http://www.k6ugs.com/oen.htm ---- THE NETTER CAN BE FOUND HERE. Check out the great job Vern is doing with the O.E.N. Webpage!

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SILENT KEY REPORT: Feb. 24, Dick, K7DDI, sent your editor an E-mail saying that Joe Revoir, KA7FUL, from Klamath Falls, passed away today. Joe has been ill for some time, and was recently in the Klamath Falls hospital. Joe has been a net control on the Oregon Emergency Net for many years. Recently, he was net control on Sunday night, second net. He was net control on Sunday first net before that. Joe was also a net control on the ORARES net. Joe often handled traffic on that net for the Klamath Falls area, Karen, N7RBO, O.E.N. net manager, reports Joe became a member of the O.E.N. in 1982, and held O.E.N. certificate number 829. Joe's wife. Ruth, was also a ham, she passed away some years ago, and held the call KA7NEN. We will all miss hearing Joe on the net very much, and our thoughts are with his family. Thanks to Dick, K7DDI, for sharing with us the picture of Joe below. Joe was 76 years old, his service was held on March 1 in the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints in Klamath Falls. He

was put to rest at the Eagle Point National Cemetery. Joe was an electrical inspector for Clackamas County And he moved to Klamath Falls after his retirement. Joe's children, Jeffery and Jaimie Revoir of Klamath Falls survive him. In 1952, Joe served his country In the Air Force, and served in Korea. Part of this Information comes from Joe's obituary, in the Harold And News, the Klamath Falls paper. (ed)

REMEMBER THE O.E.N. PICNIC WILL BE HELD AROUND NOON AT THE QTH OF CAROL, N7HEH, ON AUGUST 19. THE ADDRESS IS 304 N. E. DORNING STREET, WALDPORT.

JOE AND FAMILY



(DATE UNKNOWN)

Guess Who: Does any one know who This nice looking young man is? I know that many of you know him. (look for the answer on page 3)

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March 7: Karen, N7RBO Resigned as Net manager/ Secretary due to health Reasons. What a wonderful job she has done! We all wish her the best, And our prayers are with her and her OM Kern. It has been a great pleasure and honor for Me to have worked with her. (ed)



NEW NET MANAGER: Dennis Deaton, KG7UY, has stepped up to take over as net manager / secretary for the net. Thanks Dennis. You can reach Dennis at PH 541-733-9850, or E mail him at <u>mroencontact@gmail.com</u> He can also be reached by U.S. Mail at P. O. Box 63, Canyonville, Or. 97417. (ed)

THE LISTENING EAR: MARCH 21, DICK, K7DDI, TRIED TO CONTACT TONY, W7CUS, ON THE KLAMATH FALLS 2 METER REPEATER, USING CW. TONY WOULD NOT ANSWER THE CALL. –WE HEAR TOM, KB7JAL, HAD A BIRTHDAY IN APRIL. HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO TOM!!

ON THE MEND: March 22, K7DDI, Dick, reports that Karen, N7RBO, was in the hospital today. We are keeping Karen in prayer. What a sweet lady! (ed)

It is my privilege to announce that Larry Ballard, W7WX has been elected to Chair the OEN board of Directors. Larry was the only nominee and was affirmed unanimously by the Board. He will assume his duties on April 15th 2012.

James Boyd, K7MKN, is vacating the Chair on April 15th 2012, citing a heavy business schedule this year. He will retain his seat on the OEN Board, just not as the Chairman.

Dennis Deaton KG7UY OEN Net Manager/Secretary

(3) NOTICE:NOTICE: NOTICE—DO YOU HAVE AND O.E.N. CERTIFICATE???

As of recent, considerable interest has been expressed in the OEN Certificate List. Several OEN Members weren't sure if they held a Certificate, some others didn't know when they became an OEN member, etc. For quite some time, Karen, N7RBO, our former Net Manager has entered this data into the computer from an old card system which appears to have been ill kept up to date by previous Net Managers. Karen cleaned up and maintained that computerized file for many years.

After sending me a copy of the Microsoft Excel file, I sorted the data into several differing formats to make it easier to look them up and posted them on the OEN Web Page. One format is by your Last Name, another is by your current Call Suffix, and lastly by Certificate Numbers, one in Ascending Order, the other in Descending Order. The link to the Certificate Page is:

http://www.k6ugs.com/OEN%20Membership%20Certif%20List.htm

Just click on this link above and it will take you to the Certificate Page where you can select what sequence listing you would like to look for. Some of the information for certain calls may be blank or unknown; other info may have changed due to people moving or becoming Silent Keys. So if you see any outdated information that needs to be corrected, please let our New Net Manager, KG7UY know so that he can update the new file he is creating with valid data.

If you have any suggestions on how to better present this data to the membership, please let me know.

73's Vern, K6UGS

Hello Still Again. Came up with another blurp for the Netter. This time I am looking for something.

Am looking for anyone that has a 1955, 1959, 1960, 1962, 1964, 1976 and/or 1977 US Call books. If anyone can help, please contact : Vern at <u>vern@k6ugs.com</u>, or on the OEN.

Thanks, Vern k6ugs

The mystery picture on page 2 is none other than Richard Suber, K7ddi, from Klamath Falls.

50 SHORT YEARS AS AN O.E.N. MEMBER: Ruth, K7RFO, first net control on Tuesday, celebrated her 50th year as an O.E.N. member on March 27. Ruth holds O.E.N. number 413, and she became a member in 1962. Congratulations Ruth!! Doesn't she do a great job as net control on Tue.!

