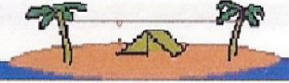


# WATTS NEWS



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Assistant Photographer - Rick Hansen N7EGA

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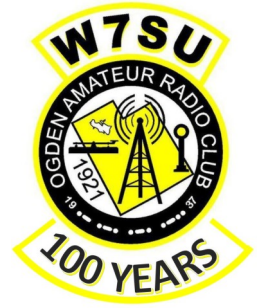
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## OARC COMING EVENTS

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### **Next Meeting/Activity**

**OARC Family Christmas Dinner**

**3rd Saturday 17 December 2022**

**5 PM**

### **Next VE Test Session**

**1st Wednesday 01 February 2023 @ 6:00 PM**

**A MESSAGE FROM OUR PRESIDENT**

## Dave's Rag Chew



**Dave Mamanakis KD7GR**

Greetings, My Friends!

We have made it to the Final Month of 2022. I can barely believe it!  
It has gone by so fast!

I hope everyone had a wonderful Thanksgiving! We had some family and friends over and shared some wonderful Smoked Turkey! We then had a second Thanksgiving with even more friends a couple days later. We called it "Leftover Thanksgiving"! Why just have ONE Dinner when you can have MORE?!

December is Christmas time. I'd like to tell you all a little story:

My family comes to the USA from Greece. Crete, actually, a small village called Mamouniana, part of Vamos, not too far from Hania (Chania (Χανιά)).

The Greeks have a big hand in Christmas. No, I'm not mimicking "Gus" (Costas) from "My Big Fat Greek Wedding"...

Ayios Nickolaos, or "Saint Nickolaos" (Saint Nicholas) was born in Patara (currently in Turkey) in A.D. 270. He later served as Bishop of Myra (another town close to Patara).

Saint Nicholas is the patron Saint of Sailors and Pawn Shops (I don't really know why).

He was a true philanthropist, giving from his riches to the poor. He would sometimes throw bags of money through people's windows, not actually "through the window" but through the open window. Or, at times, into the chimney.

He stood up against corruption in government.

He would also leave gifts for the children which might include money, toys, and or food.

He gave freely of his time and his substance.

People began to mimic his gift giving, but it wasn't just limited to Christmas time (December). However, over time, it has come to be a thing done mostly during Christmas season (December). Saint Nicholas day is the 5<sup>th</sup> of December.

There is good reason to remind everyone about Saint Nicholas, you never know when your time, or someone else's time on this earth is over. Being kind to people, helping if you can, giving if you can, even something so simple as a smile or kind word. It can make all the difference in someone's life.

It is with a sad heart that I notify the club of a recent Silent Key.

Alan Parks (N7SHA) became a Silent Key on December 1<sup>st</sup>, 2022.

<https://www.lindquistmortuary.com/obituaries/alan-parks>

Many of you may simply know his voice as he was a very regular presence on the Mt. Ogden repeater. I really liked Alan. He will be missed.

This Christmas Holiday, have a great time! Spend it with Family. Spend it with Friends. And be sure to join us for the Christmas Party on December 17<sup>th</sup> at 5pm.

We'll be returning to City Buffet (right around 5600 S. on 1900 W. in Roy.

You may bring gifts to be given away in the drawing if you would like to. But most importantly, come and have some good food, great companionship, and some fun!

I look forward to seeing you all there!

Oh, and don't forget! We have the next Technician Class coming up in January (see the website for more information).

And we are making plans to do Winter Field Day in the end of January! There will be more information in the January Newsletter, on the Website, and at the January Club Meeting!

Thank you all for being Good People and Great Members of the OARC!

--Dave (KD7GR)

## **CLUB ANNOUNCEMENTS**

## CLUB NEWS

### HAM and EGGS Net

Tuesday Evenings at 6:30 PM Mountain Time

Mt Ogden **70 cm repeater 448.600 MHz** (- offset, 123.0 PL Tone)

New, Intermediate & Old Timers. Elmering, Education, General Ham Discussion and Rag Chew.

New hams encouraged to check in. Get connected, learn new things and ask questions.

Questions: Larry Griffin (AD7GL), [ad7gl@arrl.net](mailto:ad7gl@arrl.net)

Stan Sjol (W0KP), [stansjol@xmission.com](mailto:stansjol@xmission.com)

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## CLUB NEWS

### 10 Meter Net

Thursday Evenings at 0200 UTC (7:00 PM MT)

10 Meters HF - **28.385 MHz SSB (USB)**

Purpose is to promote activity on the 10 meter band (especially during low sunspot activity).

To give technician class operators an opportunity to operate phone, and to provide a venue for conversation and experimentation with antenna and ground wave propagation.

NOTICE: **“Work toward getting your “10 on 10 Award”**

**“Work toward getting your “10 meter WAS Award”**

Questions and Net Control: Gene (WB7RLX), ee\_morgan@outlook.com



Gene Morgan (WB7RLX)

## CLUB NEWS

### Ham & Eggs Breakfast

Each Wednesday, at a very early 8:00 am, some of the club members meet for an informal breakfast get-to-gather. Everyone is welcome.

Now at a new location:

**The Rusted Spoon-Ogden** (previously The Stagecoach)

**1310 Wall Ave, Ogden, UT**

NOTE: See you there ... if you can get up that early.

