't have and didn't do this alone and all by myself. If you fellow club members had not participated in the nets, I would probably STILL be out there scraping and scratching for cards to do the 1k awards.

Thank you, one and all. I am proud to be included in with the ranks of the Masters who have come before me, and I will look forward in welcoming those Masters who will come after me as you have welcomed me. And thank you ALL for helping make this a very special day for me.

After all these years, *FINALLY*...I am a "Master" at something, heh heh heh.

73, good health, good hamming, and the best of the upcoming Holiday season, and a prosperous 2010. Karl aka KC0MS (Master #50)



***Thanks Karl !***

***I hope to have a report from bill Hoek , N7WH Master #49 in the next issue of the Centurion .***

# A message from our Club Vice President , Rick Mobley , WB5FDP

## Volunteering

Theme: "Volunteers improve our club."

Volunteering is many times misunderstood. Many people who volunteer do not consider that this is what they are doing. They think what they are doing is just part of being helpful or being a good member but it goes much beyond that.

The most visible volunteers to many may be our club officers, net control stations, net coordinators and our awards processors. But we have members, many of which are much less visible in our club that performs many duties to enhance this club and to keep it going. We have committees that review documents, assist the board of directors in researching decisions and help us to keep a watch on the organization. We have tutors and mentors that step in to help a new NCS get started. Many of these same mentors may help a "first timer" on the net by explaining our protocol while on the net. We have stations that provide much needed relay help when the bands are in bad shape. There are many ways of volunteering other than holding an office.

Every aspect of this organization exists because of volunteers. We are all volunteers and our pay is the enjoyment we receive from doing more than just participating in a net. Some of our officers are rarely heard on the nets but they do an important job in keeping this club alive. Would we like for them to check in? You bet! But we all understand that making time to check into a long running net can take hours away from your family. Imagine how much time our net control stations spend on the nets. Some stations are there for one round, some for two or more; NCS is there for the duration of the net.

If you look at an object from a distance, it may look smooth, almost glassy. But, if you put it under a microscope, you will see that the object is really not smooth at all, but has lots of jagged, sometimes sharp, edges and holes, dents or voids. The same applies in our organization. To you and me a net might not seem to run as smooth as we would like for it to, but to those that are listening in, the net may appear to be running as smooth as glass. We have our volunteers to thank for our appearance.

I would like to challenge all of our members to find a way to be helpful to our club. Find something you are comfortable in doing, and in your own way volunteer. Statistics show that we have around 600 members active on our nets at any one time during the year. We have just over 1900 nets per year. This year we have had 69 stations receiving credit for net control on these nets. The thanks that you give your NCS during and after the nets are very much appreciated. What can you do as an active participant? Something as simple as being ready for your call when your turn comes up can make our nets run more smoothly. Providing relay help when ask, or when no one else steps up for a station that is having trouble can cut time spent trying to complete a call.

So what are you waiting on? Volunteer today. If you have tried to volunteer in the past, but didn't get a response, try again. Don't give up, keep trying. There are times that a

particular task may not need additional resources, and other times that we do. Next month may be different than the last and we don't keep a list of wanna-be helpers, although I suppose we should.

"Volunteers Improve Our Club"

73,  
Rick - WB5FDP  
3905 CCN Vice President



**If you have an idea or a suggestion that you would like to see implemented by our club let me know and I'll get it to the right person in our club that can handle the request .**

**Email me at :  
nc4rs@triad.rr.com**

# Upcoming Elections for even number areas and President

Nominations for the election of Even Area Directors and Club President have been closed and voting will begin December 15, 2009 and run until January 15, 2010. There will be an on the air election for President only January 30, 2010. There will be two ways to vote, you will be able to vote online and also mail in votes may be sent to Bill Martin WM4SG at 120 Yancy Drive Marietta, GA 30067. To vote for

Area Director, you need a 100 point number and live in the area you wish to vote. All members vote for President and again you need a 100 point number to vote.



The candidates Follow:

## 2nd Area,

Peter Summers N2XTT

## 4th Area,

Ronald Staley NC4RS

Rusty Kirkpatrick AJ4RK

Stephen McBride KI4VBA

## 6th Area,

Ray Hunter W6EST

## 8th Area,

Miles Marsh W8NET

John Fisher W8JMF

## 10th Area,

Dwayne Lipscomb KD4POJ

Glen Felt WT0A

## President,

Jay Wieland N0PUI

Ricky Asper AC7RA

Rick Mobley WB5FDP

Please, everyone vote,  
we would like a big turn out.

