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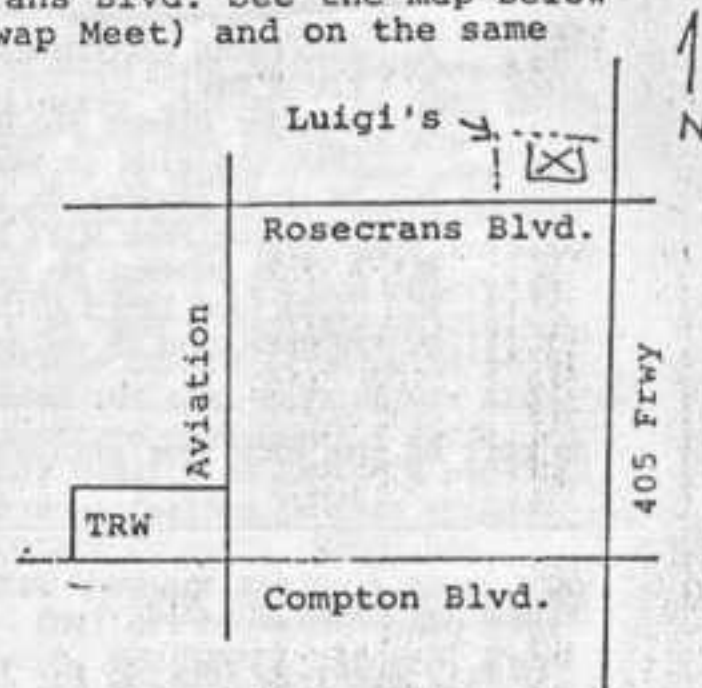
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NEXT MEETING IS: ELECTION MEETING, JANUARY 25th at 11:00 am  
at : LUIGI's Italian Resturant on Rosecrans Blvd. See the map below  
and talk in on 145.48.. (near the TRW Swap Meet) and on the same  
day too!

#### NEXT - CONTESTS ARE:

| DATES     | CONTEST              |
|-----------|----------------------|
| JAN 18-19 | Hungarian Dx Contest |
| JAN 24-26 | CQ WW 160 Mtr CW     |
| JAN 25-26 | French Contest CW    |
| FEB 8-9   | QCWA CW QSO Party    |
| FEB 8-9   | Dutch "PACC" Contest |
| FEB 21-23 | CQ WW 160 Mtr SSB    |
| MAR 29-30 | CQ WW WPX SSB        |
| JAN 11    | 73 MAG SSB 40 MTR.   |
| JAN 12    | 73 MAG SSB 80 MTR.   |
| JAN 18-19 | 73 MAG SSB 160 MTR   |
| JAN 25    | 73 MAG SSB 15 MTR    |
| JAN 26    | 73 MAG SSB 20 MTR    |

PLANNED SCCC PARTICIPANTS ARE STATIONS THAT WELCOME YOU AS A SCCC MEMBER TO COME AND JOIN IN THE OPERATION. CONTACT THEM PRIOR TO THE CONTEST IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN HELPING. BE RADIO ACTIVE ....



NOTICE:

IN THIS ISSUE IS A BALLOT FOR 1986 CLUB OFFICERS

THESE ITEMS NEED TO BE COMPLETED BY EVERYONE AND MAILED IN TO N6ADI ASAP OR BROUGHT TO THE JANUARY MEETING (TIME AND PLACE ON PAGE TWO OF THIS ISSUE).

FOLLOW THROUGH ON THIS MATTER. PLEASE DO

IT NOW SO WE CAN UPDATE OUR RECORDS. ALL MAIL IN BALLOTS NEED TO BE RECEIVED

NOT LATER THAN JANUARY 22nd SO THEY CAN BE BROUGHT TO THE JANUARY MEETING!!

EDITORIAL

In the past couple of years the Club has lost sight of its purpose (probably due to the sunspot cycle and the increased amount of time that it takes for all of us to make ends meet). 1986, the 10th year of SCCC promises to be a year when we get things back on track. In an effort to begin the year on a positive note you will find a mail in ballot for the election of this year's officers and a membership form.