A record number attended recently ... 17 total.

73, Dave KJ7DAD



Dave DeHeer (KJ7DAD)

**PREVIOUS CLUB MEETING/ACTIVITY**

**SDR Utah** 

<https://youtu.be/M2wufcWlu4E>

**by Clint Turner KA7OEI**

[SDRutah.org](http://SDRutah.org)

## PREVIOUS MEETING PICTURES

Photos by ... **club photographers**



Rick Hansen—N7EGA

**Note: We need a 2nd club photographer. Consider volunteering!**

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***"Previous Meeting/Activity/Event" ...***

***Photos and links located on the club web site home page.***

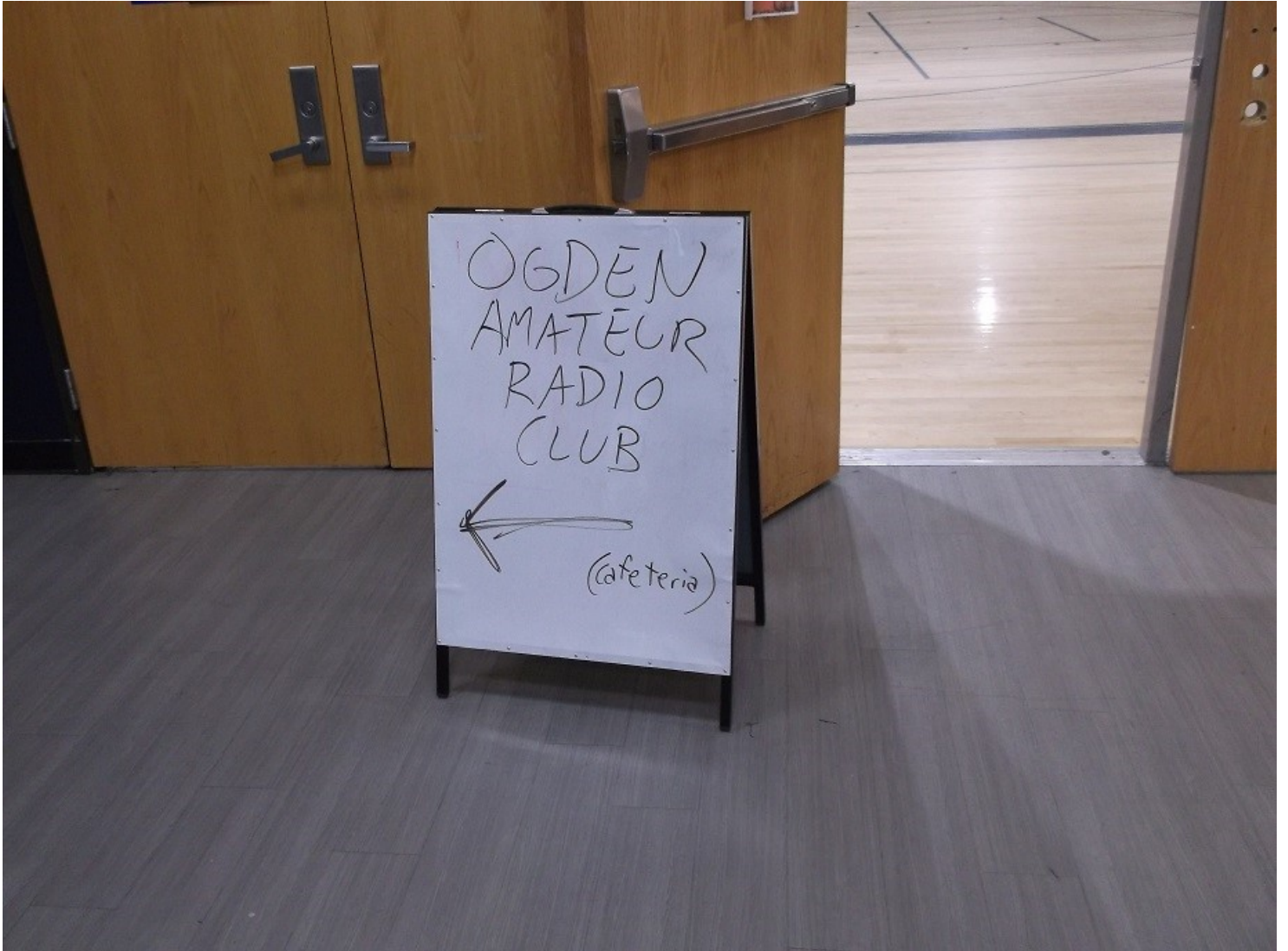
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**ALSO**

**Check out the OARC Facebook page**

**"Ogden Amateur Radio Club"**

**OARC SOCIAL MEDIA MANAGER ... needed**



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**Clint Turner KA7OEI**

**SDR Utah**







**NEXT CLUB MEETING/ACTIVITY**

## **CLUB NEWS**

### **Next OARC Event**

# **OARC Family Christmas Dinner**

**3rd Saturday 17 December 2022 @ 5:00 PM**

**City Buffet - Roy UT**

**Everyone is welcome. Bring your whole family.  
Bring a token gift (\$10 +/- ) to share. Thank You!**

**GRAND DOOR PRIZES: \$500**

**NOTE: [Must be present to win. Paid-up members only]**

**CLUB & HOBBY NEWS**

## CLUB NEWS

By Justin Hall KB7LAK



Greetings to the OARC- the Holidays are in full swing by now. We have the party coming up the 17th and it was a lot of fun last year. I won a framed "Tune for maximum smoke" poster to remind me to do it right.