Thanks, Pete Thornton NJ9T  
3905 Century Club President



## Tower Down in 30 minutes

I needed this tower down and after a number of trips to the top I decided that at my age and in my health situation there had to be another way than the old gen pole approach . This tower is a Rohn 45 and is (or was ) 86 feet in the air . I had already taken down the tri bander and the verticals all that was left was a 17 element 2 meter antenna .

I have a friend that happens to have an electric company and big boom trucks . I remember seeing him setting very large light poles with ease and thought maybe if he could hook to my tower a little above the middle to find a balance point then he could lower it to the ground and after talking to him his said no problem . Well he still charged me \$100 bucks an hour but hey that's his thing ! Actually he was only there a little over half an hour so it cost me \$50.00 . I had the guide line down and the bolts out from the bottom section . Another great thing is when a big boom truck pulls up in your neighborhood all the guys that live around you come out to help , they can't help it !

This worked out really well and I highly recommend this for a quick take down .

Ronnie , NC4RS ,73

# Email Reflectors Groups

**Our email reflectors have been a big help and make the nets run smoothly .**

3905 Checkins : While on the net follow along with the check in list  
 3905 Chat Group : General discussion and Club information  
 3905 Award Talk : Q&A of awards .  
 Hamtown : General Friendly chat ( fun but clean please ) also check in list for each net .

**If you want to use links to signups for each of the groups, here they are...**

3905Chatgp <http://groups.yahoo.com/group/3905chatgp/>  
 3905Checkins <http://groups.yahoo.com/group/3905checkins/>  
 3905AwdTalk <http://groups.yahoo.com/group/3905AwdTalk/>  
 Hamtown <http://groups.yahoo.com/group/HamTown/>

You will have to subscribe and be approved for each you would like to join .



## Our Club has many fine Awards !

Here is a complete listing of awards issued .

### 20 Meter CW 100 Point

N7WH 50 20 Bill Hoek 11/13/2009

### 20 Meter RTTY 100 Point

K14WCQ 55 20 Johnny D. Allen 9/11/2009  
 KD4POJ 56 20 Dwayne E. Lipscomb, Sr. 10/8/2009

### 40 Meter CW 100 Point

W9OO 190 40 Carl Durnavich 9/18/2009  
 VE3CMB 191 40 Craig McLoughlin 11/4/2009

### 40 Meter RTTY 100 Point

KC2PUF 142 40 Shep Kilby 10/25/2009  
 WB0PYF 143 40 Ray Myers 10/26/2009

### 40 Meter SSB 100 Point

WT3G 2667 40 Wallace Williams 9/11/2009  
 K1GIG 2668 40 Arline Lovell 9/11/2009  
 NX5L 2669 40 Fred Maddox 9/15/2009  
 W8EMT 2670 40 Mike Stevens 9/21/2009  
 N2PRT 2671 40 Don Cassarini 10/4/2009  
 N1RNJ 2672 40 Gary R. Sheridan, Jr. 10/5/2009  
 AA2DS 2673 40 Donald D. Sayre 10/5/2009  
 KC5WA 2674 40 Robert Conley 10/21/2009  
 KE5IAK 2675 40 Stephen Neesley 10/26/2009  
 KL7CWN 2676 40 Leonard Collins 11/2/2009  
 KF7DIL 2677 40 Orson Garnsey 11/22/2009  
 K9EA 2678 40 Dan Michnay 12/3/2009



**40 Meter SSB 500 Point**

KE5SOK	98	40	Robert F. Nall	9/8/2009
WH6S	99	40	Richard Nelson	9/24/2009
N2PRT	100	40	Don Cassarini	10/4/2009
KD4POJ	101	40	Dwayne E. Lipscomb, Sr.	10/18/2009
KC0PLZ	102	40	John Phillips	10/19/2009

**40 Meter SSB 1000 Point**

KE5SOK	538	40	Robert F. Nall	9/8/2009
NC7Z	539	40	Bob Wakefield	9/23/2009
WH6S	540	40	Richard Nelson	9/24/2009
KD4POJ	541	40	Dwayne E. Lipscomb, Sr.	10/31/2009
KC0PLZ	542	40	John Phillips	11/13/2009