PLEASE FILL THESE OUT AND MAIL THEM AND HELP US START THE YEAR OFF RIGHT.

The Club Bylaws have gone un-read for a number of years and it took a great effort to even find someone that had a copy of them. The President had never seen them, the Area Reps didn't have a copy of them and thanks to N6VR we might have the only existing copy! You will find a copy of them in this issue of SCCCORE! We are going to start the year out by the by-laws and then if they need to be amended we will do so sometime this year with the memberships approval.

Along with getting the Club back on track we will try to have:

- A. Increased exposure at the DX convention.
- B. Field Day.
- C. A Major thrust for increased member participation in contests that the club is entering as a club.
- D. An Open invitation to members at Multi-Multi and Multi-Single Stations that will be representing the Club in Competition.
- E. A Club contest on SCCC emblem design for QSL's and elsewhere.
- F. Inter and Intra club competition and awards.
- G. DX-peditions in celebration of the 10th Year.

Be part of the 10th Year activities and tell your contesting buddies.

ARRL DX CONTESTS AND WPK

SKI, N6ADI is looking for connections in Mexico for the purpose of operating ARRL phone or CW but preferably CW. If you have connections please let him know via phone or drop a card. If you are interested in putting together an operation ie. multi-single or multi-multi also let him know.

WPK. Ray, N6VR is doing a multi-single again from the hill-top in QVAI and if you are interested in joining the Winning California Crew let Ray know. All SCCC members or guests are welcome to join the North Counties Contest Group. They have placed 5th in the US and 1st in Calif. for 3 years running!

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

The 1985 CQWV contests are now history. Conditions seemed better than expected for the phone contest in October with fairly decent openings into Europe on 15 meters. The CW weekend, however, was an entirely different story with conditions more like you would expect for this point in the sunspot cycle. There were virtually no openings on 10 meters and very marginal openings on 15. Forty meters provided the best conditions for both contests, from California, anyway.

The highlight of the CW contest has to be the battle between EA9RE operated by N6AA, D44BC operated by N6TJ, and 9Y4VT operated by OH2BH. Dick wound up with over 4400 Q's and Jim had over 4500 Q's. According to Jim, the pileups rarely died from D44. Unfortunately, he said he had to contend with a lot of people asking about QSL info (etc.) since D4 is so rare on CW (or was!). Please remember to send your score to me as soon as possible for the club score! Your score cannot be counted unless it is included on my club membership summary that I will be mailing in! You can mail your score to me, phone it to me, or give it to me on the DX club repeater, but get it to me, one way or another! And remember, ALL scores, no matter how large or small are equally important to us!

1986 marks the Tenth Anniversary of the Southern California Contest Club! To make this event even more memorable, let's make a concerted effort to do a full blown effort in one of the 1986 contests. Since CQWV is the Club's favorite, that should probably be the one to do. Let's start making plans to knock 'em dead in 1986!

SCCC NOTES

It was a beautiful sunny day in San Fernando Valley for the last club meeting and in attendance were N6AA, K6AC, K6GAR, N6E1, N6VW, WA6OTU, WA6ZL, WA6RX, N6TJ, NS6X, and N6ZZ. N6ZZ brought a beautifully done photo album of his recent trip to VP2VCW for CQWV phone. N6TJ brought his tapes of his D44BC operation which were fascinating to listen to. The pileups were tremendous! What was amazing was his 10 meter opening with good signals from Europe for a while and then all of a sudden they were gone as if someone had flipped a switch! N6VI brought up some CAC business: changing the ARRL SS CW recommended frequencies to 020-070 which is where everyone operates anyway. The current frequencies are 050-100. Almost no one is above 070 and most are below 050. The point being, a newcomer or casual operator might not find most of us (don't laugh, it's very probable, he would get to 050 and never tune any lower!). Also discussed was the question of making VY1 a separate multiplier in ARRL contests. N6AA pointed out that if VY1 is made a separate multiplier, why shouldn't New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island also be made separate multipliers. It was further pointed out that multipliers are ARRL sections and not distinguished by having separate government. (N6E1 commented that San Fernando Valley could probably qualify as having a separate government and be another multiplier!). The general feeling is that those present rejected the idea of VY1 becoming a separate counter. N6ADI has spoken to a couple VY1's and it seems to him that they are making a power play to increase their productivity in the contest. They are boycotting all ARRL contests until they get separate multiplier status, WHO CARES! (I mean they would then undoubtedly be the rarest multiplier and who wouldn't want to bet..I would like to sign ZALA in the next CQWV test too! ..).)