We have a class in January for new Technicians- feel free to sign up to teach if you like.

We'll probably have a limited Winter Field Day activity in 2023 and before you know it, it'll be Golden Spike time. Then Field Day, and Steak Fry. So jump in with both feet and enjoy what the club has to offer. I love seeing everyone at the social events- even at Field Day when we should be on the radios, but it's not about winning a million points, it's about the friendships we make. And if we have to do something as a club in an emergency, I'll take the guys that get along and move messages any day of the week over the head-butting type-A personalities that can't agree on how things should be done. That's why I love this club. We have a great board of members that can move on things, and our Finance guy that keeps us (and himself) out of jail, a robust testing group, and members interested in being better operators.

So set some goals for 2023, maybe an upgrade- a new mode. Reach out to those you may not know and introduce yourself.

And we note with sadness the passing of N7SHA, Alan. I'll miss his quip during a radio/antenna check "Sounds terrible, I can hear you". So we'll miss him.

Justin Hall – KB7LAK

# CLUB NEWS

By Gene Morgan WB7RLX



## A Tribute to Our Friend Alan Parks, N7SHA



I was very sad to get the news Friday morning, Dec 2 of Alan's passing late in the day on December 1<sup>st</sup>. Alan was a good friend and I will miss him. It was Alan's kind nature and fun sense of humor that initially brought me back into the Ogden Ham radio community. I use to go pick up my grandkids from school every day and while I was waiting I would often listen to Alan and Jared banter back and forth on the 448.6 machine. I enjoyed listening to them. And through them I learn a lot about the club and the ham radio community after my many years of absent.

One day I worked up the courage to break into their QSO and join in. I had been monitoring them for several weeks and felt like I knew them, of course they had no idea who I was but welcomed me into their conversation. Over the course of the next several months I was able to form a friendship with them both. Alan was one of those very special people that made you feel welcomed and appreciated.

Over the next year my friendship with Alan grew as I got to know him better. After spending some time with him I got a sense that he was a bit frustrated with his antenna situation so one day I offered to help him put up a new antenna. After Jared and I installed Alan's long wire Alan started spending more and more time on the air. It was clear he was having a lot of fun with his new antenna and was making a lot of contacts. It was always fun to hear him relate the many contacts he had made over the week on our weekly 10 meter net. I particularly remember how happy he was to make contact with the ship he served on during his time in the Navy, the USS Midway. He had a lot of good stories about his times on the Midway.

The other thing about Alan that I remember was how he loved to find the good deal. He seemed to have a knack for it. He loved collecting radio gear. He had another outstanding quality that went hand in hand with his ability to find the good deal. Alan was a master at tinkering. I remember a motorized wheel chair he got that had seen better days. He spent hours laboring over it. After he finished it he proudly show it off for me. It shined like a new car on the showroom floor. Every surface gleamed, every bit of chrome sparkled, and everything worked perfectly. It was a perfect reflection of Alan's skill as a master tinkerer. The other thing he loved to tinker with were microphones. He seemed to constantly be looking for that perfect microphone. You could always tell when Alan had a new microphone project. You could hear him key up on the air, sometimes all you would hear is what sounded like a garbled voice from outer space and at other times you would hear that unmistakable voice of his. I often found myself

laughing as he would test his latest find over the air and even when you couldn't understand what was being said you always knew who it was.

Alan was a big kid at heart and he loved ham radio and through ham radio he was able to have a lot of fun. He had that special quality that many hams share, the unending desire to learn and to find joy in the doing. And above all Alan was able to make new friends through ham radio, which was something Alan loved doing. I believe that ham radio gave Alan that little extra sprinkle of passion for the experience of life.

Alan was a unique part of our ham radio family. We will miss Alan's voice on the repeater. I will miss how he would extend his "aaaaaaa." We will miss hearing that familiar N7SHA call sign. And we will miss his many fun stories. In short, we will miss our dear friend.

73 Alan N7SHA DE WB7RLX SK

The viewing will be Thursday evening from 6:00 to 8:00 at the Lindquist Mortuary, 3408 Washington Blvd, Ogden, UT 84401.

Funeral services will be Friday starting at 12:00 at the Mortuary.



## CLUB NEWS

# ALAN PARKS - N7SHA OBITUARY



Alan Francis Parks, passed away on December 1, 2022, survived by the love of his life Glenda. Born on May 16, 1941, in Rock Springs, Wyoming to Mary Ellen Marjercak and Robert Francis Parks.

He was married to Sylvia (Sloots) Parks and later divorced then Married Glenda Sue Rucker Parks.

Beloved husband, dad, brother, grandpa, and a great friend to all who knew him.

Alan, served in the NAVY on the USS Midway Aircraft Carrier, He was an Engineer, worked at Morton Thiokol and Williams International. He served faithfully in many callings in The Church of Jesus Christ of latter-day Saints.

