



FIVE AND NINE PLUS

THE OFFICIAL NEWSLETTER
OF THE
APPLEDORE AND DISTRICT
AMATEUR RADIO CLUB

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April, 2017

EDITORIAL

This month's Meeting on **April 10th** (earlier in the month to avoid Easter Monday) is a **Radio Quiz Night** by our Chairman, John (G3JKL) which I am assured will be multichoice, great fun, and not to be taken too seriously! Of course last month's meeting was the Club AGM for which there was a very pleasing good attendance and a full report can be found on the next page. Now that the new Committee has been elected, one of their first tasks will be to produce a Meetings programme for this Club year. A Committee Meeting has been arranged for April 13th and so the new Programme will appear in the May 5&9 Newsletter. So watch this space!



Terry (G4CHD)

LOCAL SKEDS

- Zepp Net:** **Mon, Tues, Thurs : 145.450 MHz - 4pm**
Wed via GB3DN - 4pm
- 6m Net:** **Wednesday, 8pm, 51.480 MHz FM**
- HF Net:** **Friday at 3pm 7.134 MHz ± qrm**
If poor conditions - 145.450 MHz
- 70cm Net:** **Sunday, via GB3ND, 11am - noon local time.**
Available on Echolink node 221334

CLUB MEETINGS

Meetings are held at the Appledore Football Social Club starting at 7.30pm for 8.00pm. Visitors always welcome. For further information, contact the Secretary, Alan (M6CCH) - details in the top panel.

- April 10th** Club Quiz Night John (G3JKL)
May 15th Club Bring and Buy

THE CLUB ZEPP NET by Brian (M0BRB)



The Club Zepp Net was started by Colin (G0XCF) and myself and has been running for 20 years. The name 'Zepp Net' came about since both Colin and I were running Double Extended Zepp Antennas and so it seemed a good enough name at the time. The Zepp Antenna that I made was to a design that Colin gave me, and both of us still use the Zepp. Some of the early members of the Net are now sadly SK (Silent Key). Net times are shown opposite. I have been told by holiday makers who check into the Net that there are no similar nets running up country which is a great pity.

Brian (M0BRB)

Editor's Note :-

Many many thanks to Brian and the many members such as Len (M0SXY) who regularly support the Net through thick and thin. Please try to support the nets and make them a credit to our Club.



REPORT ON THE MARCH AGM MEETING

There was a very good attendance at our AGM which was most gratifying as it shows the interest members have in the Club's activities.

After reports by John G3JKL our Chairman, Alan M6CCH our Secretary, and Mike G4KXQ our Treasurer, the Committee stood down and Terry G4CHD took over for the election of next year's Chairman. As John was willing to stand for re election and there were no other volunteers, John was duly re elected and took over chairing the Meeting.

Again with no volunteers for any of the other Committee positions, and Keith willing to be co opted, your Committee remains as shown below :-



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Ray (M0TLO)



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Keith (G0AYM)

The Jim McFee Cup which is awarded to a member whom the Committee deem to have made a significant contribution to the running of the Club was embarrassingly awarded to yours truly. I have to say that this came as a complete surprise as when John started to make the announcement! I know from my time on the Committee that it is always very difficult to single out any one person for this award as the Club is most fortunate in having many members who help in many ways that are not always noticed by everyone.



I am also pleased to announce that Viv (G0OXW) has kindly agreed to be our Auditor.

Many thanks also to Di, Mike's xyl for helping in collecting Club subs on the night and getting updated details from some members.

Terry (G4CHD)

SUDOKU PUZZLE

The aim is to enter a number into each cell so that **any column, or any row, or any block of cells contains all numbers from 1 to 9.**

Terry (G4CHD)

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		8			7	5		
	4		5				2	7

LOCAL REPEATERS

70cm Handy Cross Repeater/Echolink (#221334) Gateway (GB3ND)

User: Listen 433.35MHz- Transmit 434.95MHz
Access 1750Hz Tone (Timeout 4.25 mins)/ 77Hz CTCSS
Repeater keeper is Jeff (G4SOF)

2m Stibb Cross Repeater

(GB3DN) <http://www.g0rql.co.uk/gb3dn.htm>

User: Listen 145.6375MHz - Transmit 145.0375 MHz.
Access 1750 Hz Tone or 77 Hz CTCSS Repeater keeper is Tony (G1BHM).

