

# NORTH SHORE AMATEUR RADIO CLUB "SPARKS"

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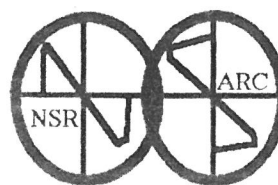
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Meetings are ALWAYS on the 2nd Monday of the month at 19:30 SHARP  
At the Arts & resources Centre in Oshawa on Queen Street.

The Thu. OSH net at 19:30 hrs, CW practice at 20:30 hrs by Bernie VE3ATI.

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## Holiday Time

Well summer is here how ever good or bad it is going to be weather wise, that is one of the reasons the bulletin is going to be short and I hope sweet, hi hi. I was away the last two weeks of July and so was Glen VE3LIZ so we had to get the lid on this months bulletin VERY early. All was finished and ready to drop in the mail before July 18th. so, some things that may have been may not be included. Anyway it will all come out in the wash sooner or later, but don't forget the **CORN ROAST** on **August 10th** not the regular meeting night of **August 9th**.

(Editor / Publisher)

## Trivia Answer

**Samuel F. B. Morse** first demonstrate his method of telegraphy over wires as early as **1835** and by **1844** had a commercial circuit operational between **Baltimore** and **Washington**.

(Editor)

## AUGUST CORN ROAST

Make this the event of the year **NOT** to miss if you want to have a very enjoyable evening. There will be lots to eat even if you are unable to enjoy some of the delicious corn on the cob that is going to be available. As in other years this is possibly the most popular social event of all that the N.S.A.R.C. has each year. You will also be able to meet all the people that you have been talking to since last year but haven't seen since the corn roast last time. The event this year is being put on by co-ordinators **VE3AIY Ron** and **Sarah VE3ZQS** so come out and enjoy the efforts of their labours and bring your appetite with you.

(Editor)

## Field Day

Again field day was a fun weekend for all who were involved, [except for the little rain shower on Sunday morning] there was a good turnout to help get set up with no major delays, mainly because **MURPHY** was too

busy visiting some of the other field day sites he completely forgot about the N.S.A.R.C. for a change. A big thank you goes out to **VE3BTR Tom** who for the past 10 or more years has provided the emergency power for the event and also who was field day manager as well this year. The activity was hot and heavy when I visited the site Saturday evening at approximately 9 PM, the activity on 40 meters was real good as signals were just starting to build from the south so they could be heard easily over the foreign broadcast stations. A quick visit to the 20 meter station showed the same thing, stations were being logged continually, so I expect the score there should be good as well. When visiting the 80 meter trailer I found the same type of activity there too, so I expect there will be a fairly respectable score this year once all the logs get tallied up. After I had made the rounds to see how things were going I saw **Casey VE3NGT** over looking over the natural powered station that had been active earlier that evening, anyway Casey made the comment "too bad there was not a radio connected to the generator" and I heard Glen say "**JUST A MINUTE**", well at that time it was too late, Casey was committed to power the natural power station, When I left Glen was still calling CQ on 2 meters and saying to Casey "**JUST KEEP PEDDLING CASEY I KNOW THERE IS SOME ONE OUT THERE SOME WHERE**".

I also had a quick look at the new club trailer before darkness fell, it sure looks as if it is going to work out very well and should prove to be very useful when and if there is ever an emergency [lets hope it is never more than a drill] or for any of the promotional events that the N.S.A.R.C. may become involved in. I think with a few more items added on as time goes on that the trailer can become a completely operational station if it is required, including providing its own emergency power, anyway that is something to think about once the original project is completed.