He loved spending time with his family, on his Ham radio where he loved talking to everyone around the world, working on guns and shooting them and hunting with friends and family, driving up in the mountains in his jeep—he loved adding new things to his jeep because he said it made it look cool, volunteering at the Browning Museum, and going to gun and ham radio shows. He also loved helping other people.

Survived by wife, Glenda Parks; children, Troy (Marilynne) Parks, Stephanie Parks, Christopher (Laurie Read) Parks, Courtnee Parks (Brett Clyde), Christy (Deceased) (Joe and Gina) Daniel, Tracy Mangel, Korey (Steve) Wardleigh, Jay Mangel, and Kevin (Amber) Mangel; 20 grandchildren and 21 great-grandchildren; and sister, Millie Parks (Lane Raper). Preceded in death by his daughter, Christy Sue Daniel; grandsons, Baby Joseph Daniel and Jordaon Mangel; granddaughter, Kelton Chournos; and brother, Kenneth Parks.

Alan Parks services will be held on Friday, December 9, 2022, at 2 p.m. at Lindquist's Ogden Mortuary 3408 Washington Blvd, Ogden UT. Friends may visit with family on Thursday from 6 to 8 p.m. and Friday from 12:30 to 1:30 p.m. at the mortuary.

## HOBBY NEWS

Pat Malan N7PAT - ARRL Section Manager

Here is a link to the Fall Newsletter <https://arrlutah.org/?p=570>

Enjoy the holidays and may Santa surprise you with that long awaited item on your Wishlist.

73

Pat Malan N7PAT

[N7PAT@ARRL.ORG](mailto:N7PAT@ARRL.ORG)

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ARRL Utah Section

Section Manager: Pat Malan, N7PAT

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# CLUB NEWS

## Unique QSL Cards



**Justin Hall KB7LAK**

## CLUB NEWS

### Unique QSL Cards

STILL WANTED—STILL NEEDED

Send me your QSL Card Photos soon!

Submit to: [k7hcp@arrl.net](mailto:k7hcp@arrl.net) or [w7su@arrl.net](mailto:w7su@arrl.net) or 801.389.0690

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## CLUB NEWS

### Ham Shack Photos

STILL WANTED—STILL NEEDED

Send me your Ham Shack Photos soon!

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**CONTRIBUTING EDITOR SUBMISSIONS**

## GUEST CONTRIBUTION

By Kent Gardner WA7AHY



### My First Shortwave Radio had a Hot Chassis

Just a quick note about my first shortwave radio from the 1950-60s, the National SW-54 receiver. See the September issue of *WATTS NEWS* pages 23-24. It had a warm spot in my heart, but I didn't know it at the time that it had a **hot chassis**.



I see that this radio was featured in the December 2022 issue of *QST*. See pages 96 and 97. The article is in the Classic Radio section entitled "Amateur Radio Equipment with a Hot Chassis. Other brands were featured such as Hallicrafters and Heathkit.

It was fun for me to see, read and learn from the article. I thought it might ring a bell for some of you older hams and be educational for you younger hams.

