

GROUNDWAVE

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VE3RC

June, 1952.

MEETING

Time: Wed. June 11, 1952, 2030 hrs.

Place: Lord Elgin Hotel Beverage Room, downstairs,
wherever three or more Hams are collected.

Program: Last minuite details for Field Day,
Rag Chew to liquid accompanymnt.

LAST MEETINGS

The talk by Jim Swail on Low Noise Front Ends and his advice to take heart and dive in to your receiver with both feet brought remarkable and immediate results for 3BBW. He can now hear things he didn't know existed! Such courage is to be commended. We should all follow his lead. Many thanks to Jim for a fine job.

Bill Lavrench gave us some very good info on how to build a good audio amplifier. He touched on equalizing networks, loudness controls, and gave a good general approach to audio problems.

SPECIAL HAMFEST SHEET

This is included with this bulletin. It has been sent to almost all the hams in the Ottawa area and any others for whom we have an address. If you follow the directions you will get there ok. There is an imposing list of prizes including a 1/4" elect. drill, balloons for the kiddies, nylons for the XYLs, and a lot of really useful items. Dont forget your portable or mobile gear, lunches etc, some 8-12 for the skeeters, and the XYL to look after the little harmonics. In case it is really pouring with rain Sunday at noon, and looks like it will continue all day, it will be postponed to the next day, Monday the 9th, all other arrangements being the same. (If you want the latest forecast fone 3-4041, Loc. 211.) So we'll see you there.

MEMBERS ROSTER

Also with this issue (Jeeves has been working overtime this month) is a list of members, addresses, and fone numbers which is as correct as we can get it at this date. The reason that it comes at the end of the year should be obvious -- some people dont pay up til then! However this should be good for a couple of months. If there are any corrections drop a postcard(yes it will cost you 3 cents) to P.O. Box 204 promptly. (Those who were at the last meeting got theirs then and are not included.)

FIELD DAY

Already there are seven members. As soon as you get the ok from the XYL that you can attend the 'do' fone Phil Laprade, 8-1973-R. Even if it is for a morning or afternoon, let him know. The crying need now is tents. Anyone able to borrow one or loan one notify Phil. Three at least are needed and more would be better. It looks as tho the three transmitters will be available and two power plants are already on hand. A spare would be nice to have. Bring your own 8-12 for the flies. If you cant get there, the least you can do is get on the air and give them a contact - Sunday afternoon is a good time. VE3RC/3 will be the call.

SUMMER TRAFFIC

Because of poor conditions on some bands and lessened activity during the summer, it is sometimes difficult to clear traffic in June, July and August. For the convenience of stations who may wish to originate traffic during the summer, below is the latest available information on summer plans of various nets within reach of Ottawa stations.

Net	Frequency	Time	Area covered.
QON	7267	1930 DST	Ontario (also Montreal and connections to the Maritimes.
OSN	3535	1900 "	Ontario (southern)
TRN	3675	2045 "	Mon, Wed, Fri only. VE1, 2, 3, (Connections to USA.)
MLN	7290	2200 "	VE3, 4, 5, 6, 7, .
EAN	3670	2130 "	W1, 2, 3, 4, 8, (Connections to west and overseas - occupied terr. and US possessions only.)

Note that it is not advisable to put Canadian traffic into EAN altho good service to Western Canada has been obtained.

By Burt Coy, VE3GI.

V H F

Six meters has opened several times in the past month up here. May 15 was fairly good and VE3AGU worked a few. June 1st however was the best opening this year with the W3, 4, 8, 9, 0s coming thru in fine style. Several of the local 6-meter boys were on and working them easily. Guess we're not at the bottom of the sunspot cycle yet! Keep an ear peeled. From now to October you may hit a good opening.

ADS

FOR SALE; Dual conversion receiver, xtal filter, selecto-ject, xtal calibrator, proof of DXCC, \$100. Jim Swail, VE3KF, SH6-1437.
Wanted: Assistant Editor for Bulletin of an up-and-coming Ham club. Should have a typewriter. Apply in person at the next meeting.

WARNING

For those who leave their licence renewal til the last day, better take warning. In the past the DOT would hold a call for a year or two. This year, those who have not renewed within two months of the expiration date (March 31) may find someone else has their call, and legally too. If you are one of those above better get busy. The axe has to fall sometime.

ARCOVERS

This is the last bulletin you will receive until the fall. The Editor likes a holiday too -...- the North Bay Hamfest is at the end of the month, 28 and 29 of June -...- everybody ready for summer portable? -...-

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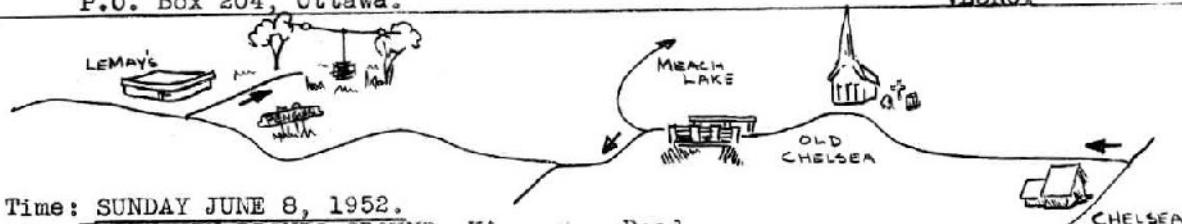
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OTTAWA AMATEUR RADIO CLUB

HAMFEST

P.O. Box 204, Ottawa.

VE3RC.



Time: SUNDAY JUNE 8, 1952.

Place: PENGUIN PICNIC GROUND, Kingsmere Road.

Program: Registration - open at 1100 hrs, \$1.00 for Hams, KYLs and Jr. Ops free.

Mobile DX contest - 1000hrs to 1500 hrs.

General Ragchew to 1230 hrs.

Lunch -- to 1330 hrs.

Races for kiddies - 1400 hrs.

Ham contests - 1500 hrs

Draw for prizes.

WHAT TO BRING

Any portable gear that you can lug out of the shack; QSL cards for identification and exchange; lunch if you like a handy snack; sunburn cream and fly repellent if you are allergic to either. Light snacks, sandwiches, hamburgers, hotdogs, cold and hot drinks, ice cream are available at the adjacent restaurant.

HOW TO GET THERE

Take highway 11 north from Hull to Chelsea, turn left to Old Chelsea, keep to left on paved road for about 1.1 miles to LeMay's restaurant. Turn in about 200 yards, park your car and join the fun. Bus service available by Gatineau Bus Co. at George St. depot.

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SEE YOU AT THE PICNIC

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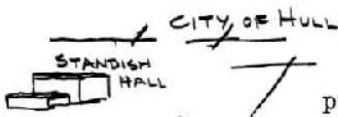
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