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CLUB STATION . . . . . VE3 NSR

CLUB REPEATER. . . . . . . VE3 OSH 147.72 MHZ IN 147.712 MHZ OUT

CLUB NETS

2-METER NET HOSTED BY ROY (AAF) OR A STAND-IN CONVENES EVERY THURSDAY AT 19:30 LOCAL TIME ON THE CLUB'S REPEATER (OSH). AS PART OF THE NET, CODE PRACTICE IS PROVIDED BY BERNIE (ATI) BEGINNING AT 20:30 LOCAL

10-METER NET (UNOFFICIAL) -A GROUP OF 6 TO 10 LOCAL HAMS MEET SUNDAYS ON 28.200 MHZ USING CW FROM 09:30 TO 10:00 LOCAL THEN SWITCH TO SSB PHONE UNTIL EXHAUSTED OR XYL CALLS "DINNER".

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NEXT MEETING-TUESDAY, SEPT 8,1987 AT 20:00 LOCAL (8:00 P.M.) IN THE CAFETERIA OF THE O'NEIL COLLEGIATE.

PROGRAM-BERNIE SANDBRROOK VE3 ATI (A.K.A. SECRET AGENT DOUBLE OH, OH) WILL GIVE US A LITTLE MORE INSIGHT INTO THE UNUSUAL GOINGS-ON IN THE NOW-DISBANDED SPY TRAINING COMPLEX--CAMP X.

## WELCOME BACK !!!!!

AN UNUSUAL SUMMER IS QUICKLY BEING WRITTEN INTO HISTORY AND A NEW FALL SEASON JUST AS RAPIDLY APPROACHES AND ACCOMPANYING THAT SEASON IS THAT ANNUAL CHECK UP TO SEE IF WE WERE TOO IMPULSIVE WHEN WE DID OUR SPRING CLEANING IN THE HAM SHACK. DURING THIS CHECK, OF COURSE, WE MUST ALSO CHECK TO SEE IF OUR OLD BUDDIES ARE STILL HOLDING FORTH ON THE SAME OLD FREQUENCIES.

WELL, THE RECEIVER STILL WORKS AND OUR BUDDIES HAVE ALREADY GOT THEIR TRANSMITTERS OPERATING, MIGHT AS WELL FIRE OURS UP AND SEE IF ITS CAPABLE OF OF DOING ITS JOB FOR ANOTHER SEASON AND SO BEGINS ANOTHER SEASON OF SEMI-WIDOWHOOD FOR OUR XYL'S. (ONE MIGHT THINK THAT, BY NOW, THEY WOULD HAVE LEARNED THAT THE ONLY WAY TO AVOID IT IS TO JOIN THE CLUB, AND, IF YOUR XYL IS BEGINNING TO LEAN THAT WAY, GIVE HER A LITTLE SHOVE, OR, IF YOU PREFER, A BIG ONE, BY PUTTING THE ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE BEGINNING OF A NEW COURSE OF INSTRUCTION (BELOW) ON HER TRAY WHEN YOU SERVE HER BREAKFAST IN BED)

### INSTRUCTIONS (OR, HOW TO DO IT )

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BEFORE ANYONE GETS ANY FUNNY IDEAS WE'RE TALKING ABOUT HAM RADIO HERE, AND RICK (ASH), ASSISTED AGAIN BY JOE (IHS) AND, POSSIBLY, OTHER RECRUITS, WILL BE OFFERING A COURSE FOR BEGINNERS IN THE THEORY OF RADIO AND THE OPERATION OF A HAM STATION NECESSARY TO OBTAIN THEIR FIRST TICKET.

THE COURSE IS SCHEDULED TO START ON THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 1987 AT EASTDALE COLLEGIATE (ON THE SOUTH-EAST CORNER OF HARMONY AND ADELAIDE IN OSHAWA). IT WILL RUN FROM 19:00 HRS TO 22:00 HRS (THAT'S 7:00 TO 10:00 P.M. FOR THE UNINITIATED) FOR 24 THURSDAYS (DON'T FORGET SCHOOL BREAKS) AND WILL BE COMPRISED OF A SHORT PERIOD OF MORSE CODE INSTRUCTION AIMED AT THE BEGINNER/ LEARNER (SPEED TO BE DEVELOPED BY STUDENTS' OWN USE OF AVAILABLE SOURCES OF PRACTICE OF WHICH THEY WILL BE INFORMED), AND THE REST WILL GO QUITE DEEPLY INTO ELECTRONIC THEORY SO THAT NO STUDENT NEED FEAR THAT THE TEST WILL CONTAIN QUESTIONS WHOSE SUBJECT MATTER HAS NOT BEEN SUFFICIENTLY WELL COVERED IN THE COURSE.