TNX

Kent Gardner, WA7AHY

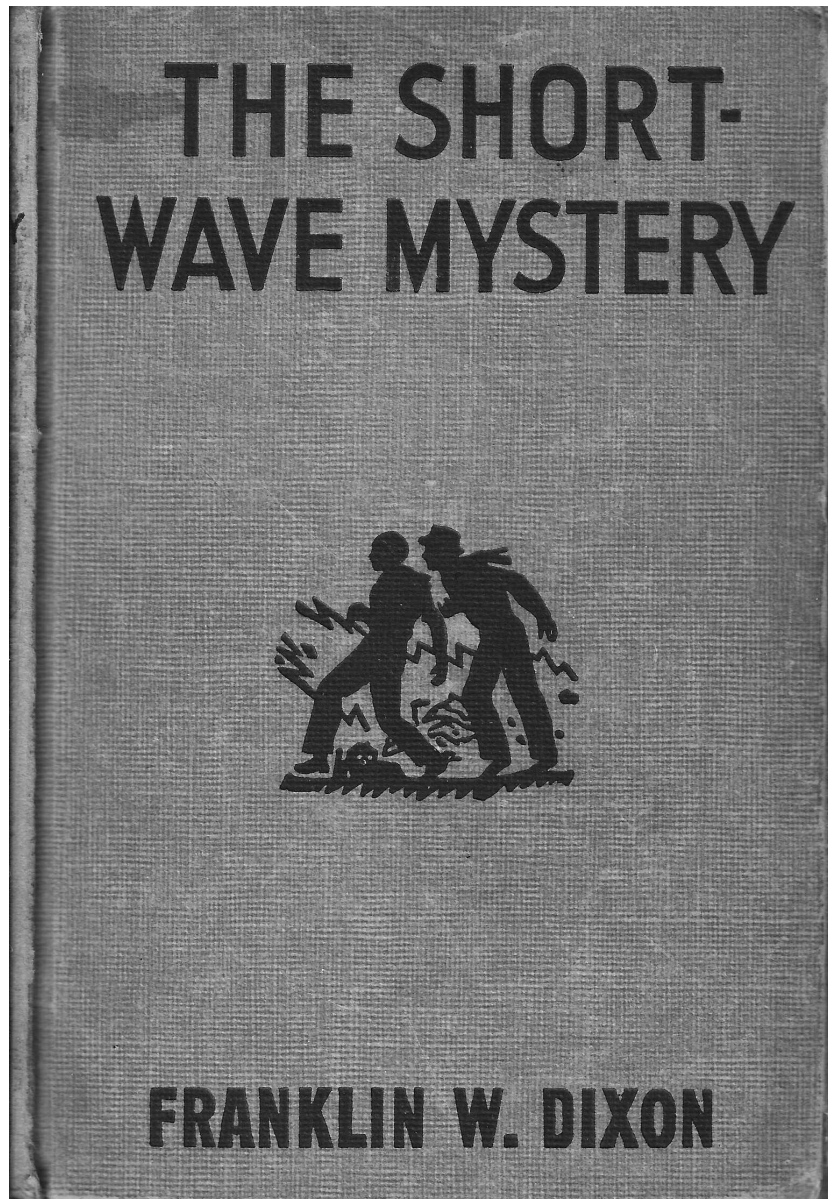
## GUEST CONTRIBUTION

By Kent Gardner WA7AHY



### The Shortwave Mystery

How many of you used to read the Hardy Boys mysteries? They were preferred reading for any energetic and savvy boy back in the 1940s and 50s. Out of the dozen or so that I have read, I kept a special one, *The Shortwave Mystery*. It has proudly been on my shelves over the years.



It was first published in 1945 so radio tubes would have been very much in use during that time.



I reread the entire book to refresh my memory. The first thing I looked for was whether Joe and Frank were ham radio operators. They were. The call they used was K2XOB. It didn't mention which one had that call, but they both seemed to use it without the distinction of whose call it was. Their "stout" friend Chet had the K2XEJ call sign. I looked these calls up on the ARRL website and came up empty handed, so, of course, they were fictitious. The area 2 shows that they were in the New York and New Jersey area.

Details were not sufficient about frequencies and modes used. In those days, it probably was amplitude modulation. The police band was probably just above the broadcast band and below 160 meters. I remember distinctly, hearing police calls on our family's Zenith radio. I always thought that they were originating in Los Angeles, but with a wavelength that long, was more likely local to Burley, Idaho where I lived. I was born in December 1941 so would have been four years old when this book was first printed. The squeaks and squawks I heard tuning the shortwave bands on that radio, in my mind, were mysterious signals from outer space and so began my life of interest in radio. I probably would not have read the book until the early 1950s when I was old enough to read and enjoy it.

Later, in the early sixties, I lived near the Gulf of Mexico and a shrimp boat owner I knew, let me listen to his ship-to-shore radio which seemed to be military surplus, but the frequencies were still below 160 meters.

The round dial is a classic.



The Hardy boys had their own shortwave set in their house and their father Fenton Hardy, a noted detective, had his police radio there also. It seems that the boys could use the police radio too, on their father's authority. The boy's friend Chet had his taxidermy workshop in the shed. Stuffed animals, with radios inside, figured into the mystery of thieves stealing radio parts and building clandestine radio equipment.

A strange reoccurring "Help Hudson" shortwave signal led the Hardy boys on many adventures. Newer radios from the police allowed them to put mobile rigs in their roadster and boat. Boats and airplanes added to their capability of their brand of sleuthing.

After all these years, it was a good read. If any would like to borrow the book to read it, I require a \$1,000 deposit.

TNX Kent Gardner, WA7AHY

# GUEST CONTRIBUTION

By Kent Gardner WA7AHY



## JOTA, OARC and BSA RADIO MERIT BADGE

The following are meaningful acronyms for worthwhile organizations and activities:

JOTA: Jamboree on the Air

OARC: Ogden Amateur Radio Club

BSA: Boy Scouts of America, now better known as Scouting USA.

All these things working together, show that good things are happening. OARC received a request to help with a scout troop's campout featuring a Jamboree On-The-Air activity. See the November 2022 issue of *Watts News*. With the support of a number of club members, led by Bill Via, K7VIA the scouts used ham radio to communicate with other scouts and ham operators locally and all over the world.

I was able to promote the Radio merit badge at the campout and was then invited to visit one of their scout meetings and help seven scouts earn the badge. Scoutmaster Sanford Thompson, KE7UMB was able to cover some requirements at another meeting and my presentation helped them finish the required subjects. They had four choices to concentrate on:

Amateur Radio

Radio Broadcasting

Shortwave and Medium Wave Listening

Amateur Radio Direction Finding

They all chose Amateur Radio.

It was a well-run meeting with scouts giving presentations on Citizenship and the history of adding the military housing project into Washington Terrance City boundaries. Further, Scouting ideals were followed by them sending a Thank You note to OARC as follows:



**THANK YOU!**

Dear, O.A.R.C. thank you for  
your service, and helping others and  
helping the scouts, and showing us the  
differences of the certain telegrams,  
and what they sound like.

-Sincerely Troop 1071

Henry Riches

~~Sam~~ ~~John~~ ~~Waac~~

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Sam

Isaac C.