**40 Meter SSB 2000 Point**

WH6S	252	40	Richard Nelson	9/24/2009
AC7RA	253	40	Ricky Asper	10/7/2009
KE1KT	254	40	Bernard J. Cass	11/13/2009
KD4POJ	255	40	Dwayne E. Lipscomb, Sr.	11/14/2009
KC0MS	256	40	Karl Peterson	11/30/2009

**40 Meter SSB 3000 Point**

W8JMF	126	40	John M. Fisher	10/21/2009
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**40 Meter SSB 5000 Point**

W5NMX	70	40	Charlie W Carpenter	9/28/2009
NN5G	71	40	Paul Kelly, Jr.	10/13/2009

**40 Meter SSB 6000 Point**

KB4AEX	49	40	Steve Miller	9/20/2009
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**40 Meter SSB 10000 Point**

K5SVC	23	40	Frank Krize III	10/25/2009
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**40 Meter SSB 28000 Point**

K5FNS	2	40	Joe Rebecca	9/8/2009
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**40 Meter SSB Beat The Clock**

K8VGM	25	40	Vicki Mate	9/2/2009
WB1I	26	40	Fred Caswell	9/18/2009
K4MIA	27	40	Michael N. Bald	9/20/2009
KI4VBA	28	40	Stephen McBride	9/26/2009
NC7Z	29	40	Bob Wakefield	11/2/2009
K4WIT	30	40	Jon Wittlin	11/13/2009

**40 Meter SSB Journeyman**

WB1I	61	40	Fred Caswell	9/18/2009
KC2PUF	62	40	Shep Kilby	10/25/2009
VE3CMB	63	40	Craig McLoughlin	11/25/2009

**40 Meter SSB Nite Owl**

KH6G	300	40	Clarence Gardner	9/12/2009
NC7Z	301	40	Bob Wakefield	10/8/2009
KD4POJ	302	40	Dwayne E. Lipscomb, Sr.	10/18/2009
VE3CMB	303	40	Craig McLoughlin	11/4/2009
K4WIT	304	40	Jon Wittlin	11/13/2009

**40 Meter SSB Nomad**

N1RNJ	197	40	Gary R. Sheridan, Jr.	10/5/2009
AC7RA	198	40	Ricky Asper	11/10/2009

**40 Meter SSB Numbers Racket**

KC0MS	188	40	Karl Peterson	9/6/2009
AC7RA	189	40	Ricky Asper	10/6/2009
KB4AEX	190	40	Steve Miller	10/26/2009
NJ4O	191	40	Larry D. Neupert	11/25/2009
VE3CMB	192	40	Craig McLoughlin	11/25/2009

**40 Meter SSB Prefix**

KC2PUF	25	40	Shep Kilby	10/25/2009
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**40 Meter SSB Worked All Canada**

W8JMF	3	40	John M. Fisher	9/21/2009
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**75 Meter SSB 100 Point**

K0MAF	2889	75	John "Jack" Hubby	9/3/2009
W8EMT	2890	75	Mike Stevens	9/21/2009
KI4FSZ	2891	75	Jeff Partington	9/23/2009
AC7RA	2892	75	Ricky Asper	10/6/2009
KE5IAK	2893	75	Stephen Neesley	10/7/2009
K8IZK	2894	75	Robert Cole	10/15/2009
KJ4GLK	2895	75	Kevin Qualls	11/9/2009
AB2NG	2896	75	David Heath	11/15/2009
NY3Z	2897	75	Jonathon Vidal	11/24/2009
W2UJ	2898	75	Russell Sawyer	12/3/2009
W9LDO	2899	75	Lynn E. Oliva	12/5/2009
W9DCO	2900	75	David Oliva	12/5/2009

**75 Meter SSB 500 Point**

W0WSP 82 75 Doug Aldrich 10/2/2009  
 AC7RA 83 75 Ricky Asper 10/6/2009  
 KD4POJ 84 75 Dwayne E. Lipscomb, Sr.  
 10/18/2009

**75 Meter SSB 1000 Point**

AC7RA 506 75 Ricky Asper 10/6/2009

**75 Meter SSB 2000 Point**

AC7RA 203 75 Ricky Asper 10/8/2009  
 KC2PUF 204 75 Shep Kilby 10/11/2009  
 NC4JR 205 75 Ronald E. Stanley, Jr.  
 11/9/2009