REMEMBER NEXT MEETING IS AT LUIGI'S ITALIAN RESTAURANT AND IS ELECTION MEETING!! See map for details on how to get there.

SCORES FROM THE FALL CONTESTS

| QSO  | 160 | 80 | 40 | 20 | 15 | 10 | TOTAL               |
|------|-----|----|----|----|----|----|---------------------|
| N6VI | 160 | 80 | 40 | 20 | 15 | 10 | 1025                |
| Z    | 8   | 14 | 23 | 32 | 27 | 12 | 114                 |
| C    | 5   | 23 | 39 | 67 | 61 | 20 | 215                 |
|      |     |    |    |    |    |    | 953,113 Final Score |

COVM CW 15mtr single 629 x 29 x 93  
K500 675 x 30 x 110  
K2VK

| W6AQ   | 1138 x 74 | N6TR  | 1112 x 74 |
|--------|-----------|-------|-----------|
| K4VX   | 1180 x 74 | K6LL  | 119 x 74  |
| K7JA   | 74 x 74   | N6RO  | 1101 x 74 |
| K6NA   | 1075 x 74 | W6GH  | 1008 x 73 |
| WATNIN | 1131 x 74 | N6OP  | 975 x 74  |
| K5CO   | 1141 x 74 | W5MWN | 1170 x 74 |
| N6E1   | 334 x 71  | N8BJD | 448 x 71  |

SNEEPSTAKES PHONE  
N2IC 1845 x 74  
N6BY 1868 x 74  
K5RR 1645 x 74  
WATNIN 1902 x 74  
K4VX 1814 x 74  
AA5B 1874 x 74

COVM CW 1985

SCCC Club Sponsored Entry, OPEN TO ALL MEMBERS!

N6VR multi-single ops: N6ADI, AD6C, N6E1, KY6L, AC6T, N6VR, KT3Y & N8BJD

| QSO | 160 | 80 | 40  | 20  | 15  | 10 | TOTAL |
|-----|-----|----|-----|-----|-----|----|-------|
| Z   | 6   | 81 | 722 | 471 | 191 | 03 | 1474  |
| C   | 3   | 15 | 31  | 26  | 24  | 03 | 102   |
|     | 3   | 23 | 67  | 70  | 47  | 01 | 211   |

1,319,921 Final Score BRAVO

WANTS AND ITEMS FOR SALE

N6ADI wants to buy up to 40 IRC's at .40 each. Call (805) 649-3339. Needs them for JARL award submittal!

N6VR, Ray has 3 push-up masts for sale. They range in size from 30-50' in height and are a pick-up item and priced to move. (805) 649-9696.

If you guys have WANTS or ITEMS FOR SALE let us know. We have the space in the SCCC and its your Bulletin so use it. We need your lists by the end of the month prior to the next Bulletin. Bulletin months are JAN, MAR, MAY, JUL, SEP and NOV. The Bulletin is at your disposal for printing articles, stories, jokes, contest scores and items for sale or want. Take advantage of this!

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TO: NLADI SCCC

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OAKVIEW, CALIF. 93022

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SECTION OUT!

