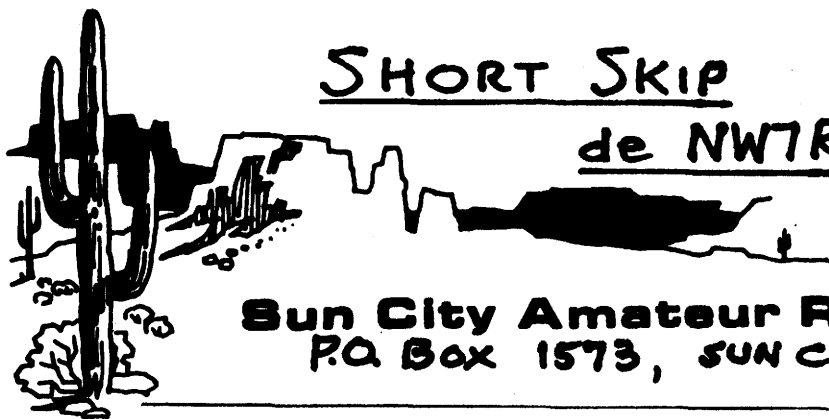


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Sun City Amateur Radio Club, Inc.
P.O. Box 1573, SUN CITY, AZ 85372

LADIES NIGHT DINNER

THURSDAY, OCT. 23RD

SUNTOWNER RESTAURANT

Braised Swiss Steak Dinner, 7 PM (No-host bar starting at 6 PM)

Our speaker will be Calvin Brice, Youngtown's Town Attorney, who will entertain us with stories about Arizona's past.

\$8.50 per person. Please send checks to SCARC, P.O. Box 1573, Sun City, AZ 85372 Attn. Bob Koons, WBØGQV, Treas., by Oct. 18th.

All area hams and their long-suffering spouses are invited.

There will be no business meeting this month. Our next meeting will November 18th. Members of the Arizona Packet Radio Assn will present a follow-up demonstration on Packet Radio to clear up any questions that have arisen since the last program on this subject. To those not familiar with this recent development in amateur radio, Packet Radio is a high-speed error-free system of digital communication, with networking capabilities, where many people can communicate simultaneously on the same frequency without interference.

Sun City/Sun City West hams participating in the Palo Verde Evacuation rehearsal on October 8th included KE7DH (George), KA7TYF (Crans-toune), N7IGA (Ed) at Dysart High School; W2GOB (Bert) and NQ7X (Floyd) at Tolleson High School; KD7BD (Jim) and N7HFN (Jack) with the CAP planes. Thanks to the efforts of everyone involved, the real test on October 29th should run a whole lot smoother.

Indications are that there will be a good turnout of local hams at the HAM/WEST Convention in Las Vegas on November 7-8. Write Ham/West, P.O. Box 19675, Las Vegas, NV 89132; registration \$12/person, banquet \$20 per person. The Convention is at the Hacienda Hotel. The banquet is scheduled for 8 PM Saturday, with Roy Neal, K6DUE, who recently retired as West Coast Bureau Chief of NBC News, acting as emcee, and Wayne Green, W2NSD, as keynote speaker.

Tucson's Old Pueblo Radio Club is sponsoring a SWAPMEET on SUNDAY November 2nd at Pace Engineering, 1720 W. Wetmore Road, Tucson, from 7 AM to ? It is OPRC's first annual swapmeet. We wish them luck.

Superstition Amateur Radio Club invites you to their OASIS SWAPMEET in Apache Junction on December 6-7. Admission \$1, Sellers \$3. Talk-in 147.120 MHz.

NOTE ON LADIES NIGHT DINNER: For those with a dietary problem, baked chicken may be substituted for braised Swiss steak. Be sure to let Bob know before October 18th.

Chuck W7YU, net control for the 20-meter Sun Cities Vacation Net, reports that nearly everyone is back in the fold and the net has closed down until next summer.

The Melvin Jones Memorial Station at Fort Thomas will soon be sporting a 40' tower and antenna. Several local hams were scheduled to head out that way on October 11 to erect the tower. They include Chuck W7YU, Carl W7YQ, Bob W7LNS, Merrill KA7OOP, Gil KAØLVA, Ed N7IGA.

CLASSES. Prospective Extra Class licensees are meeting at the home of Bob WBØGQV (972-7749) on Thursdays at 1 PM. Those studying for Advanced and Technician/General licenses meet in the Fairway Rec Center auditorium on Mondays at 1 PM. Novice classes will start in a couple of weeks. We suggest that beginners meet with the Monday class until then. For information, call Ray NW7R (972-8733).

The Upgrade class instructors hope to have everyone ready for the VEC test in Scottsdale on December 20. Registration deadline for this exam is November 19th. Send copy of license, Form 610, and check for \$4.25 (payable to ARRL/VEC) to John Cerniglia ND7B, 7699 E. Aster Drive, Scottsdale, AZ 85260. Those not registered by Nov. 19 should call John (948-2256) for walk-in information.

FOR SALE. Fully calibrated, fully operational 10 MHz Tektronix Scope, Model 514, with manual. Call Alan W6GB 584-0240.

For Sale, from Estate of Jim Townsend W7GGZ. Knwd TS-830S w/MC-50 Mike, \$425. Heathkit SB-220 Linear Amplifier, \$400. Heathkit Ant. Tuner, SA-2040, 1KW, \$150. Heathkit SWR Meter, Model HM-102, \$10. Drake Phone Patch, Hybrid, Model 584-C, \$15. Knwd 2-meter Xcvr TR-7730, w/MC-46 Mike, \$175; AC/DC Power Supply (ACDC Model 15-NO8-2) 12V/8amp, \$15. Drake Filter, TV-100LP, \$5. ICOM HT IC-2AT Xcvr w/ two batteries, \$150. ICOM Model 230 2-m Xcvr w/mike, \$125. Heathkit Cantenna HN-31, \$10. Hustler mobile antenna coils, 80-40-20-meters, \$15, each; Huster antenna mount (fold-over), mobile, with bumper mount, \$10; or all for \$50. Webster mobile antenna (complete), \$10. Metz 5/8 wave 2-meter MagMount antenna, \$30. 40-Ft EZ-Way Tower, Model RBX-40, 2-section triangular type, with tilt-over base, \$300; Cushcraft Model ATV-34 triband beam antenna, \$75; CDR-Ham IV rotator, \$75; 5-position B&W rotary antenna switch, \$5; 2-position rotary antenna switch, \$5; 200 ft RG-8U Coax, \$20; or all for \$450. Desk type microphone, Shure model 44, \$15. Call Chuck W7YU 977-7427.

FOR SALE: Cushcraft 2-meter 4-el beam, never used, \$32. Heath FM Deviation Meter, with manual, used once, \$125. B&K Precision Signal Generator Model E 200D; output in dB and mv, with manual, (current cost, \$400), \$125. Two Ameco code practice oscillators, 120V, \$10 each. Bob W9EXG 972-6090.

WANTED: 50 each, 390 pf capacitors (mica), 100-500V, 5% tolerance. Call Tom N7IIL 972-6589.

WANTED: 20-meter coil set for National FB7. Bob W9EXG 972-6090.

Remember to monitor 147.570 MHz when you are near your rig, and to check into the Sun Cities 2-Meter Net every Wednesday at 7 PM local time for up-to-date ham news from Westlink, ARRL and W5YI as well as area info.

Hope to see you at the dinner on October 23.