**75 Meter SSB 5000 Point**

K3CD 40 75 Tom Edmonds 10/12/2009

**75 Meter SSB 6000 Point**

NN5G 27 75 Paul Kelly, Jr. 10/13/2009

**75 Meter SSB 8000 Point**

N5OHL 15 75 Jim Richardson 9/18/2009

**75 Meter SSB Beat The Clock**

K8VGM 19 75 Vicki Mate 9/2/2009  
 NC7Z 20 75 Bob Wakefield 11/2/2009

**75 Meter SSB Dictionary**

WB1I 19 75 Fred Caswell 9/18/2009

**75 Meter SSB Journeyman**

VE3CMB 34 75 Craig McLoughlin 11/25/2009

**75 Meter SSB Nite Owl**

NC7Z 340 75 Bob Wakefield 10/5/2009  
 AC7RA 341 75 Ricky Asper 10/6/2009  
 KD4POJ 342 75 Dwayne E. Lipscomb, Sr.  
 10/18/2009

**75 Meter SSB Numbers Racket**

KC0MS 148 75 Karl Peterson 9/4/2009  
 KD4POJ 149 75 Dwayne E. Lipscomb, Sr.  
 10/18/2009

**75 Meter SSB Prefix**

KC2PUF 11 75 Shep Kilby 10/25/2009

**75 Meter SSB Nomad**

KC2PUF 126 75 Shep Kilby 10/11/2009  
 KC2PUF 126 75 Shep Kilby 10/11/2009  
 KC2PUF 126 75 Shep Kilby 10/11/2009  
 KC2PUF 126 75 Shep Kilby 10/17/2009  
 KC2PUF 126 75 Shep Kilby 10/25/2009  
 WT0A 138 75 Glen Felt 9/22/2009  
 N1RNJ 140 75 Gary R. Sheridan, Jr. 10/5/2009  
 KD4POJ 141 75 Dwayne E. Lipscomb, Sr.  
 10/11/2009

**75 Meter SSB Numbers Racket**

KC0MS 148 75 Karl Peterson 9/4/2009  
 KD4POJ 149 75 Dwayne E. Lipscomb, Sr.  
 10/18/2009

**75 Meter SSB Prefix**

KC2PUF 11 75 Shep Kilby 10/25/2009

**160 Meter SSB 100 Point**

W8EMT 540 160 Mike Stevens 9/21/2009  
 KB9TAA 541 160 Virgil Smith 10/17/2009

**160 Meter SSB 500 Point**

KD4POJ 17 160 Dwayne E. Lipscomb, Sr.  
 10/18/2009

**160 Meter SSB 1000 Point**

KD4POJ 25 160 Dwayne E. Lipscomb, Sr.  
 11/30/2009

**160 Meter SSB Beat The Clock**

K8VGM 5 160 Vicki Mate 9/2/2009

**3905 Annual Roundup**

VE3CMB 4 75 Craig McLoughlin 11/25/2009  
 WB1I 5 Mix Fred Caswell 12/4/2009

**Alphabet 40 and 75 Meter SSB**

KB9KE 534 40 Joseph Malec 9/2/2009  
 KE4VYN 535 40 F. Lee George 9/22/2009  
 WT0A 536 75 Glen Felt 10/18/2009  
 W1MPF 537 40 Scott Lavertu 10/21/2009  
 NC7Z 538 75 Bob Wakefield 10/21/2009  
 NC7Z 539 40 Bob Wakefield 10/21/2009  
 VE3CMB 540 40 Craig McLoughlin 11/4/2009  
 K9TPT 541 75 Ken Simmons 12/3/2009