RICK EXPECTS TO MANUALS AVAILABLE (AT COST) FOR THE FIRST LESSON AND, TO THIS END, WOULD APPRECIATE KNOWING IN ADVANCE WHO IS PLANNING ON ATTENDING

SINCE THE COURSE WILL GO INTO THEORY A LITTLE DEEPER THAN IS NORMALLY NECESSARY FOR THE FIRST TICKET, SOME OPERATOR'S WHO HAVE ALREADY GOT THEIR FIRST TICKET BUT HAVE NOT REALLY BEEN AVIDLY KEEPING UP TO OUR CHANGING TECHNOLOGY (SUCH AS THE WRITER) MAY ALSO BENIFIT FROM THE COURSE AND I'M SURE WILL BE WELCOMED.

ANYONE INTERESTED SHOULD CALL RICK GIBSON (ASH) AT 434-2886 AS SOON AS POSSIBLE TO ENROLL.

#### APPROPRIATE LICENSING

I\*GO\*FAR - ON A MOTOR HOME- NO IMAGINATION REQUIRED

ME\*TOO - ON THE SMALL CAR TOWED BY ABOVE MOTOR HOME

#### NEW KID ON THE BLOCK

THOSE OF YOU WHO HAVE BEEN WANDERING AROUND THE BAND MAY HAVE COME ACROSS A NEW REPEATER OPERATING AT 145.15 (RECEIVING - XMITTING DOWN 600 KHZ). THIS REPEATER IS LOCATED ON A TOWER ALSO USED BY A COMMERCIAL FM STATION AND THE 150' TOWER IS SITUATED SIX MILES NORTH OF COBOURG.

IT CURRENTLY BOASTS COVERAGE FROM HAMILTON TO KINGSTON AND NORTH TO PETERBOROUGH. THIS MAY BE PARTLY DUE TO SUMMER INVERSIONS AND/OR OTHER CURRENT PROPAGATION CONDITIONS BUT IT WILL CERTAINLY BE A USEFUL PART OF THE ULR SYSTEM.

## WANT AN ADVENTURE ?

JOE (IHS) IS INTERESTED IN ORGANIZING SOMETHING DIFFERENT THIS YEAR AND, AS A SUGGESTION, HAS PROPOSED A WEEK-END TRIP TO SUDBURY TO VISIT THE "SIENCE NORTH CENTRE".

THE CENTRE BOASTS A HAM STATION ON THE PREMISES AND A GROUP OF HAMS COULD HAVE A GOOD TIME DISCUSSING PROBLEMS AND SOLUTIONS WITH THE LOCALS IF A GET-TOGETHER COULD BE ARRANGED WITH A LOCAL HAM CLUB AND POSSIBLY A VISIT TO SOME OF THE LOCAL HAM SHACKS.

COST AND ACCOMMODATIONS WOULD OF COURSE DEPEND ON THE NUMBER OF INTERESTED PERSONS.

JOE HAS IN MIND A FEBRUARY (BRRR!) WEEK-END BUT THIS AGAIN IS ONLY TENTATIVE (I HOPE THAT DOESN'T MEAN ACCOMMODATIONS), AND I'M SURE THAT JOE IS NOT INFLEXIBLE.

IF YOU ARE INTERESTED PLEASE CONTACT JOE AS SOON AS POSSIBLE AS THESE THINGS CASNNOT BE ARRANGED OVERNIGHT.

# TALK ABOUT CORN !!!

IF YOU WERE NOT PRESENT AT THE ANNUAL CORN-ROAST WHICH WAS HELD THIS YEAR, AS IT HAS BEEN FOR THE LAST FEW YEARS, AT THE QTH OF DON HEARD ON SOLINA ROAD. THE DATE WAS AUGUST 11TH AND THE WEATHER WAS SUPER.

ALONG WITH THE USUAL QRM CAUSED BY THOSE TEMPORARILY WITHOUT SOMETHING TO SAY OR SOMETHING TO FILL THE GAP BETWEEN THEIR TEETH, THERE WERE SOME VERY PLEASANT QSO'S BEING CONDUCTED AS WELL AS SOME GOOD FLYING BY ERIC ATKINS VIA R/C AND THE INDOMITABLE 'EGG NOG' (FOR THOSE NOT IN THE KNOW, 'EGG NOG' IS A RADIO-CONTROLLED MODEL AEROPLANE WITH A SIX-FOOT WINGSPAN AND IS COLOURED WHITE AND YELLOW, WHICH ACCOUNTS FOR HER (ITS ??) NAME).