(Editor)

### EMO

Margaret VE3BNN says there will be information in the September issue of "Sparks", on the up and coming EMO test this fall. (Editor)

### Peter Says

If you laid all the laws end to end, there would be no end an always leave a party before it's over and the simplest toy, on which even the youngest child can operate, is called a grandparent. (VE3PLM)

### Trivia

How were the first telegraph signals received and decoded? (Editor)

### Household Hints

To help eliminate odours in the dish washer sprinkle baking soda in the bottom and let stand overnight. and to help eliminate film on dishes and the inside of your dish washer, put a bowl with 1 cup bleach in the bottom of the dishwasher. Run thru the wash cycle "BUT NOT THE DRY CYCLE". Then fill the bowl with 1 cup white vinegar and run thru an entire cycle. (Editor)

### Getting Old

You need a fire permit to light all the candles on your birthday cake and a dripping faucet causes an uncontrollable bladder urge. (VE3LLZ)

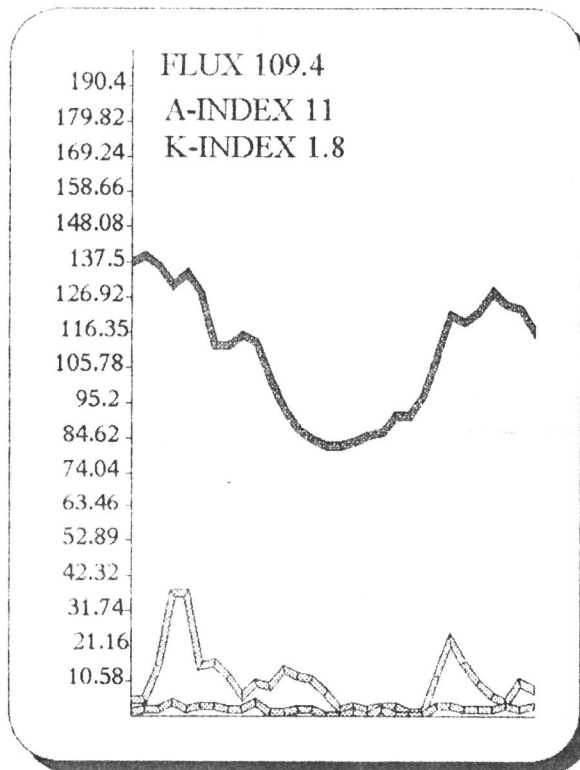
### Articles Anyone?

If anyone has any interesting articles for the bulletin OR if anyone wants to have an article published please get the article to me, preferably on disk saved in ASCII format and on 3½" or 5¼" standard or high density disks. (Editor)

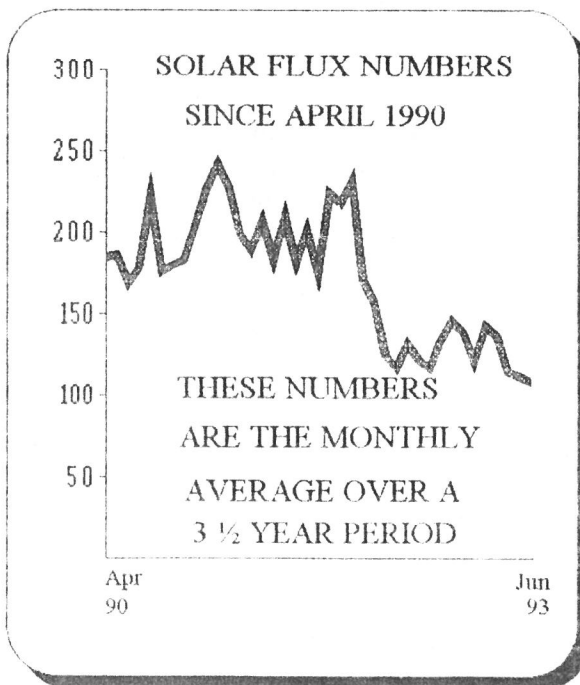
### Another Household Hint

To put a real shine on a newly washed window rub the window with a clean blackboard eraser AND always wash windows from top to bottom and straight vinegar will get outside windows really clean. (Editor)

