

OPERATION SANTA CLAUS

Operation Santa Claus was one of the several subjects discussed at the October 20th business meeting. Al, WA7LWP, reports that all arrangements have been made to visit the Children at the Children's Orthopedic Hospital at 1:00 PM December 8th, and attempt to contact Santa Claus and perhaps Ms. Claus at the North Pole via short wave radio. It is hoped that band conditions will be favorable and that a good contact can be made. This will be the second "Operation Santa Claus", the first being held last year, also at the Children's Orthopedic Hospital where many delighted children got to talk to Santa by means of short wave radio. All persons who have "rigs" on the K7LED repeater are invited and urged to listen in and also if you have "wee one's" in your home or neighborhood to break in during lulls so that they may also talk to Santa. Al also stated that maybe they will also be able to visit Harborview Hospital if everything can be worked out. If anyone would like further information in regards to this activity contact Al, WA7LWP.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE BY-LAWS

The following proposed amendment to the by-laws was submitted at the October 20th business meeting by Bill, K7LHY.

SUBJECT: PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE BY-LAWS

CHANGE SECTION 2 TO READ:

SECTION 2 - MEMBERSHIP

AN OFFICIAL CLUB MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION SHALL BE SUBMITTED AT A REGULAR BUSINESS MEETING, IN PERSON BY THE ONE REQUESTING MEMBERSHIP.

EACH APPLICANT MUST EXPRESS A WILLINGNESS TO ABIDE BY THE CONSTITUTION AND BY LAWS AND SUCH RULES AS SHALL FROM TIME TO TIME BE PROMULGATED BY THE CLUB. THE APPLICANT WILL BE REQUIRED TO ATTEND ONE (1) OF THE NEXT THREE (3) REGULAR BUSINESS MEETINGS, FOR HIS OR HER APPLICATION TO BE SUBMITTED FOR MEMBERSHIP CONSIDERATION. TWO-THIRDS OF THOSE PRESENT SHALL APPROVE THE APPLICANT BEFORE HE/SHE SHALL BE CONSIDERED ELECTED TO MEMBERSHIP.

IN THE EVENT THAT APPLICANT DOES NOT ATTEND THE ONE OUT OF THREE REGULAR BUSINESS MEETINGS, THE APPLICATION SUBMITTED WILL BE NULL AND VOID, AND WILL HAVE TO BE RESUBMITTED FOR CONSIDERATION.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,

BILL BAKER, K7LHY

This amendment will be voted on at the regular business meeting - November 17th.

CLUB ROSTER

Please add the following name to your new roster:

HELLWIG, BUD      1809 N.E. 171st Seattle 98155      EM2-6450      WN7PVC

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Ernie Davis, W7JUP, made application for membership in the Mike and Key Radio Club at the October 20th meeting. Ernie, who holds an advance class license, is being sponsored by Ken, K7PZX. *Ernie Davis 1973*

NEW MEMBERSHIP MONTH

November has been named as "New Membership Drive Month". Let's each try to recruit just one new member during the month. It would be very nice to double the club membership. Speak up and let people know you belong to the Mike and Key Radio Club and tell everyone of the advantages. GET NEW MEMBERS. *Mr. You form*

XMAS PARTY

The annual Mike and Key Radio Club Xmas party will be held at McMicken Heights Improvement Club, 3730 So. 166th St., on December 1, 1973. Doors to open at 7:30. The admission charge will be \$3.00 per person and \$6.00 per couple. This will be a B.Y.O.B and mixer plus a potluck dish. The club will furnish a meat dish. Volunteer's will be needed on the day of the party to help with the decorations. Also, you are asked to buy your tickets in advance. Don't forget that guests are welcome. We are looking forward to another very enjoyable evening of wineing, dining, dancing and entertainment. ENTERTAINMENT????? We hope that everyone will be able to attend along with their guests. A map showing the location of the hall will be published in next month's newspaper. Talk-in frequencies have not been determined at this time but it is planned to have someone on the air.

NAME THE PAPER CONTEST

At November regular business meeting, the membership will vote on a name for the club newspaper. If you have a name that you would like to submit, lets hear it. The following have been submitted.

- MUG & TAP                      Al WA7LWP
- KEY KLICKS                      Bill K7LHY
- DAH-DIT-DAH                    John WA7HQG
- LIGHT EMITTING DAILY        Bill K7MWC
- THE K7LED RELAY                Anonymous

C.P.R. CLASSES

Mark, WA7RYQ, announced that first aid classes for Cardiac Pulmonary Resuscitation will be held in room EA46 of the King County Court House, November 1st and November 8th. Classes to start at 7:30 PM - register at the door. For further information, contact Mark WA7RYQ or Ken K7PZX.

NEW HAMS

Karen Policani has just recently received a brand new novice ham ticket with the call letters WN7WVJ. Congratulations, Karen, and all hands take copy and insert Karen's call in the new roster.

Peggy Carpenter, XYL of Jim, K7PHZ, also has just recently become a novice ham with the call letters WN7WVO. Congratulations, Peggy.