Ruth also reports that on April 10, at 2:30 PM she will go in for her back operation. Our prayers are with you Ruth for a swift recovery. (ed)

(4) MARCH NET REPORT (CORECTION: CHECK IN'S 7673, KB7JAL 737)

MARCH	21	012						
DAY	Net Control	Traffic	Con	itacts Tota	I Chk Ins	Solids	Solids	Excused
						N7FGF	KA7LUF	KE7ADI
SUNDAY	K7MKN Jim		1	7	731	N7EZG	WB711R	
2ND NET	W7PM Marc		2	4	226	KA7QYY	WA7FIV	
MONDAY	W7WX Larry		3	22	1198	N7MAP	W7EET	
2ND NET	WA7JS Jim		0	5	246	W7CUS	N7HEH	
TUESDAY	K7RFO Ruth		2	15	1073	W7WX	W7TYQ	
2ND NET	KE7CYK Cindy		10	11	227	KA7RUZ	N7IPG	
WEDNESDAY	KG7UY Dennis		5	26	838	W7GNI	KE7GML	
2ND NET	WB6MFV Doug		0	6	168	AA5TL		
THURSDAY	KB7JAL Tom		1	6	896	KA5ZLQ		
2ND NET	WA7OXM Zane		1	4	382	KF7CRI		
FRIDAY	AE7ER Jerry		0	7	548	KE7LDX		
2ND NET	ND7V Fred		0	11	196	KD7RTE		
SATURDAY	N7IPG Warren		3	8	863	WA7JS		
2ND NET	KE7GML		0	6	287	K7SEG		
ALTERNATES						KQ7Z		
2ND NET 3/8/12	W7BXD		0	2	<mark>.</mark> 53	KD7BUJ		
TOTAL			19	140	7832			

FEB. 2012 NET REPORT: CHECK IN'S 6764. SOLIDS: W7CUS, W7EET, W7EUQ, N7EZG, N7FGF, WA7FIV, KE7GML, W7GNI, N7HEH, K7HMI, N7IPG, WA7JS, KE7LDX, (PA 5) KA7LUF, N7MAP, KA7QYY, N7RBI, KD7RTE, KA7RUZ, K7SEG, WB7TIR, AA5TL, W7TYQ, KE7WVI, W7WX, KQ7Z, KA7ZIS, KA5ZLQ, W7ZWW. EXCUSED: AE7FI.

NET CONTROL NUMBERS FOR CHECK INS: K7DDI 68. WA7OXM 146. AE7ER 571. ND7V 229. KE7GML 205. N7IPG 711. WA7JS 109. W7WX 957. K7RFO 1047. KB7JAL 745. KG7UY 1057. N7RBO 234. WB6MFV 254. W7PM 201. KE7CYK 230.

(5) ON THE MEND: On the first net, April 6, Sandi Morehead, KE7GML, reported that her O. M. Warren, N7IPG, had come home from a successful hernia operation and was doing good. We all wish you well soon Warren. (ed)

CONGRATULATION TO THE FOLLOWING NEW O.E.N. MEMBERS: K7AX MILO BIAIR, MARCH 21, 2012, #1265 TIGARD OR. CATHY DEATON KB7KAC, MARCH 22, 2012, # 1266, CANYONVILLE, OR. N7MAP MICHAEL PETERSON 22176 SW HALL ST SHERWOOD OR 97140 # 1267





APRIL 11 AROUND 1 PM: Pictured here is Ruth Schoor, K7RFO, and her daughter Linda. They are in Ruth's room at the Klamath Falls hospital. Ruth is recovering from a back operation she had on the 10th. She reports that the pain is all gone, and that she is doing great! I know a lot of prayers have been answered that were sent out in Ruth's behalf. Ruth expects to be back home and on the radio in a couple of days. (ed)

APRIL 15 UP DATE ON RUTH: Ben, N7RBI, told us in an E mail that Ruth was back in the hospital with complications from her recent surgery. She was home two days before going back, and is expected back home on the 17. UPDATE: April 17 sees Ruth back home and doing fine. (ed)

THE EARLY DAYS OF THE O.E.N. Tnx to Dick Suber, K7DDI, for sharing.

The first emergency handled by the net was on January 3, 1949, when a weak code station requested that a phone call be made to a veterinarian in Bend to attend to a sick cow. The call was handled and the cow recovered. The calls of the stations performing this service have been lost.

In the beginning there were 89 towns, 55 calls; March 1953, 62 stations, 17 mobiles; March 1954, 111 stations and 29 mobiles; March 1955, 122 stations and 68 mobiles.

On December 13, 1949, the net was requested to assist in the search for Ruth Aberle, age 15, who had become lost from her party while looking for Christmas trees in a mountainous area

(6) near Kelso, Washington. The net cooperated with Cowlitz County Sheriff's Office, Washington State Patrol and Portland City Police in the search and Ruth was found two days later in good condition.

In the same year, on Christmas day, two small boys became lost in the Glendale, Oregon area and the net was alerted to assist the searchers with communications. However, the boys were found before large search groups were formed and the search was terminated.

DO YOU REMEMBER THIS MEDFORD RADIO STORE WHO'S FLYER IS BELOW? I BET K7DDI, RICHARD SUBER DOES. THANKS FOR SHARING THIS WITH US DICK. (ed).