CROSSWORD

Many thanks to Stuart (M1FWD) for this month's Crossword.

The answers will be published in next month's Newsletter. Good luck !

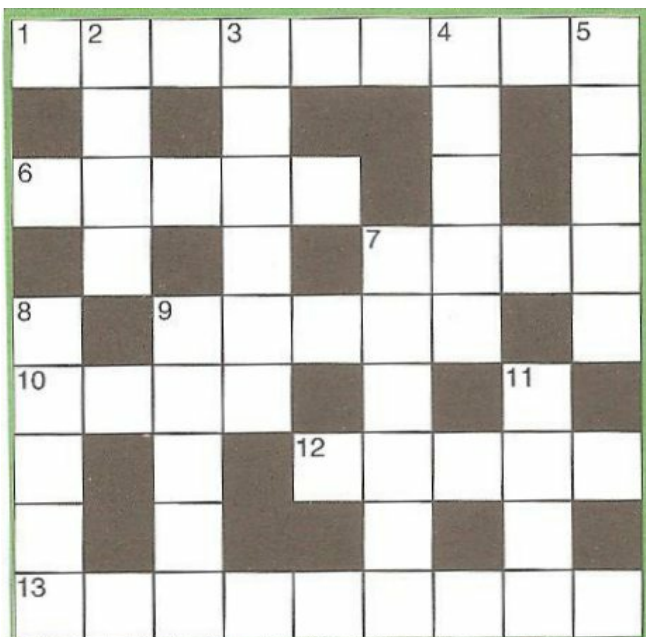


CLUES ACROSS

- 1) In physics, a thing that transmits heat or electricity (9)
- 6) The plant *Bellis perennis* (5)
- 7) Twofold (4)
- 9) The path of an electron round an atomic nucleus (5)
- 10) One-eighth of a gallon (4)
- 12) Alpha Three (A3) islands (5)
- 13) Foxtrot Oscar (FO) islands (9)

CLUES DOWN

- 2) Port city in Seven X-ray (7X) land (4)
- 3) Part of the Gobi ? is located in southern Juliet Tango (JT) land (6)
- 4) Freshwater fish of the genus *Salmo* or *Salvelinus* (5)
- 5) To make spiral grooves in a gun barrel so that the bullet will spin (5)
- 7) In physics, two equal and oppositely charged or magnetized poles separated by a distance (6)
- 8) Addictive drug prepared from the juice of poppies (5)
- 9) Until 1994, the easternmost station on the London Underground Central line (5)
- 11) Location of the Taj Mahal mausoleum in Victor Uniform (VU) land (4)



Last month's answers :-

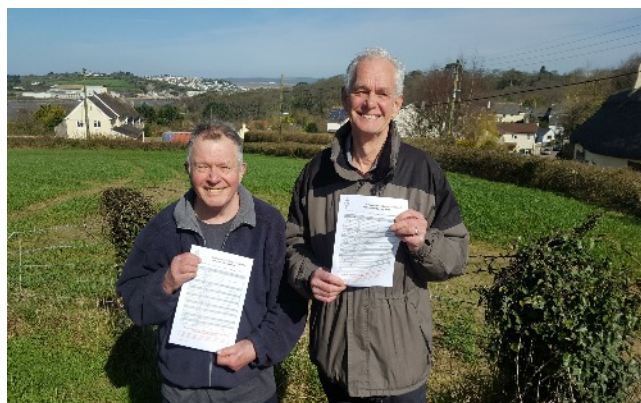
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13) Don 14) location 15) over 16) data

DOWN: 2) resit 4) bravado 5) lode 6) St. Osyth
8) coracle 11) nonet 12) alto

TWO MORE FOUNDATION LICENSE SUCCESSES

Congratulations and a very warm welcome to the world of amateur radio to Michael Rogers and Dave Hendy. Those who came to the Club's February Meeting will know that Michael previously operated from Zaire (now the Democratic Republic of the Congo).

Dave, who now is the proud owner of the callsign (M6IUI) and Michael are now both looking forward to getting on the air. Well done!



That's it for this month - hope you enjoy the Newsletter

73s de Terry (G4CHD)