JANUARY 1986 ELECTION

OFFICIAL ELECTION BALLOT OF SOCC

POSITION: PRESIDENT  
TERM: 2 Year

POSITION: VICE PRESIDENT  
TERM: 2 Year

POSITION: SEC./TREAS./EDITOR  
TERM: 2 Year

CANDIDATE: WAGOTU  
Mark Beckwith

CANDIDATE: N6VR  
Ray Benny

CANDIDATE: N6ADI  
Ski Brozowsky

POSITION: BOARD OF DIRECTORS  
Term: 2 Year

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Term: 2 Year

CANDIDATE: N6NJ  
Jim Neljer

CANDIDATE: N6VI  
Marty Woll

Petitioned Change to SOCC By-Laws: (Copy of By-Laws in this Issue of SOCCORE)

- (A) Delete Article III Section 4 and move Article III Section 5 to Section 4.
- (B) Delete Article VIII Section 1, first sentence and last sentence. Section 1 will now read: Renewal of dues shall be required prior to each anniversary date following initiation in order to retain full membership.

APPROVE \_\_\_\_\_

DISAPPROVE \_\_\_\_\_

YOUR CALL \_\_\_\_\_

SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_

ARRL YONQ

SOCC SURVEY

YES

NO

Do you want the club to go ALL OUT for max score in CONTESTS with formal organized efforts?

Do you want the club to enter more contests?

Which contests would you like to enter?

Do you want competition within the club?

If we had a yearly function would you attend?

What type of yearly function would you like? (ie. dinner, Field Day, BBQ ?)

The above are to give the NEW Club Officers some directions so they can plan to lead in a direction that the general membership would like to be led.

SEND THIS AND YOUR MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION IN THE SAME PROVIDED OR BRING THEM TO THE JANUARY MEETING ON THE 25th at LUIGI'S RESTAURANT!

NORTH COUNTIES REPORT by N6ADI

Well, the holidays are now behind us and I hope you all got what you wanted from SANTA CLAUS ie. ALPHA's, NEW BELLS AND WHISTLES etc. This is the 10th birthday for the SOCC and the SPRING SEASON is now approaching and we have the ARRL tests, the 73 magazine tests and my favorite CQ WPX to be thinking about and of course don't forget the GREAT DX CONVENTION in Visalia. This year promises to be a banner year for the SOCC and it is up to you as the member to help make it one by spending some time on the radio in those contests and submitting your scores no matter how little in behalf of the club. LETS ALL MAKE THIS A SUPER 10th YEAR FOR THE SOCC!!!!

Don't forget to vote in the election for President this month. Your ballot is on the last page of this issue of SOCCORE and you can mail it in or bring it to the next meeting at the usual place in Manhattan beach following TRW. The mail in ballots and those present at this important meeting will determine who is to replace N6SI, Dennis as our PRESIDENT for the next two years.

I want to express the Club's appreciation to DENNIS, N6SI, for serving the SOCC and its membership since July of 1983 in the capacity of President and I am sure you all are equally thankful for his contributions and motivational force that kept the club rolling. THANKS DENNIS!!!

Since the last issue we have upgraded N6VR's 80 mtr vertical system to a pair of 3/8 wave, phased verticals and we are all bugging Ray to start saving for some Rohm 45 and a directional 80 meter array (he has the room) then he will have reached his localtions maximum potential. His station is really a cooker on 40 with that KLM stickler, as evidenced by our recent 40 meter scores during CQWW Phone and CW. I have also upgraded my 80 meter antennae sys. with switchable 1/4 wave slopers and they are working much better than the flytower and inverted Vee. All you contesters don't know what you're missing by not helping the North Counties Contest Group with their efforts. The county is nice and the station is really becoming a GUN. Everyone that contributes some operating time can't believe the JA runs on 15, 20 and 40 let alone the pile-up cracking capabilities and all this with less than legal power! Antennas DO make the difference!!!! COME UP AND JOIN US FOR OUR NEXT EFFORT, CQ WPX....