**Bakers Dozen**

NC4JR	1718	40	Ronald E. Stanley, Jr.	
9/9/2009				
NN5G	1719	40	Paul Kelly, Jr.	9/9/2009
NN5G	1720	75	Paul Kelly, Jr.	9/9/2009
NN5G	1721	75	Paul Kelly, Jr.	9/9/2009
NN5G	1722	40	Paul Kelly, Jr.	9/9/2009
KK2M	1723	40	Art Broome	9/12/2009
WQ1H	1724	75	David Smith	9/14/2009
WQ1H	1725	40	David Smith	9/14/2009
WQ1H	1726	40	David Smith	9/14/2009
WQ1H	1727	40	David Smith	9/14/2009
WQ1H	1728	40	David Smith	9/14/2009
W6XLR	1729	40	Richard Sauneuf	9/17/2009
KI4DFS	1730	75	David C. Reece	9/24/2009
NX7F	1731	40	David A. Reed	9/27/2009
N2XTT	1732	40	Peter Summers	9/30/2009
NX7F	1733	40	David A. Reed	10/1/2009
AC7RA	1734	40	Ricky Asper	10/6/2009
KD4POJ	1735	40	Dwayne E. Lipscomb, Sr.	
10/8/2009				
KD4POJ	1736	160	Dwayne E. Lipscomb, Sr.	
10/10/2009				
KD4POJ	1737	160	Dwayne E. Lipscomb, Sr.	
10/10/2009				
WT0A	1738	75	Glen Felt	10/18/2009
WT0A	1739	75	Glen Felt	10/18/2009
W8JMF	1740	40	John M. Fisher	10/21/2009
W8JMF	1741	40	John M. Fisher	10/21/2009
W5NMX	1742	40	Charlie W Carpenter	10/21/2009
W5NMX	1743	40	Charlie W Carpenter	10/21/2009
W5NMX	1744	40	Charlie W Carpenter	10/21/2009
W5NMX	1745	40	Charlie W Carpenter	10/21/2009
W5NMX	1746	40	Charlie W Carpenter	10/21/2009
W5NMX	1747	40	Charlie W Carpenter	10/21/2009
W5NMX	1748	40	Charlie W Carpenter	10/21/2009
W5NMX	1749	40	Charlie W Carpenter	10/21/2009
W5NMX	1750	40	Charlie W Carpenter	10/21/2009
W5NMX	1751	40	Charlie W Carpenter	10/21/2009
KC2PUF	1752	40	Shep Kilby	10/25/2009
KC2PUF	1753	75	Shep Kilby	10/25/2009
KC2PUF	1754	40	Shep Kilby	10/25/2009
KC2PUF	1755	75	Shep Kilby	10/25/2009
KC2PUF	1756	40	Shep Kilby	10/25/2009
VE3CMB	1757	40	Craig McLoughlin	11/4/2009
VE3CMB	1758	75	Craig McLoughlin	11/4/2009
VE3CMB	1759	40	Craig McLoughlin	11/4/2009
NJ4O	1760	40	Larry D. Neupert	11/9/2009
WT0A	1761	40	Glen Felt	11/9/2009
NJ4O	1762	40	Larry D. Neupert	11/13/2009
NJ4O	1763	40	Larry D. Neupert	11/13/2009
NJ4O	1764	40	Larry D. Neupert	11/13/2009
NJ4O	1765	40	Larry D. Neupert	11/13/2009
AI3CD	1766	40	Clifford Davis	11/20/2009
K5SVC	1767	40	Frank Krize III	11/27/2009
K5SVC	1768	40	Frank Krize III	11/27/2009
K5SVC	1769	40	Frank Krize III	11/27/2009
K5SVC	1770	40	Frank Krize III	11/27/2009
K5SVC	1771	40	Frank Krize III	11/27/2009

**Bakers Dozen cont.**

K5SVC	1772	40	Frank Krize III	11/27/2009
K5SVC	1773	40	Frank Krize III	11/27/2009
NJ4O	1774	40	Larry D. Neupert	11/27/2009
NJ4O	1775	40	Larry D. Neupert	11/27/2009
NJ4O	1776	40	Larry D. Neupert	11/27/2009
NJ4O	1777	40	Larry D. Neupert	11/27/2009
W8JMF	1778	75	John M. Fisher	11/30/2009
W8JMF	1779	75	John M. Fisher	11/30/2009
VE6LMD	1780	75	Larry Dubois	12/4/2009
VE6LMD	1781	75	Larry Dubois	12/4/2009
VE6LMD	1782	40	Larry Dubois	12/4/2009