DESPITE THE FACT THAT EGG NOG FLEW WITH REMARKABLE AGILITY, THE LOCAL CANADA GOOSE POPULATION, WHILE NOT WILLING TO VACATE THE PREMISES COMPLETELY, GAVE HIM A WIDE BERTH. PERHAPS THEY WERE NOT SURE WHAT EGG NOG HAD IN MIND AND WERE NOT ABOUT TO LET FOREIGNERS INTO THE FLOCK. NO HALF-BREEDS FOR US, THANK YOU ALL THE SAME!

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# NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS !

PAGES 5 & 6 HAVE BEEN OMITTED FOR THIS ISSUE SINCE THEY CONTAINED ONLY INFORMATION NOONE NEEDS, AND PAGE 7 (WHICH APPEARS ON THE FRONT OF PAGE 8) CONTAINS ALL THE CONTRIBUTIONS OF THE MEMBERS-IN-GENERAL. THANK YOU!

### S(ome) W(ant) A(ll) P(eruse)

THIS IS YOUR SWAP, SELL OR BUY COLUMN --TO HAVE AN ARTICLE LISTED, JUST MAIL INFORMATION TO THE EDITOR OR PHONE IT IN (723-5758)

FOR SALE--NO NEW ITEMS BUT SINCE THE FOLLOWING ITEM IS A MAJOR ITEM AND I HAVE NOT HEARD OF ITS SALE. I HEREBY REPRINT IT.

KENWOOD TS83ØS TRANSCEIVER ASKING \$ 950.00 - CALL VESNSO AT 1-264-3461 (DAYTIME ØNLY.) (MARTIN) SOLD PER RAY OUB

WANTED--NO NEW ITEMS

#### SUMMER MEETING

THOSE OF US WHO NEVER ATTENDED THE 'SERMON-ON-THE- MOUNT' THIS YEAR MISSED A NICE EVENING AND AN OPPORTUNITY TO SEE A COUPLE OF JOHNNY CROOKS' MODELS WORKING. KEITH (DZM) REPORTED THAT THE STEAM TRACTOR AND THE HIT'N'MISS ENGINE WERE IMPRESSIVE.

IT WAS REPORTED THAT JOHN WAS SO TRUE TO DETAIL IN THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE TRACTOR THAT HE EVEN INCLUDED RIVETS AND DECLINED TO ADD A \*COME BACK BUTTON OR RADIO CONTROL PREFERRING TO EXCERCISE SHANKS PONY.

## PERMANENT REMINDER

IF YOU ARE READING THIS NEWSLETTER OVER THE SHOULDER OF THE HAM WHOSE NAME APPEARS ON THE MAILING LABEL BECAUSE YOU FORGOT TO MAIL IN YOUR RENEWAL OR BECAUSE YOU HAVE NEVER BEEN A MEMBER OF OUR CLUB, NOW'S YOUR CHANCE! PLEASE, USE THE FORM AND INFORMATION BELOW TO JOIN US. (IF THE OWNER WON'T PART WITH IT, USE A FACSIMILE (OR SOMETHING SIMILAR).

# HELD OVER BY POPULAR REQUEST AND OUR LOVE FOR YOU!!

FULL MEMBERSHIP-- \$15.00 CDN, (10.50 U.S.)-- INCLUDES FULL VOTING PRIVILEGES AND MONTHLY NEWS BULLETIN FOR ONE CALENDAR YEAR (JANUARY TO DECEMBER, JULY & AUGUST EXCEPTED)

ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIP-- \$10.00 CDN (7.00 U.S.)--INCLUDES BULLETIN ONLY AND A HEARTY WELCOME TO ANY MEETINGS YOU CAN GET TO EITHER IN PERSON, OVER THE LAND LINE, OR ON THE AIR.

2ND FAMILY MEMBER--\$5.00 CDN (3.50 U.S.)--FULL VOTING PRIVILEGES BUT NO MONTHLY BULLETIN (ASSUMED LIVING IN THE SAME HOUSE)

TO JOIN US, OR TO MAKE CHANGES TO MAILING ADDRESS, SIMPLY (YOU'RE A HAM AREN'T YOU?) FILL IN THE FOLLOWING FORM AND MAIL IT ALONG WITH THE APPROPRIATE FEE TO THE REGISTRAR OF THE N.S.A.R.C. AT HIS HOME ADDRESS (PREFERRABLY) 298 DOVER STREET, OSHAWA, ONTARIO, LIG 6G6 OR TO THE CLUB BOX #171, OSHAWA, ONTARIO, LIH 7L1.

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