



FIVE AND NINE PLUS

THE OFFICIAL NEWSLETTER
OF THE
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AMATEUR RADIO CLUB

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EDITORIAL

Welcome to another Club Newsletter.

This month's Meeting is on **Monday November 15th** and will again be at the Clubhouse and follow a similar pattern to our October Meeting. **Chris (G0FJY)** has kindly offered to bring along his **digital TV equipment** and give an **informal demonstration** of its capabilities which should be fascinating to see.



A **Zoom Committee Meeting** was held on Wednesday November 10th to discuss the

December **'Christmas' Meeting** and whether to terminate our **Zoom contract**.

In respect of the **Christmas Meeting**, the Committee felt that due to the continuing threat of Covid particularly in North Devon, all precautions taken at our previous Meetings must continue and in addition any food at our **Christmas Meeting** should be 'packaged' rather than 'open'. Unfortunately this will make the choice of food quite restrictive. However, this approach is in keeping with that used by other organisations. The suggestion was mince pies etc together with tea/coffee **subject to approval by the Football Club**. It is hoped to also have festive music and hopefully a Christmas Quiz by Dave (G0PGK). Perhaps we could have feedback/suggestions from members at this month's Meeting.

It was also agreed to continue with **Zoom Membership** until after the March AGM when the situation will be reviewed. It was suggested that any Club Talks and/or the AGM could be streamed via Zoom so that Members unable to attend would be able to participate. This will necessitate setting up some way of connecting to the internet as there is

no wifi at the Clubhouse.

Regrettably I wasn't able to attend the **Holworthy Rally** but John (G3JKL) tells me that it appeared to be well attended and enjoyed by all present.

That appears to be all the news to date and as always, if you would like to put something in the Newsletter, please let me know.

Finally, a reminder that if you use frequencies at or above 110 MHz then by 18 November 2021 you must have done an EMF assessment and have a record of your findings with your license.

So hope you enjoy the Newsletter and look forward to seeing many of you at this month's Meeting.

Terry (G4CHD)

CLUB MEETINGS

Our next Meeting is on Monday November 15th and our Christmas meeting is on Monday December 20th.

LOCAL REPEATERS

2m Stibb Cross Repeater (GB3DN)

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

User: Listen 145.6375 MHz - Transmit 145.0375 MHz.

Access 1750 Hz Tone or 77 Hz CTCSS

Repeater keeper is Tony (G1BHM)

Fusion/C4FM/WiresX Gateway (MB6DT)

Frequency 144.8125 MHz.

Gateway Keeper Darren (2E0LVC)

Fusion/C4FM/WiresX Gateway (MB6DN)

Frequency 144.825 MHz.

Gateway Keeper Drew (M0MFS)

LOCAL NETS

Weekday Zepp FM Net: Mon/Tues/Thurs/Fri :
 145.450MHz - 4pm - 5pm
 Wed via GB3DN - 4pm - 5pm
 Net Control : Len (M0SXY)

2m Elevenes FM Net: Mon/Wed/Fri :
 11 - 12.00 noon via GB3DN
 Net Control ; Mike (G3PGA)

Friday Night 2m Net: Friday : 145.450 FM, 8 - 9pm

Sunday Top Band Net: Sunday 1.860 MHz
 9.30 - 10.15am
 (LSB - 32W pep max)

2m SSB Nets: Wed: 8 - 9pm 144.260MHz
 USB SSB (Vertical polarised)
 Sun: approx 10.30am (follows
 Top Band Net) 144.260MHz
 USB SSB (Vertical polarised)

Sunday FM Net: Sunday: 11 to noon via GB3DN
 Net Control : Chris (G0FJY)

CROSSWORD

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

The answers are in next month's Newsletter. Good luck !

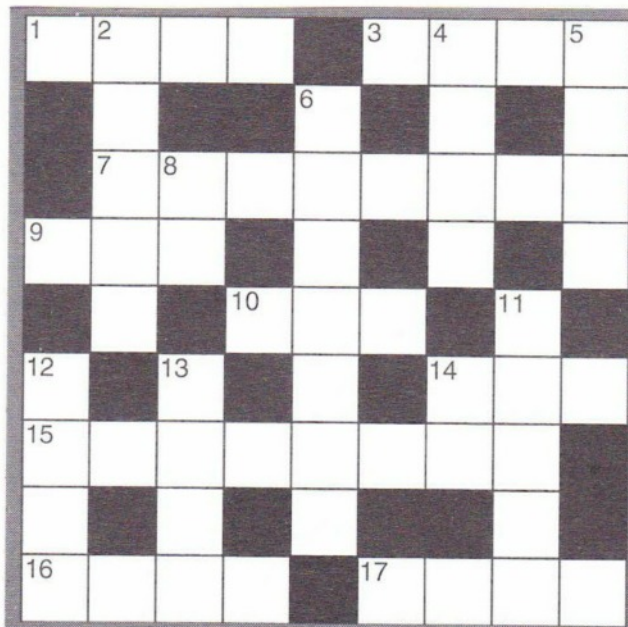


CLUES ACROSS

- 1) Twelve months (4)
- 3) Applaud (4)
- 7) Machine or instrument which brings in sound signals (7)
- 9) When this is activated, your transceiver will respond automatically to the sound of your voice (1,1,1)
- 10) A grid ? oscillator measures the resonant frequency of nearby r.f. circuits (3)
- 14) Writing fluid (3)
- 15) Hotel Sierra (HS) land (8)
- 16) Outer covering for head and body, worn commonly in Charlie November (CN) land (4)
- 17) Wavelength selection plate or disc on older radios (4)

CLUES DOWN

- 2) A form of computer memory that does not lose its content when the power supply is cut off (1,1,1,1,1)
- 4) No score in tennis (4)
- 5) A component of a machine (4)
- 6) Structures of metal, wire, etc., through which electronic signals can be transmitted or received (7)
- 8) Colloquial term for a former spouse (2)
- 11) Victor Uniform (VU) land (5)
- 12) US state, capital Salt Lake City (4)
- 13) Tango Zulu (TZ) land (4)
- 14) Not out (2)



Last month's answers :-

ANSWERS ACROSS: 1) amps 3) watt 7) prattling
 8) Ben 10) AOR 12) deadbeats 13) Neil 14) Dyce

ANSWERS DOWN: 2) Marie 4) Arita 5) Tiger
 6) standby 8) Biden 9) NAAFI 11) optic

SUDOKU PUZZLE

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

Terry (G4CHD)

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Very Best 73s and hope you enjoy the Newsletter

Terry (G4CHD)