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CLUB STATION W6CUS

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EBARC Meeting

June 12, 2009

7:30 p.m.

"Field Day 2009 Planning"
EBARC Members



The East Bay Amateur Radio Club meets the second Friday of each month
at the Salvation Army, 4600 Applan Way, El Sobrante.

The Executive Board meets the Monday before each general meeting at 7:30 p.m.
at the W6CUS club station, 3200 Macdonald Ave. Richmond.

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[Articles may be submitted by "snail" mail, by dictation over the 'phone 510-741-8227, or by e-mail to aa6xz@earthlink.net]

Field Day 2009 Planning

At our general meeting Friday, June 12th, we will do planning for our Field Day 2009, which is June 26-28 at Cesar Chavez Park, at the Berkeley Marina. Please participate in the fun!

WILL YOU LOAN EBARC ONE TRIBANDER?

Treasurer's Report April/May 2009

Gordon Parsons, NU6W, Treasurer

APRIL/MAY INCOME

Coffee Kitty March (April)	\$4.00
Coffee Kitty March (May)	<u>\$16.25</u>
Total Apr/May. Income	\$20.25

APRIL/MAY DISBURSEMENTS

City of Berkeley (maint. Fee).....	\$225.00
City of Berkeley (permit fee).....	90.00
Refreshments (B. Bowling)	<u>18.28</u>
Total Apr/May. Disbursements	\$333.28

BANK OF THE WEST ACCOUNTS

Checking (General Fund).....	\$4,398.15
Savings (Station Fund*)	\$2,868.77

*\$1,169 earmarked for W6CUS Roofing Fund.

Tower Repair Work Day

Please help at the EBARC club station at 9 a.m. on Saturday June 20th.

Old Keys Won't Work

The EBARC club station entry doors have been re-keyed due to the recent break-in.

Boy Scout Hike - Hams Needed

This hike in Wildcat and Tilden Parks is on Saturday, June 6th. Contact John Wood, john@otherlife.net, or Michael McMillan, mcmillan50y@yahoo.com.

Marin Volunteers Needed

(1) Sunday, June 14: The Dipsea Race 7:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. (2) Saturday, June 27: The Double Dipsea. 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. (3) Saturday, August 01: Marin Century / Mt. Tam Double Century 4:30 a.m. to 11:30 p.m..(4) Saturday, August 15: The Holstein 100. 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. - - Contact Randy Jenkins, KA6BQF, ka6bqf@arrl.net or 510-526-4089

Future Bay Area Events

- Livermore Swap Meet, 1st Sunday of each month at Robertson Park, 7 a.m. to noon, all year. Talk-in 147.045 MHz. Info: www.livermoreark.org/swap/swap.html
- South Bay Electronics Flea Market, 2nd Saturday of each month, March through October, De Anza College, Cupertino. Details at www.asvaro.org. Talk-in on 145.27 MHz (-, 100 Hz PL).
- EBARC, ORCA, and ARCA sponsor joint ARRL VEC Amateur Radio Test Sessions quarterly at 9 a.m. in the Media Room, 1605 Martin Luther King Jr. Way (at 16th St.), Oakland. Remaining dates for 2009 are Jul. 26th & Oct. 25th, and the fee is \$15. Info at 510-846-1587 or 510-741-8227.
- CoCoCo RACES Training: Details at www.cc-races.org or via RACES net, 6:45 p.m., Thursdays on 145.11 MHz.

The East Bay Amateur Radio Club, founded in 1947, is a California non-profit organization of amateur radio operators in Contra Costa and Alameda counties. The club is open to anyone interested in amateur radio. Annual dues are \$25 for individual membership, \$30 for a family membership, and \$10 for students K-12. For information, contact any EBARC officer, see Web page www.eastbayarc.org, or write EBARC, P.O. Box 1393, El Cerrito, CA 94530. The East Bay Amateur Radio Club maintains a club station, W6CUS, at 3200 Macdonald Ave., Richmond.

2009 EAST BAY AMATEUR RADIO CLUB EXECUTIVE BOARD

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AMATEUR RADIO NETS

NET	DAYS	LOCAL TIME	FREQ, MHZ
West Contra Costa County ARES/RACES Net	Thurs	1845 (PL 82.5-)	145.110
EBARC "Explore Net" (HF)	Mon	1930 (USB)	28.425
KARO/ECHO ARES/RACES Net	Thurs	~1900 simplex	146.415
NALCO RACES/ARES Net	Thurs	1915 (PL 131.8+)	440.900
Oakland ARES Emergency Communications Net	Thurs	1930 (PL 77-)	146.880
Contra Costa Communications Club Net	Thurs	1930 (PL 82.5-)	145.110
Tech Net	Thurs	2000 (PL 82.5-)	145.110
"Over the Hill Gang" Breakfast/Commute Net	Mo-Fr	0710 (PL 82.5-)	145.110
Northern Calif. Net VHF Session	Daily	1930 (PL 107.2-)	145.410
"Going Home Group"	Mo-Fr	1600 (PL 82.5-)	145.110

Asst. EC West CoCoCo: Mike McMillan, K6MCM, mcmillan50y@yahoo.com, phone 510 223-3052.
 Frequencies: #1=145.110-, #2=147.570s, www.cc-races.org.