William

Isaac McCool

Ford Thompson, SM

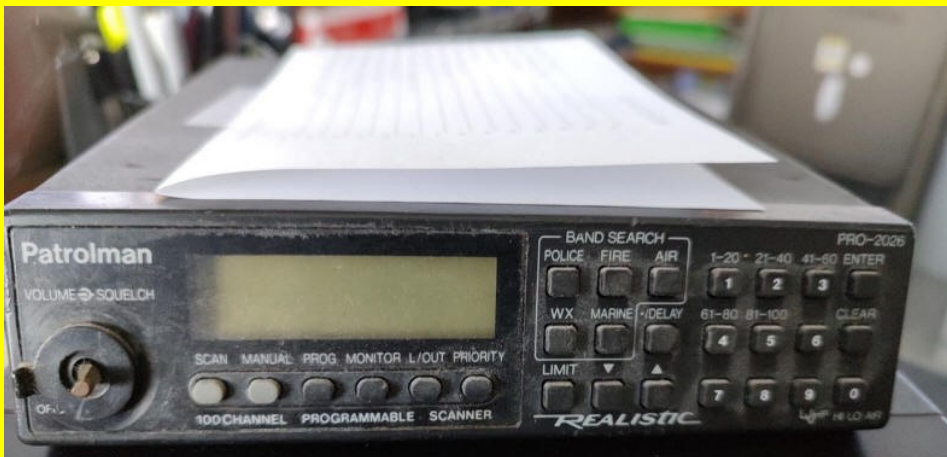


MAYBE NEXT MONTH

# O'bay Swap

SWAP ITEM # 237, 238, 239

ALSO FOR SALE: <http://OgdenARC.org/swap.html>



# O'bay Swap

SWAP ITEM # 236

FOR SALE:

## ICOM IC-7300 HF Transceiver

ICOM IC-7300 Transceiver with ICOM SP-38 matching speaker .

And PTRX Panadapter module with AIRSPY SDR. The module allows the waterfall and spectrum to be displayed on a video monitor.

The radio is in like new condition and is in original box.



<http://OgdenARC.org/swap.html>

# O'bay Swap

SWAP ITEM # 235

FOR SALE:

**KENWOOD TS440s HF Transceiver**

Its in like new condition and works perfectly. It has an internal tuner and the stock filters.



<http://OgdenARC.org/swap.html>

# O'bay Swap

(repeat)

## SWAP ITEM # 225

FOR SALE: Misc Antenna: equipment, parts, cables, etc. (donated to OARC)

REFER TO CHART: Donation Inventory

ASKING PRICE: \$ make offer \$ (as a donation to your club)

CONTACT: Gene Morgan WB7RLX, 801-540-4907, ee\_morgan@outlook.com

<http://OgdenARC.org/swap.html>



**CLUB REFERENCE MATERIAL**

## CLUB REPEATER NEWS



Scott Willis KD7EKO



Mike Fullmer KZ7O

**Scott Willis KD7EKO and Mike Fullmer KZ7O are the OARC repeater engineers that keep our club repeaters at Mt Ogden and Little Mountain operational.**

# OARC MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

## SUPPORT YOUR RADIO CLUB

Don't forget to signup/renew your OARC membership now (\$15) which runs August to August. Consider signing up your spouse as well. Remember ... FREE Steak at Steak Fry for ALL members.

Ham + Spouse = \$15 + \$10 = \$25

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT

## Join OARC

### Join or Renew your membership now!

**Joining & Renewal is easy.** On the club website home page click Join/Renew tab and fill out the membership form. You can pay using your PayPal or mail a Check or Money Order to the club PO Box listed. Or print a hardcopy of the membership form, fill it out and mail it to the PO Box along with your payment. Better yet, Come to a club meeting and bring the completed membership form with you.

**DUES:** Dues are \$15.00 per person and runs August - August. (Ham + spouse = \$25.) More than one ham in the family? Consider the OARC Family plan for \$25.

**NOTE: New Hams >>>** Membership in OARC is complimentary for remainder of 1st year licensed.

Membership in the Ogden Amateur Radio Club is open to anyone interested in Amateur Radio. You do not need an amateur license to join us. You do not need to join the club to participate with us. Dues are used to operate the club, field day activities, and repeater equipment maintenance.

## Club Badges

OARC Club badges are available for all licensed club members.

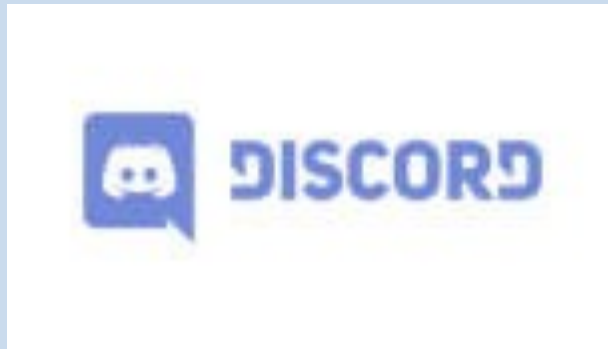
The cost is **\$12.00** each. The badge comes with a “MAGNETIC” clip. Badge includes your Call Sign in large letters and your First Name in a somewhat smaller font in white lettering on a pitch black background with the club logo. See example below.



Place your order along with **\$12.00** prepaid in advance for each badge ordered and specify Call Sign and First Name.

Visit the club website home page Join/Renew tab and select the Badge Order form to order your badge. You can use PayPal or mail your check to the club PO Box.

