

THE NORTH SHORE AMATEUR RADIO CLUB INC.

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NEXT MEETING:

The next meeting will be at the Durham Region Police Office at 77 Centre Street North in Oshawa on Tuesday, April 10, at 7:00 p.m. Featured will be a tour of the police communication facility.

NEWS ITEMS:

John FGL is the Field Day manager for this year's activities. All those wishing to participate in any capacity should call John at 655-4269.

The Emergency Measures Organization (E.M.O.) is holding a province-wide message passing exercise on Saturday, May 12. It will be on 80 and 40 metres between 10:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. with control from Ottawa. All hams wishing to participate, contact Steve CFG at 725-4197 for information on equipment requirements and frequencies.

Following is a financial statement for 1978 including a projected budget for 1979 submitted by Steve CFG. The increased operating costs would indicate that we should be considering a dues increase.

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Report of Activities of The North Shore Amateur Radio Club Two Metre Net

Net attendance for March showed an odd pattern. The 1st and 8th each had 35 check-ins, with the 15th, 22nd, and 29th having 56, 54 and 51 respectively, resulting in an average of 46 for the month. This shows a continued interest in net activity. On the 22nd there was an unusual inversion, with stations from the Chatham area putting such strong signals into the Oshawa area that they timed-out VE3OSH for several minutes. This was made more troublesome by our local stations which were operating the Chatham repeater, VE3KCR, which also was putting a strong signal into this locality. At least two Chatham stations, VE3BIG/M and VE3GAI checked into our net. It was rather hectic for a time. During the month Don VE3HDV did check in once. He reported, "Still making progress, but he is having trouble working through OSH". I believe he has better luck with RPT. I keep in touch with Bob VD3GND and I am sorry to report that his brother Don is still suffering health problems. Hang in there, Don, better days are coming! Rae VE3RP still has health and associated problems - chin up and all that Rae.

And a reminder! The only way that Ted VE3ADD can send out get-well greetings on behalf of the club is by having timely information passed along to him by members aware of these misfortunes.

Our thanks to all those who have helped by collecting Dominion Store tapes, and our hopes that this activity will grow. At present the North Pickering A.R.C. project has been satisfied I am advised and the tapes are being collected for use in any similar North Shore A.R.C. drive. Recommendations of possible projects are welcome and should be made to the club executive or to the net controller to relay.

Re the Carl Emes VE3RG equipment: All inquiries are being recorded as they are received, and efforts are being made to get the gear out to this area so that it may be seen. Further information on the net as available.

Again my thanks to all who in any way have helped to make the net a success, and a warm welcome to the SWLs and all newcomers.

73 and 88, Perce, Net Control

HELP WANTED:

There is a need for volunteer instructors for the code and theory classes for budding amateurs for the coming year. Anyone wishing to help this worthy cause please contact Don HYW or any executive member.

EQUIPMENT FOR SALE:

One only - brand new HW8 Heathkit - still in the carton - a bargain for this fine
QRP Rig \$200.00

Call Lyle Sibbald at 579-2222

Attached is a new updated membership list.

73,
Glen AEQ