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CLUB CALL - VE3RAM

3760 KHZ

MONITORED FREQUENCIES

146 940 MHZ

AFFILIATIONS

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THAWA VALLEY MOBILE RADIO CLUB, INCORPORATED

1971 EXECUTIVE

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POT HOLE NET

Official club net. Meets every Saturday and Sunday morning at 10 AM local time on 3760 kHz. All Radio Amateurs are welcome to check in and participate. Membership in the club is not a requirement.

SWAP NET

The club sponsored Swap Net is conducted by Ed, VE3GX, every Saturday on 3760 kHz as part of the Pot Hole Net. This service is also provided to the Capitol City Net on 146.940 MHz FM every Monday at 8 PM. Contact Ed Hagan, VE3GX, telephone 733-1721, to list items or make enquiries

MONITORING FACILITY

Sponsored by the club as a service to the general public and to Amateur Radio. VE3CGO monitors 3760 kHz SSB and 146.940 MHz FM daily from approximately 8 AM to 6:30 PM. If you need assistance or have traffic, call VE3CGO. Please say the call sign several times and allow at least one minute for a reply.

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NOTICE OF MONTHLY MEETING

-PLACE-

NATIONAL MUSEUM OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY
ST. LAURENT BLVD

-TIME-

7:15 PM, THURSDAY
11 NOVEMBER 1971

-PROGRAM-

TOUR OF COMMUNICATIONS DISPLAY

Please make special note of the changes above. The meeting this month will be held in the science museum and will consist of a tour of the communications section of the museum, followed by a meeting in the assembly hall. The tour will begin at 7:30 sharp so please arrive on time. The communications display is very impressive, to say the least, and should be of interest to all, including vl's, xyl's, friends, etc. Hope to see you all on Thursday and please be on time.

CONDENSED MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING: The meeting was chaired by the President, VE3CGO, and was attended by 28. The business portion of the meeting was quite brief as everyone was anxious to hear the speaker for the evening, Mac, VE3VI. As usual, Mac's presentation was extremely interesting and entertaining. Beginning back at year one, Mac's talk, Sound recording in days gone by, brought back a lot of memories for everyone. Also of interest were the various articles which Mac brought along to illustrate his presentation. Three dolls of the old mobile whip to Mac and we all look forward to another evening with Mac at the helm.

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CHILDRENS CHRISTMAS PARTY: Enclosed with this bulletin you will find a registration form for the annual Christmas party, which will be held this year on December 12 at the Mount Calvary Lutheran Church on Smythe Rd (same as last year). If you are planning to attend please return the form AS SOON AS POSSIBLE to Doreen, VE3CGO, so that all the necessary arrangements can be made re gifts and food, etc. We must have your replies before NOV 20th. Admission this year will be only \$1.50 per family and as in past years xyl's are requested to bring sandwiches, cakes or cookies. It is expected the children will be entertained again by a magician and of course each child will receive a gift. This is always a very popular event with the children so get those forms in early and don't disappoint the kids.

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DECEMBER ELECTIONS: The nominating committee has been appointed for the upcoming elections at the December meeting. The committee consists of Ted Duncan, VE3GGQ; Ed Morgan, VE3GX; and Ron Hutchinson, VE2ZD. Besides the slate presented by the committee the out-going executive will nominate a slate and also nominations will be excepted from the floor during the election. Please bear in mind fellas that this is your club. Some of you have legitimate reasons why you can't be on the executive but surely with 60 members in the club you're not all busy all the time. Please think it over and if you are called to run for office why not give it a try.

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NOTICE OF MOTION: The following was received from Bernie, VE3SH - "In view of increasing costs and decreasing assets I move that effective immediately membership dues in the Ottawa Valley Mobile Radio Club, Inc. be increased to the following levels - FULL MEMBERSHIP \$5.00 - FAMILY MEMBERSHIP \$6.00 - DX MEMBERSHIP \$2.00." This motion will be entertained by the president at the next meeting at which time members will have the opportunity to fully discuss the contents.

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CLUB DINNER REPORT: Attendance was small but we had a ball. To those of you who did attend - three doffs of the old whip with special thanks to VE3CGO/3GI for the get to-gether at Hamlet Rd after dinner and also cheers to Grid Dip Willie for the excellent choice in the VINO dept at the Eastview. Free dinner were won by Ron, VE3AUM and yours truly. Keep trying Mike, your luck has to change soon.

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CARF LICENSE PROPOSAL: The following questionnaire was received from CARF regarding their proposed 'Restricted Amateur' class license. You may recall the club has taken a stand on this matter and our views have been presented to CARF. The following will be discussed at the meeting and voted on.

RESTRICTED AMATEUR OPERATING CERTIFICATE QUESTIONNAIRE

1. Length of tenure A. no restriction B. 3 years C. Renewable
2. Knowledge of theory A. amateur grade B. advanced amateur C. amateur plus
3. Progression to amateur grade A. Morse at 10 wpm B. Morse at 10 wpm plus 6 months operating
4. Six meter operation A. no restriction B. no A3, F3 C. A3, F3 fm .. to ..MHz
5. Two meter operation A. no restriction B. no A3, F3 C. A3, F3 fm .. to ..MHz

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RAMBLINGS ---- Mike, VE3DNJ has his homebrew solid state micro miniature ssb rig on the air and it sounds fb ---- Gerry, VE3LX, has plans to remote his linear to the base of his tower and eventually into the Gatineaus ---- Don't forget the Pot Hole Net on Sat. and Sun. guys. The turnout lately has been pretty good but there is always room for more ---- Not much room left so 73 for now - don't forget those Christmas party registration forms ----

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