## OARC Discord Page



**Did you know that OARC has a Discord page ?**

**What is a Discord Page you ask?**

**It is OARC's new discussion group site.**

**Just click on the icon on the bottom of the club website home page to join and visit OARC's ongoing discussion threads. Check it out!**

## OARC Facebook Page



**Did you know that OARC has a Facebook page ?**

**Just click on the icon on the bottom of the club website home page to visit OARC's ongoing monthly activities and events. Check it out!**

## OARC You Tube Channel



### **Did you know that OARC has a You Tube Channel ?**

**A lot of our meeting presentations are recorded and posted to our OARC You Tube channel for you to view at a later date.**

**It's easy to view missed**



**meetings...**

**Just click on the icon on the bottom of the club website home page to view recorded meetings preserved for your viewing pleasure. Check it out!**

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Next Club Meeting:

**3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday of each Month**

The Ogden Amateur Radio Club meetings are usually held on the **3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday** of each month.

### Meeting/Activity:

**See monthly notices earlier in this newsletter.**

Talk-in: - 448.600 (pl 123.0)

Check OARC web site for details

**[www.ogdenarc.org](http://www.ogdenarc.org)**

Please invite a friend to join you. You do not have to be a member of the club to participate in our club meetings or activities. We invite all to join us.

If anyone is interested in doing a presentation on something or just have something unique to show at the meetings. - Please get a hold of any of the officers and let us know.

### Next Weber Co VE Test Session:

**1st Wednesday Feb, Jun & Oct**

Exam sessions are held in Ogden every few months, **usually** the first Wednesday in February, June, and October.

**Time: 06:00 PM** *Walk-ins allowed*

**Location: Permanent location**

**Utah Military Academy  
5120 S 1050 W  
Riverdale UT 84405**

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**Cost: \$ 14.00**

Two forms of **ID**, one of which must be a **picture ID**.

For "Upgrades" bring current **license** and a **copy** of current license, and any **CSCE's**

Most **calculators** allowed. Calculator memories must be cleared before use.



## AREA CLUB MEETINGS & WEB SITES

CLUB	WEB SITE	DATE/TIME	LOCATION
OgdenARC	<a href="http://ogdenarc.org">ogdenarc.org</a>	3 <sup>rd</sup> Saturday 09:00 am	Check OARC web site ...
WC Sheriff Comm-O		1 <sup>st</sup> Saturday 10:00 am	Weber Co. Sheriff Complex West 12 <sup>th</sup> Street Ogden Utah
Barc	<a href="http://barconline.org">barconline.org</a>	2 <sup>nd</sup> Saturday 10:00 am	Cache Co. Sheriffs Complex 200 North 1400 West Logan Ut
CSErg	<a href="http://dcarc.net/ares.htm/">dcarc.net /ares.htm/</a>	Last Wednesday 8:30pm	Clearfield City Hall Clearfield Utah
DCarc	<a href="http://dcarc.net">dcarc.net</a>	2 <sup>nd</sup> Saturday 10:00 am	Davis Co. Sheriff Complex Farmington Utah
NU Ares	<a href="http://home.comcast.net/~noutares/">home.comcast.net/ ~noutares/</a>	3 <sup>rd</sup> Wednesday 7:00 pm	Cache Co. Sheriff Office Logan Utah
Uarc	<a href="http://xmission.com/~uarc/">xmission.com /~uarc/</a>	1 <sup>st</sup> Thursday 7:30 pm	UofU EMC Bldg Room 101 Salt Lake City Utah
UVarc	<a href="https://uvarc.club">https://uvarc.club</a>	1 <sup>st</sup> Thursday 6:30 pm	Orem City Council Chamber Room 56 North State St. Orem Utah
GSarc	<a href="http://Ubetarc.org">Ubetarc.org</a>	Check Website	Check Website
Utah DX Association	<a href="http://udxa.org">udxa.org</a>	3 <sup>rd</sup> Wednesday check web page for details	check web page for details Salt Lake City area
UvhfS	<a href="http://ussc.com/~uvhfs/">ussc.com /~uvhfs/</a>	Each Tuesday 8:00 pm (refer to web site)	Weekly 2 meter net (no eye ball meetings)
WDArc	<a href="http://westdesertarc.org/">westdesertarc.org/</a>	1 <sup>st</sup> Tuesday 7:00 pm	Tooele County Courthouse Tooele Utah
WsuArc	<a href="https://groups.google.com/forum/#!forum/wsuarc">https://groups.google.com/forum/#!forum/wsuarc</a>	3 <sup>rd</sup> Thursday 5:30 pm	WSU Blding #4 Room ? Ogden Utah

## Club Web Site

Be sure to visit our club web site.

[www.OgdenARC.org](http://www.OgdenARC.org)

Club membership is open to anyone interested in Amateur Radio. You do not need an amateur license to join us. Dues are used to operate the club, field day activities, and repeat-er equipment maintenance.

## Club Call Sign

Listen to the club repeaters for this very familiar CW ID. You do know Morse Code don't you?

**W7SU**

## OARC is 100 years old

OARC was established in May 1921 and became ARRL affiliated in 1937.