CU at the January ELECTIONS Meeting following TRW Swap meet. 73's SKI

SOCC NEEDS YOUR HELP WITH THE FOLLOWING:

POSITION----- SAN DIEGO AREA COORDINATOR

This position requires little time or effort but helps a great deal in keeping the general membership posted as to what is happening south of Orange County with regard to stations and efforts. It entails once every two months jotting down on paper anything that is going on in the San Diego Area relative to contest efforts and contesters stations. You can be a member of the SDXNC and I am sure they won't black ball you if you help us out with this small but important job!

The SOCC is also looking for some volunteers to man a table at the DX Convention promoting contesting and the SOCC. Jim N6TU will be looking for some contest forum people for our involvement in that program at the convention. THINK ABOUT IT and if you have any ideas or suggestions let N6TU know.....

ARTICLE VI  
MEETINGS

SECTION 1  
The club shall meet at least bi-monthly at a time and place designated by the club president. The membership shall be advised two weeks in advance of the meeting by the secretary as to the time and place selected. Meetings may be closed to visitors as the occasion requires.

SECTION 2  
Meetings shall consist of the necessary business, conforming to Robert's Rules of Order, followed by an appropriate program of interest to the members.

ARTICLE VII

AMENDMENT OF BYLAWS

Amendments shall require a written petition to the secretary and have the signatures of at least five full members. The secretary shall mail a copy of the proposed amendment to each eligible member not less than seven (7) days prior to the next meeting. Amendments can also be passed from the floor through due process.

- A. For purposes of voting on an amendment, a quorum shall consist of two thirds of the full membership.
- B. A two thirds majority vote of the quorum shall be required for acceptance.
- C. In the absence of a quorum, the secretary shall distribute ballots to the eligible members at least seven (7) days before the next regular meeting. A two thirds majority of the vote received within thirty days from distribution shall constitute acceptance or rejection of the amendment.

ARTICLE VIII

FEES AND ASSESSMENTS

SECTION 1  
Initiation fee of six (6) dollars if required for full membership. Renewal of dues shall be required prior to each anniversary date following initiation in order to retain full membership. Initiation fee for associate membership if four (4) dollars.

SECTION 2  
Upon approval of the Board of Directors, assessments to the membership may be made.

SECTION 3  
Any associate member delinquent in dues or assessments payable for twelve months shall be automatically dropped from membership.

- W2KVA TOM GEI
- K5KT JOE LOCA
- AK6A CLYDE VA
- N6AA DICK NOR
- W6ABW GEORGE
- N6ADI SKI ERC
- W6AQ DAVE BEL
- KG6AR CHRIS Y
- AI6E BILL RAL
- K26E HERB ROD
- WA6EJL PAUL D
- WA6FGV RON AN
- W6GC IRVIN EH
- N6HK STEVE BE
- WA6HXM PETER
- NE6I DENNIS Y
- N6IC DON BOST
- KB6ID BRUCE B
- N6JW MORGAN
- WB6KOU RICK S
- KE6KT EARL 4Z
- W6KUT ED ANDR
- KY6L STEVE BA
- N4LL PAUL GOR
- N6MB HILL BRA
- N6ND RICK CRA
- N6NI TOM HOYN
- N6NW NEAL HUD
- WA6OTU MARK B
- AD6P CLEYON Y
- N8PE RICH DAR
- WA6PZL TOM T
- WA6R CHUCK/LI
- K6RF TED CULL
- K6RR ROB ROAN
- AA6RX DAVID H
- W6SX HANK GAR
- AC6T STEVE LO
- W6TAC TOM BER
- N6TJ JIM MITG
- N6TR/7 LARRY
- K6UA DALE HOP
- WA6UFY JIM PR
- W6UQF CHARLES
- N6VI MARTY WO
- K6VI WALTER M
- K6VNX ARLEN T
- N6VR RAY BENN
- N6W KURT AND
- WA6WZO HEYN'S
- NS6X JOHN KIT
- WB6ZHT BILL.K
- N6ZV DON JOHE
- N6ZZ PHIL GOE
- WB6AKS MARTY B
- NB6JQ STEVE B