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THE OREGON EMERGENCY MEETS ON OR ABOUT 3980. We all need to remember that net control determines the net frequency. I have heard folks advise the net control he was not on frequency. Net control is ALWAYS on frequency if he is on or about 3980. (ed)

SK REPORT It is my solemn duty to report that longtime OEN member Ed Vaughn, K7YLO became a Silent Key Monday, March 11th 2013. His Certificate # is 524 issued in June 1965. Ed used to check in from Toketee when he was a forester with the Federal government. He retired in 1985 and until recently farmed 150 acres with an orchard in Talent. KG7UY Dennis

FROM YOUR EDITOR / TREASURER: In years gone by, the funds for net activities came from the sale of the NETTER. Now days, that is not true, as very few take the NETTER by mail, and the six dollars we charge for taking the NETTER by mail might barley cover the cost of printing and mailing the NETTER. Now days the NETTER is free on our web page. This leaves donations as the means of covering our costs. Our Net Manager, Dennis, has expenses every year that he incurs, which need to be funded. We have the expense of portable rest rooms to cover at the picnic, the third weekend in August. Right now we are not in need of money, as we have \$855.32 in the bank. Larry, w7wx, our Chairman of the Board came up- with a good idea of how we can make money for the net. Perhaps you have some radio gear that you do not use any more, that could be auctioned off at the picnic. Perhaps you have something that you would like to donate that could be auctioned or sold, other than radio equipment. All we would ask is that what every you wish to donate, that it is in good condition. Perhaps there are others out there who have even better ideas of how we can make money for the net, if so, contact a board member, and let them know about your idea. Today we have enough money to meet our needs, but on down the road, we will need to increase funds to cover our expenses.

February	2013					
DAY	Net Control	Traffic	Contacts	Total Chk Ins	Solids	Solids
SUNDAY	WA7OXM Zane	2	4	754	WA7GNI	W7WX
2ND NET	AE7CJ John	1	4	230	N7HEH	KA7RUZ
2ND NET	KF7JUW Pattie				W7CUS	N7CPE
MONDAY	W7WX Larry	1	14	895	KD7BUJ	KA7ZIS
2ND NET	W7TYQ Gary	0	13	402	K7SEG	KA7LUF
TUESDAY	K7RFO Ruth	8	16	1034	KQ7Z	KF7CRG
2ND NET	KE7CYK Cindy	4	5	302	KD7RTE	KF7CRI
WEDNESDAY	WB6MFV Doug	1	3	780	KA7QYY	KC7SPL
2ND NET	WA7DUH Steve	1	4	139	AA5TL	К7НМІ
THURSDAY	KG7UY Dennis	1	12	662	KA5ZLQ	AB7ET
2ND NET	K7DDI Dick	1	11	220	W7SPY	W7ZAP
FRIDAY	AE7ER Jerry	2	6	719		
2ND NET	ND7V Fred	0	5	153		
SATURDAY	WA7JS Jim	1	2	728		
2ND NET	K6RBN Bill	1	2	178		
ALTERNATES						
	WB7CNV Linda	0	3	67		
TOTALS		24	104	7263		

NET REPORT BY DENNIS KG7UY

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I would like to welcome 2 new OEN members Jack N7UQs , #1229 from Amity dated 3/11/2013 and Kevin N7AND, # 1300 from Salkum WA dated 3/13/2013 Dennis, kg7uy, Net Manager/Secretary

TWO SILENT KEYS Fred, The first was W7WAT Glynn McCready #775 from Charleston. He passed away back in 10/12/12 but I missed it or was uninformed. The second was WA7BWT Bruce Englebrecht # 546 from Glide. He passed 4/2/13. Dennis, KG7UY Net Secretary / Manager (Our thoughts go out to their families, Ed)



OEN member WD7H (Jim from Banks) recently released his first action/adventure novel, **Fracture Gradient**, and was fortunate enough to have it reviewed in the April, 2013 issue of QST. While the book is not about amateur radio, it does feature the practical use of ham radio in the storyline . . . and that caught the notice of ARRL. Not only was the book reviewed in QST, but ARRL also purchased copies to sell on their website. You'll find it in the History & Adventure section of the ARRL Store along with a full description where they referred to it as "A refreshingly accurate portrayal of Amateur Radio and RDF in a powerful story of greed and manipulation within the international oil industry.

Jim checks in on the OEN most evenings and is also a member of the Oregon Tualatin Valley Amateur Radio Club (OTVARC) where he helps out as a VE. **Fracture Gradient** is also available on the Amazon, Barnes & Noble, and Powell's websites, as well as on www.JimMcCulloch.com.

For those who missed the QST review, here it is reproduced with the permission of ARRL.

Net Manager & Secretary, KG7UY, P.O. Box 63, Canyonville, Or. 97417 <u>Dennis Deaton</u> PH:(541) 733-9850 mroencontact@gmail.com Let Dennis know if you would like to be a net control or an alternate net control

To the readers of the Netter, I would like to welcome two new members to the OEN : Ray, KG7AV from Bend now holds OEN Certificate # 1301 dated April 15, 2013 Ken, W7KSB from Sherwood now holds Certificate # 1302 dated April 15, 2013

Dennis KG7UY OEN Net Manager

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(4) MARCH NET REPORT

March

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DAY	Net Control	Traf	ficCont	acts ^{To} Ins	tal Chk	Solids	Solids
SUNDAY	WA7OXM Zane		3	4	920	WA7GNI	W7WX
2ND NET	AE7CJ John		0	7	311	N7HEH	KA7RUZ
2ND NET	KF7JUW Pattie	n/a	n/a	n/a	a	W7CUS	N7CPE
MONDAY	W7WX Larry		1	10	860	KD7BUJ	KA7ZIS
2ND NET	W7TYQ Gary		0	4	259	K7SEG	KA7LUF
TUESDAY	K7RFO Ruth		5	10	1015	KQ7Z	KF7CRG
2ND NET	KE7CYK Cindy		1	4	269	KD7RTE	KF7CRI
WEDNESDAY	WB6MFV Doug		8	4	758	KA7QYY	KC7SPL
2ND NET	WA7DUH Steve		0	6	225	W7BBA	K7HMI
THURSDAY	KG7UY Dennis		2	16	794	W7WVC	W7PGG
2ND NET	K7DDI Dick		1	8	147	W7SPY	W7ZAP
FRIDAY	AE7ER Jerry		1	6	709	WA7KS	K7SAS
2ND NET	ND7V Fred		0	6	265	AE7CJ	KF7JUW
SATURDAY	WA7JS Jim		1	10	963	WB7TIR	K6RBN
2ND NET	K6RBN Bill		1	5	262	KF7TEZ	N7LFK
ALTERNATES							
	WB7CNV Linda		0	2	55		
TOTALS		2	24	102	7812		

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Dennis KG7UY

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OEN 2013 Election Ballot

Today's Date _____

Your Call_____

OEN Certificate #_____

Vote for NE Director (Hugh running unopposed)

NE Director - KF7LN _____

Please vote for *One Only* Director at Large:

Present Director at Large -Hal WA7FIV _____

Candidate for Director at Large - Jim WA7JS_____

For email voting Please include all the information required in the ballot and send to <u>W70EN1@gmail.com</u>

To vote online go to <u>http://www.k6ugs.com/OEN%202013%20Ballot3.html</u>

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Dennis (KG7UY)