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POT HOLE NET: Official Club Net. Meets every Sat. & Sun. at 10 AM local time on 3760 Kcs.

MONITORING FACILITY: VE3CGO monitors 3760 Kcs daily from approximately 8 AM to 6 PM for local mobile and out of town traffic.

NOTICE OF MONTHLY MEETING

INFORMAL OUT DOOR MEETING THURSDAY 10 JUNE 65 at 8.00 PM
XYLs and YLs invited to attend. Bring your own lawn chairs, soft drinks or booze. Weiners buns and coffee to be supplied by the Club. This is a RAIN OR SHINE event to be held in the back 40 of 3BJOs place (Bill Rolfe, 95 Palsen Street) If the weather is inclement it will be held in the 3BJO Rec room. Most of you will remember similar events held at the same QTH in the past. An excellent opportunity for some of the newer members to get acquainted with the rest of the gang. The dress is slacks or what have you, very informal. In view of the fact that it is being held on a week night, it will end at a reasonable hour. It will be necessary to restrict the attendance to those who are members or in the process of becoming members. If unfortunately the female in your life is unable to attend don't hesitate to come anyway. See you all there!

REPORT ON THE LAST MEETING

We had a number of visitors one VE1 and numerous VE4s, who were indeed most welcome. 3CLW André gave a very interesting talk on Basic Transistor Theory. Thank you very much indeed OM. We had the draw by membership cards for the excellent prizes donated by our good friend and fellow member Tony Lawruk, VE2VV. Many thanks for your generosity Tony, we thank you very much indeed.'

HAM ESTATE OF THE LATE D'ARCY FREZELL VE3ADF

As many of you know the Club volunteered to assist D'Arcy's widow Betty, by taking on the disposal of his Ham gear as a Club project. The Executive are pleased to announce that all items have been disposed of, some prior to, and some at the Club sponsored auction. Betty is extremely grateful for our assistance and I am sure the money will come in handy since D'Arcy was uninsurable due to a heart ailment. 3YC Jack did the lions share of the work involved cataloging, packaging and manhandling the equipment. Certainly a very worthwhile project.

OTTAWA FLYING CLUB RALLY

Several members of our Club assisted the Ottawa Flying Club by manning check points with two meter gear at a recent rally. Three check points were involved and it is understood that Gerry 3AGU volunteered his services on behalf of the Club. Very good show chaps. The participants were rewarded with a free flight by the Flying Club members.

REPORT ON THE AUCTION

On Saturday 1 May 65 our Club made its debut in running the auction at the GEM Store. From all aspects it was an extremely successful event. We had the advantage of the OARC counsel as to the pitfalls to expect, suggested improvements, which contributed substantially to our success. We wish to thank the OARC for the opportunity of running the auction. 3YC Jack wishes to thank those valiant members of our Club who did the actual physical and mental work connected with the auction. Believe you me, it is work as no doubt any of them will testify. Thanks also to our "Coffee man" who supplied copious quantities of caffeine for both the workers and the participants. There were well over one hundred souls attending. A lot of junk went from one basement to another, but I am sure we all had a lot of fun!

WELCOME ABOARD

The Executive are pleased to announce that applications for membership have been received from the following and that they have been voted in per the Constitution.

VE3BRE	Hank Harley	2045 Valley Drive,	Ottawa 8	733-4777
VE3EXW	Norm Waltho	RCAF STn Uplands	Ottawa 10	233-0762
VE3CPG	Larry McKinley	644 Gilmour Street,	Ottawa 4	233-4746
VE3DMU	Gord Beaman	209 Raymond Rd.	Ottawa 10	822-2984

Hank is just firming up a mobile HW 12 installation. Larry has a Hallicrafters transceiver on order. Gord is getting the bugs out of newly installed mobile. Three more members mobile! Very fb and a very hearty welcome indeed! PLEASE ADD THE NAMES OF THESE NEW MEMBERS TO THE BLANK SECTION "F" OF YOUR MEMBERSHIP LISTS. Especially the Telephoning Committee.

CLUB EMBLEM

Enclosed for all members please find our Club Emblem, suitable for windshield mounting. A poor mans decal. It has been a long time coming and is the result of the Executive deciding to take the bull by the horns and produce. To refresh your memories, the February 1961 issue of the Rambler announced a Club Emblem Design Contest. A special committee was appointed to judge the entries. Two designs were selected from the many submitted. One by K9YZA/VE3 Bob Andersen and the other by Syd Sheard VE3BCL. These two entries were deemed so excellent by the Committee and by the general meeting at large, that it was decided to make a composite embodying the finer points of each. This data was given to an acquaintance who produced a ink drawing ready for photographic copying. Unfortunately the master drawing somehow got lost and that was that. Another attempt was made using a different artist but this again fizzled out. In view of the past history another attempt would seem futile, but this time we succeeded. We had another new artist cranked in and the design and production was done in less than a month, thereby scotching the rumor that the project was jinxed. WEAR IT WITH PRIDE MEN! It was a hard won battle. There are many ways it can be fastened to your windshield! Lets get em on and make everyone else jealous. It will be excellent for identifying our Club when attending other Hamfests etc.

FIELD DAY

Its getting closer and closer. Hope you plan to attend. As you know we have an excellent location and a lot of planning has gone into it! June 26-27 65. WE REQUIRE AT LEAST THREE SOLID TABLES...OFFERS WOULD BE APPRECIATED.

SWAP NET

3YC has volunteered to conduct a SWAP NET immediately following the Pot Hole Net on Saturday morning. It will be open to all area amateurs. He will maintain and record all items in a book so that if they are not sold there will be a ready reference if a requirement comes up later. I believe the procedure will be along the lines of established Ontario Swap Net.

JULY 8th 65 MEETING

This will also be an outdoor members only meeting to be held at the home of 3YC Jack Whittingham. It will be along the same lines as the next meeting at 3BJOs. Jack has a swimming pool so if the weather is suitable, bring along your best topless bathing suit and enjoy a refreshing plunge in the pool. Further details to be given in the next exciting edition.

SPLATTER

3ABC Tommy is about to order the new Heath KW mobile linear with DC supply--- His signal is already too potent---watch your front ends --- 3CGP Glenn is building a boat ---gess he must be expecting another flood---nothing like being prepared eh Noah? --- 3BEB Harry has completed his Heath Mobile supply and I gess it wont be long before he has his HW 12 going from the car --- Lyle 3CEZ who hasnt been mobile for some time is installing his SSB transceiver in the station wagon --- 3CZ Ian is now SSB mobile --- 3YC Jack I think has the record for a mobile installation. He had a hole in the new car within an hour of delivery and had the installation completed within four hours of delivery --- 3DQM Bill has been out trying his new trailer prior to the western trek ---a short test trip to the Smithfalls area camp grounds --- 3GX Ed recently proved that a 20 watt AM mobile can still work consistantly back to Ottawa from a 300 mile range---Take heart fellow AM ers. He sez that driving in Quebec City is wild---ALL taxi drivers have their St. Christopher medals mounted on the dash which acts like a heat sink---Man they would run really warm without the heat sink action --- -30-

73 & Happy Mobiling---CU ALL AT THE OUTDOOR MEETING