**Bakers Dozen Cert of Appreciation**

WC0PD	310	40	Dean Monroe	9/9/2009
WX5OU	311	40	Quail Ridge QRP Club	
9/9/2009				
KD4POJ	312	75	Dwayne E. Lipscomb, Sr.	
9/9/2009				
WT0A	313	75	Glen Felt	9/9/2009
N6RSH	314	40	Steven D. Panattoni	9/9/2009
KC2PUF	315	40	Shep Kilby	9/12/2009
WC0PD	316	75	Dean Monroe	9/14/2009
N7BYU	317	40	Brigham Young Univ ARC	
9/14/2009				
WD5JRO	318	40	Field Comm. Club of Los Alamos	
9/14/2009				
NI7F	319	40	Richard Harris	9/14/2009
W5IL	320	40	Richard Smale	9/14/2009
N6RSH	321	40	Steven D. Panattoni	9/17/2009
WC0PD	322	75	Dean Monroe	9/24/2009
WT0A	323	40	Glen Felt	9/27/2009
N5OHL	324	40	Jim Richardson	9/30/2009
N6RSH	325	40	Steven D. Panattoni	10/1/2009
WT0A	326	40	Glen Felt	10/6/2009
N6RSH	327	40	Steven D. Panattoni	10/8/2009
KG4NBL	328	160	Gene Buechner	10/10/2009
KI4BVV	329	160	Gene Buechner	10/10/2009
KD1EJ	330	75	David R. Perry	10/18/2009
KI4DFS	331	75	David C. Reece	10/18/2009
WT0A	332	40	Glen Felt	10/21/2009
KD4POJ	333	40	Dwayne E. Lipscomb, Sr.	
10/21/2009				
K3QX	334	40	Ed Herbrechtsmeier	10/21/2009
KD4POJ	335	40	Dwayne E. Lipscomb, Sr.	
10/21/2009				
KI4DFS	336	40	David C. Reece	10/21/2009
W5IL	337	40	Richard Smale	10/21/2009
WR3G	338	40	Rocky Gorge Amateur RC	
10/21/2009				
N6RSH	339	40	Steven D. Panattoni	10/21/2009
NI2S	340	40	John D. Bransford	10/21/2009
WT0A	341	40	Glen Felt	10/21/2009
WU0B	342	40	Southeast Nebraska ARC	
10/21/2009				
WX5OU	343	40	Quail Ridge QRP Club	
10/21/2009				
KD8JCO	344	40	Zachary Williams	10/25/2009
WV4EVR	345	75	Jacqueline Williams	10/25/2009
WV4EVR	346	40	Jacqueline Williams	10/25/2009
K5DUG	347	75	Doug Thompson	10/25/2009
KD8EZS	348	75	Kevin Williams	10/25/2009

**Bakers Dozen Cert of Appreciation cont.**

KD4POJ 349 40 Dwayne E. Lipscomb, Sr.  
 11/4/2009  
 K5DUG 350 75 Doug Thompson 11/4/2009  
 WX5OU 351 40 Quail Ridge QRP Club  
 11/4/2009  
 KD4POJ 352 40 Dwayne E. Lipscomb, Sr.  
 11/9/2009  
 N6RSH 353 40 Steven D. Panattoni 11/9/2009  
 WX5OU 354 40 Quail Ridge QRP Club  
 11/13/2009  
 W0G 355 40 Club 11/13/2009  
 WT0A 356 40 Glen Felt 11/13/2009  
 WU0B 357 40 Southeast Nebraska ARC  
 11/13/2009  
 WV4EVR 358 40 Jacqueline Williams 11/20/2009  
 KD8JCO 359 40 Zachary Williams 11/27/2009  
 WB1DSJ 360 40 Robert E. Crossette 11/27/2009  
 KC2PUF 361 40 Shep Kilby 11/27/2009  
 KD4POJ 362 40 Dwayne E. Lipscomb, Sr.  
 11/27/2009  
 VE9SX 363 40 Melanie Wade 11/27/2009  
 NE9DH 364 40 Jim Wade 11/27/2009  
 K4NOP 365 40 Michael Newland 11/27/2009  
 NE9DH 366 40 Jim Wade 11/27/2009  
 VE9SX 367 40 Melanie Wade 11/27/2009  
 VE4CCN 368 40 Century Club 11/27/2009  
 KO7OS 369 40 COOS Curry Contest Club  
 11/27/2009  
 VE9SX 370 75 Melanie Wade 11/30/2009  
 WA3EOP 371 75 Page Pyne 11/30/2009  
 KP3VA 372 75 Poinciana DX Group 12/4/2009  
 WX5OU 373 75 Quail Ridge QRP Club  
 12/4/2009  
 WX5OU 374 40 Quail Ridge QRP Club  
 12/4/2009