<b>OARC REPEATERS</b>			
(*) Yaesu Fusion digital/FM compatible			
FREQ	CLUB	TONE	LOCATION
146.900-	OARC (*)	125 DCS	Mt Ogden (w/WiresX)
448.600-	OARC (*) "talk-in"	123.0	Mt Ogden
146.820-	OARC (*)	123.0	Little Mtn
448.575-	OARC	100.0	Little Mtn (no autopatch)

FREQ/Offset	TONE	LOCATION	OWNER
145.250 -	PL 123.0	Weber State Univ	WSC
145.290 -	PL 123.0	Brigham City	GSARC
145.330 -	PL 100.0	BYU (Provo)	BYUarc
145.430 -	PL 123.0	Brigham City	GSARC
145.470 -	PL 123.0	Powder Mountain	WCSO
145.490 -	PL 100.0	Promontory Point	K7JL
146.620 -	PL none	Farnsworth Peak	UARC
146.640 -	PL none	Logan	BARC
146.720 -	PL 103.5	Mount Logan	BARC
146.760 -	PL none	Lake Mountain	UARC
146.780 -	PL 100.0	Lake Mountain	UVARC
146.920 -	PL 123.0	Promontory Point	WCSO
147.040 +	PL 123.0	Antelope Island	DCARC
147.100 +	PL 123.0	Morgan County	KB7ZCL
147.120 +	PL 100.0	Farnsworth Peak	UARC
147.220 +	PL 123.0	Brigham City	GSARC
147.260 +	PL 103.5	Promontory Point	BARC
147.360 +	PL 100.0	Lewis Peak	Summit Co ARC
447.200 -	PL 127.3	Antelope Island	DCARC
447.225 -	PL 100.0	Malad Idaho	Malad Repeater
447.775 -	PL 123.0	Powder Mountain	WCSO
448.300 -	PL 123.0	Brigham City	GSARC
448.775 -	PL 123.0	Promontory Point	WCSO
448.825 -	PL 123.0	Clearfield City	IRLP Node 4654
449.100 -	PL 146.2	Farnsworth Peak	UARC
449.250-	PL 123.0	Weber State Univ	WSC
449.425 -	PL 100.0	Nelson Peak	IRLP - Western Refl
449.500 -	PL 100.0	Farnsworth Peak	UARC
449.625 -	PL 103.5	Mount Logan	BARC
449.925 -	PL 100.0	North Salt Lake	DCARC
449.950 -	PL 123.0	Clearfield City	IRLP Node 3876
ATV - wb7fid	TV Ch 58	Farnsworth Peak	UARC - Utah ATV

## LOCAL AREA NETS

DATE	CLUB	FREQ
Daily @ 12:30 PM mt	Utah Beehive net HF	7.272 Mhz <b>HF LSB</b>
Daily @ 07:30 PM mt	Utah Code net HF	3.570 Mhz <b>HF CW</b>
Daily @ 02:00 UTC	Utah Farm net HF	3.937 Mhz <b>HF LSB</b>
Sunday @ 8:45 AM	Ogden Old Timers HF net	7.193 Mhz <b>HF LSB</b>
Sunday @ 7:15 PM	Weber/Davis ERC	146.820 - 123.0 (ERC training net)
Sunday @ 7:30 PM	GS ARC	145.430 - 123.0 (training net)
Sunday @ 8:30 PM	SATERN Net	145.900 - 123.0
Sunday @ 9:00 PM	Morgan Co Net	147.100 +123.0
Sunday @ 9:00 PM	UARC Info net	146.620- no PL tone required
Monday @ 9:00 PM	2-meter SSB net	144.250 Mhz <b>2-meter USB</b>
<b>Tuesday @ 6:30 PM</b>	<b>OARC—Ham &amp; Eggs Net</b>	<b>448.600 -123.0</b>
<b>Tuesday @ 8:00 PM</b>	<b>Weber ARES</b>	<b>448.600 - 123.0</b>
Tuesday @ 8:00 PM	DCARC TECH Net	147.040 + 123.0
Tuesday @ 8:00 PM	VHF Society Swap	147.120 + 100.0
Tuesday @ 9:00 PM	Bridgerland ARC	147.260 + 103.5
Wednesday @ 7:00 PM	Am-Con Northern Utah	448.600 -123.0
Wednesday @ 8:00 PM	GS ARC	145.290-, 145.430-, 448.300- (all 123.0)
Wednesday @ 8:30 PM	CSE RG	145.770 simplex
Wednesday @ 9:00 PM	No. Utah 10m HF net	28.313 Mhz <b>HF USB</b>
Wednesday @ 9:00 PM	6-meter SSB net	50.125 Mhz <b>6-meter USB</b>
<b>Thursday @ 7:00 PM</b>	<b>OARC - 10 Meter Net</b>	<b>28.385 MHz USB (all hams invited)</b>
Thursday @ 7:30 PM	Davis Co ARES	147.420 = simplex & 449.925 -100.0
Thursday @ 8:00 PM	Weber State ARC	146.820 - 123.0 (coming soon)
Thursday @ 8:00PM (3rd Thurs)	State RACES VHF/IRLP	145.490 - 123.0, 146.680 - 123.0
Thursday @ 9:00PM	Wasatch Back Net	147.360 + 100.0
Saturday @ 8:00AM mt (3rd Sat)	RACES State HF	3.920 Mhz <b>HF LSB</b>
Saturday @ 11:00AM mst	QCWA net HF	7.272 Mhz <b>HF LSB</b>

**73 de W7SU**

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