### Solar Flux For June



### SOLAR FLUX AVERAGES



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**For Sale** Yaesu NC-8 DC supply, fast or slow desk charger, asking \$95.00  
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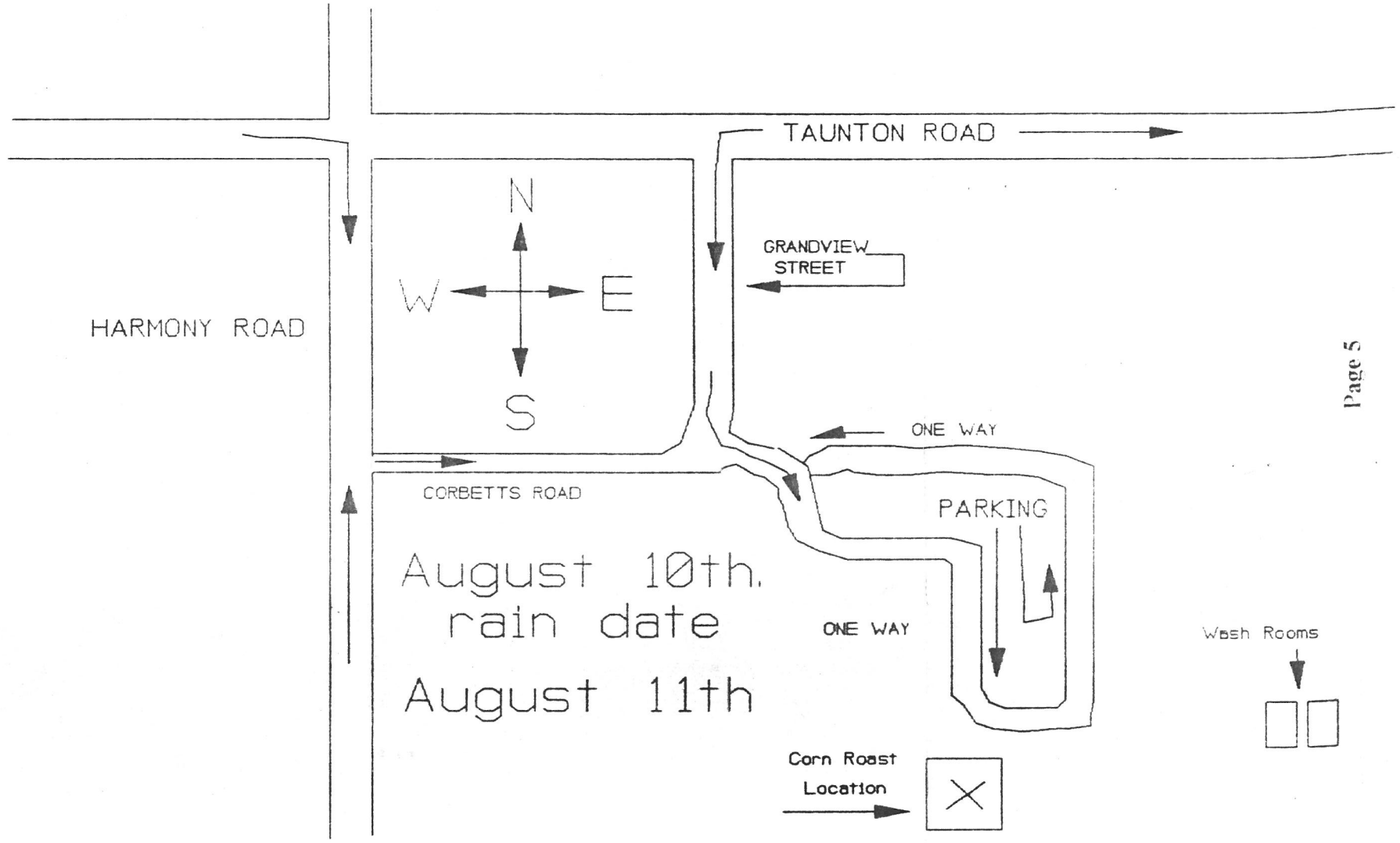
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