**Call Area**  
 WB1I 332 1 Fred Caswell 9/18/2009  
 WB1I 332 10 Fred Caswell 9/18/2009  
 WB1I 332 2 Fred Caswell 9/18/2009  
 WB1I 332 3 Fred Caswell 9/18/2009  
 WB1I 332 4 Fred Caswell 9/18/2009  
 WB1I 332 5 Fred Caswell 9/18/2009  
 WB1I 332 6 Fred Caswell 11/8/2009  
 WB1I 332 7 Fred Caswell 9/18/2009  
 WB1I 332 8 Fred Caswell 9/18/2009  
 WB1I 332 9 Fred Caswell 9/18/2009  
 WT0A 333 1 Glen Felt 10/4/2009  
 WT0A 333 10 Glen Felt 10/11/2009  
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 WT0A 333 3 Glen Felt 10/11/2009  
 WT0A 333 4 Glen Felt 10/11/2009  
 WT0A 333 5 Glen Felt 10/11/2009  
 WT0A 333 7 Glen Felt 10/11/2009  
 WT0A 333 8 Glen Felt 10/11/2009  
 WT0A 333 9 Glen Felt 10/11/2009  
 NC7Z 334 10 Bob Wakefield 11/16/2009  
 NC7Z 334 4 Bob Wakefield 12/1/2009  
 NC7Z 334 5 Bob Wakefield 11/25/2009  
 NC7Z 334 6 Bob Wakefield 11/8/2009  
 NC7Z 334 7 Bob Wakefield 11/16/2009  
 NC7Z 334 8 Bob Wakefield 12/1/2009

**Certificate Hunters 40 and 75 SSB**

W8JMF 444 40 John M. Fisher 10/21/2009  
 KB3OJM 497 40 James Osborne 9/3/2009  
 N1RNJ 498 75 Gary R. Sheridan, Jr. 10/5/2009  
 VE6LMD 499 40 Larry Dubois 10/9/2009  
 VE6LMD 499 40 Larry Dubois 10/9/2009  
 VE6LMD 500 75 Larry Dubois 10/9/2009  
 VE6LMD 500 75 Larry Dubois 10/9/2009  
 WT0A 501 75 Glen Felt 10/18/2009  
 K4WIT 502 40 Jon Wittlin 11/13/2009  
 NC7Z 503 40 Bob Wakefield 11/14/2009  
 NC7Z 504 75 Bob Wakefield 11/16/2009

**DX 40 and 75 Meter SSB**

NN5G 100 40 Paul Kelly, Jr. 10/3/2009  
 W8JMF 121 40 John M. Fisher 10/21/2009  
 W0WSP 171 40 Doug Aldrich 9/9/2009  
 KI4WCQ 172 75 Johnny D. Allen 9/9/2009  
 AC7RA 173 40 Ricky Asper 10/6/2009  
 KD4POJ 174 40 Dwayne E. Lipscomb, Sr.  
 10/8/2009  
 AI3CD 176 40 Clifford Davis 11/20/2009  
 KC0MS 177 75 Karl Peterson 11/26/2009  
 N7WH 178 75 Bill Hoek 12/4/2009

**Master Degree**

N7WH 49 Bill Hoek 12/6/2009  
 KC0MS 50 Karl Peterson 12/6/2009

**Millennium Award**

VE6LMD 34 75 Larry Dubois 10/9/2009

**National Park - Tourist**

WT0A 6 40 Glen Felt 11/26/2009

**Net Control Operators**

W9OO 127 Carl Durnavich 9/3/2009  
 W0WSP 128 Doug Aldrich 9/30/2009  
 KI4VBA 129 Stephen McBride 10/23/2009  
 N1RNJ 130 Gary R. Sheridan, Jr. 11/8/2009  
 KB3PU 131 Jim Higgins 11/12/2009

**Net Controllers Basic**

NA7CS 265 Curt Steger 10/11/2009  
 WA4ERU 266 John Amos 11/7/2009

**Net Controllers Cum Laude**

K7MI 10 Larry Gillespie 10/11/2009

**Net Controllers Expert**

KK7YC 68 Ronnie Burnett 10/11/2009

**Net Controllers Journeyman**

WR4C 96 Rodney L. Curtis 9/5/2009  
 K8VGM 97 Vicki Mate 10/11/2009

**Officers 40 and 75 SSB**

KB3OJM	867	75	James Osborne	9/3/2009
KC0MS	868	40	Karl Peterson	9/4/2009
KC0MS	869	75	Karl Peterson	9/4/2009
WH6S	870	75	Richard Nelson	9/12/2009
AC7RA	871	75	Ricky Asper	10/6/2009
NC7Z	872	40	Bob Wakefield	10/31/2009
NC7Z	873	75	Bob Wakefield	10/31/2009
NJ4O	874	75	Larry D. Neupert	11/9/2009

**Work 30**

K8VGM	45	Vicki Mate	9/2/2009
K8VGM	46	Vicki Mate	9/2/2009
KI4VBA	47	Stephen McBride	11/9/2009
K4WIT	48	Jon Wittlin	11/13/2009

**Poker Players 40 and 75 Meter SSB**

NC4JR	116	75	Ronald E. Stanley, Jr.	9/9/2009
KC0MS	117	75	Karl Peterson	12/4/2009
KC0MS	118	40	Karl Peterson	12/4/2009

**Route 66 Annual Challenge**

WB1I	4	Mixe	Fred Caswell	12/4/2009
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**Solar System**

KC2PUF	19	Shep Kilby	10/25/2009
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**WAS 40 75 and 160 SSB**

K8VGM	1235	40	Vicki Mate	9/2/2009
NC4JR	1236	75	Ronald E. Stanley, Jr.	9/9/2009
AC7RA	1237	75	Ricky Asper	10/6/2009
KC2PUF	1238	75	Shep Kilby	10/7/2009
VE6LMD	1239	40	Larry Dubois	10/9/2009
VE6LMD	1240	40	Larry Dubois	10/9/2009
N2PRT	1241	40	Don Cassarini	10/9/2009
KC5WA	1242	40	Robert Conley	10/21/2009
VE3CMB	1243	40	Craig McLoughlin	11/4/2009
VE3CMB	1244	75	Craig McLoughlin	11/4/2009
K4WIT	1245	40	Jon Wittlin	11/13/2009

**WAS All Nets Intermediate**

KI4WCQ	2	Johnny D. Allen	10/9/2009
N2XTT	3	Peter Summers	11/9/2009

**WAS Caps 40 and 75 SSB**

KI4WCQ	514	40	Johnny D. Allen	9/9/2009
NN5G	515	40	Paul Kelly, Jr.	9/10/2009

**WAS YL 40 and 75 SSB**

NN5G	125	40	Paul Kelly, Jr.	9/10/2009
K5SVC	142	40	Frank Krize III	11/27/2009
NN5G	149	75	Paul Kelly, Jr.	11/27/2009
W0WSP	182	40	Doug Aldrich	9/9/2009
KI4WCQ	183	75	Johnny D. Allen	9/9/2009
KI4WCQ	184	40	Johnny D. Allen	9/9/2009
KD4POJ	185	75	Dwayne E. Lipscomb, Sr.	10/11/2009
KC2PUF	186	40	Shep Kilby	10/25/2009
WB1I	187	40	Fred Caswell	11/8/2009
KC0MS	188	40	Karl Peterson	11/9/2009
AI3CD	189	40	Clifford Davis	11/20/2009
KC0MS	190	75	Karl Peterson	11/26/2009



## 2010 Eyeball in Mississippi

**3905 Century Club 2010 Ms-La Eyeball  
Jun 10 -11-12 , 2010  
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**Registration will be \$40.00 per person .  
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Frank Krize III  
1373 Chapel Hill Rd.  
Natchez, MS. 39120**



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# Merry Christmas



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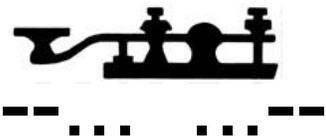
# Happy New Year

If you have anything that you would like to see in the Centurion please let me know . You can reach me at : [nc4rs@triad.rr.com](mailto:nc4rs@triad.rr.com) . I would like to thanks all that have contributed to this Newsletter and look forward to new stories to be in upcoming issues . If you have a mobile trip or Portable outing planed let me know and if the dates work with the newsletters printing well make sure it gets covered .

Thanks and 73  
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