The Oregon Netter

ND7V, Klamath Falls, Volume 98 nd7v@cs.com

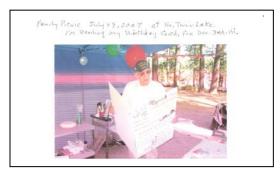
January February. 2008

Officers and Directors

CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD: and director at large DICK SUBER K7DDI PH (541)-882-3833. <u>K7ddi@msn.com---</u>SECRETARY : Karen Lilly N7RBO PH 541-882-0991 <u>kern@fireserve.net</u> Karen is also net manager. ---- TREASURER Joe Tomminger, K7NLM, 4264 Hazelgreen Rd. N. E. Salem, Oregon 97305-3557. PH (503) 393-3262. <u>k7nlm@juno.com</u> TO RENEW OR SUBSCRIBE TO THE NETTER, SEND A SIX-DOLLAR CHECK MADE OUT TO O.E.N. TO OUR TREASURER. <u>-----</u>DIRECTOR SOUTHERN AREA, Warren Morehead, N7IPG, P.O. Box 514, Keno Or. 97627 n7ipg@charter.net

DIRECTOR WESTERN AREA, K7SEG, Wally Blackburn PH 541-247-7284 DIRECTOR EASTERN AND CENTRAL AREA, K7JUC, LORENE ALLEN, PO BOX 601, JOHNDAY 97845----DIRECTOR IN THE WILLAMETTE VALLEY AREA, KB7JAL, Tom Sawyer. Ph (503) 743-2770 tsawyer38@gmail.com---DIRECTOR AT LARGE W7BXD, Kern Lilly, phone, and E mail as our Secretary above) --- DIRECTOR PORTLAND AREA K7MKN James E. Boyd, PH 503-692-9880, cell 503-703-8360 E mail bbts@easystreet.com --NETMANAGER N7RBO Karen, also Secretary, address above. Let Karen if you would like to be a net control or an alternate net control----EDITOR OF THE OREGON NETTER Fred Bechdoldt, ND7V, 1846 Johnson Avenue, Klamath Falls , Or. 97601-2136. E MAIL nd7v@cs.com SEND YOUR ARTICLES, ITEMS OF INTEREST, OR ITEMS FOR SALE TO FRED. All articles must be original, or we need permission of the author to print them. PLEASE CHECK YOUR LABEL FOR EXPIRATION DATE. The NETTER can also be found on the O.E.N. Web page. (www.qsl.net/oen/ Our Webmaster is Elizabeth, KK7VO; from Keno. Check out the great work she is doing !

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO HAVE A COPY OF THE HISTORY AND AIMS OF THE O.E.N. SEND A DOLLAR TO OUR TREASURER, JOE TOMMINGER, REQUEST THAT PUBLICATION, AND HE WILL MAIL YOU ONE. IF BY CHECK, MAKE THE CHECK OUT TO O.E.N. JOE'S ADDRESS IS LISTED ABOVE. (ED) 2 WE REGRET TO REPORT THE PASSING OF CHARLOTTE SAWYER from TURNER, XYL OF TOM, KB7JAL. CHARLOTTE PASSED AWAY IN OCTOBER. OUR THOUGHTS ARE WITH TOM AND HIS FAMILY. Information comes from Dick, k7ddi. (ed)





Pictured here is Noel, K7ADW, celebrating his 95 Birthday a little early. This was taken at a family Reunion last summer. Noel Turned 95 in December of 07. Age has not slowed Noel down Much, he pulled his trailer to the O.E.N. picnic last Summer, from Bonanza. (ed)

> PICTURED LEFT, KK7XO, AL, AND ELEZEBETH, KK7VO FROM KENO. UP FRONT IS THEIR FAITHFUL COMPANION DAISY; WHO OFTEN TAKES HER MASTERS FOR A WALK. THEY WERE AMOUNG THE MANY ENJOYING THE O.E.N. PICNIC LAST SUMMER.TNX to Noel, K7adw for picture (ed)

SILENT KEY REPORT Today, November 14, around noon, Tom Brooks, NV7N, from Klamath Falls was called home to Jesus. Tom passed away at home after a lengthily illness. Tom spent several weeks in the Klamath Falls Hospital. They had sent him home where he could be more comfortable, as there was nothing they could do for him. Tom is survived by his wife Carolyn, AB7ET, and other family members. Our thoughts go out to Carolyn; we will miss Tom on the net. Tom held O.E.N. certificate no. 1051, and had been a member since 1998. Tom was born on January 27, 1921 in Faulkner, South Dakota. Services were held in Klamath Falls at Davenport's Chapel of the Good Shepherd on Nov. 17. There was amateur radio operators all over the place. Tom was a member of QCWA, and other local radio clubs. (ed)



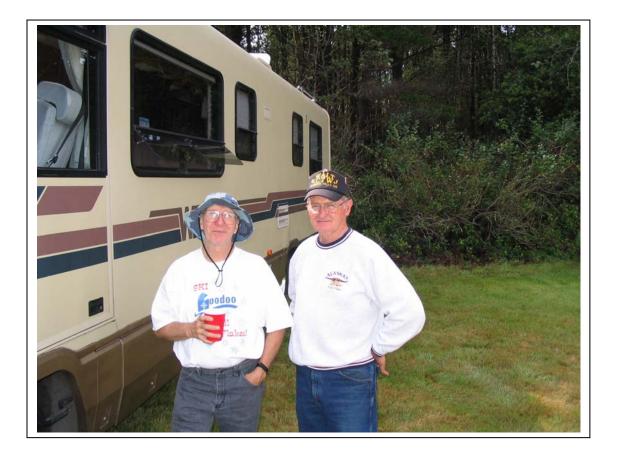
Pictured here is NV7N, Tom Brooks, at a Klamath Falls Amateur Radio Breakfast in 2007. Tom became a silent key on November 14, 2007 (ed)

IN SEARCH OF "MERRY CHRISTMAS"

I have been searching the stores around Klamath Falls these past few years for signs that say 'Merry Christmas'. I have not been very successful in finding any in the past. I don't know about any one else, but I never celebrate "Happy Holliday" or "Seasons greetings". I do celebrate Christmas though. This year I found a real store that was not afraid to put up signs saying MERRY CHRISTMAS! That store was K-Mart. I made a point of thanking that store for the MERRY CHRISTMAS signs. I also purchased the Christmas presents I was going to buy there. Why would I want to buy Christmas presents at a store that did not know about Christmas? (ed)

TREASUREERS REPORT I received a E mail message from our Treasurer Joe, k7nlm. Joe reports that as of November 7, we had \$897.41 in the bank. Joe goes on to report that he has received a new pace maker from his Dr. He says he does not notice much difference, the new one is supposed to do a better job than the old one. Sounds like Joe is doing fine. (ed)

FROM THE LISTENING EAR Boy, this December the band has been poor a lot of the time. We sure owe a big vote of thanks to Jim, W7YVT, Karen, N7RBO, and many others for their relays. --- We hear that Hams who helped out by providing communications during the recent floods here in Oregon got some recognition form the Governor! That is great news!-Wondering how Bill, W7EXB is doing, have not heard him on the net for awhile.---(Bill was heard later in the month, sounding good) Dick K7DDI, has quit riding his scooter, winter must be here. Warren, N7IPG, reported some snow up his way, glad he has got it and not me. -- Good to hear Don, KA7WEZ, from Klamath Falls, back on the net from time to time, been a lot of years Don.-- We hear that Tony, W7CUS, from Ashland came to the K-BAR-A Christmas party in Klamath Falls. Wonder if he had to go by sled, lots of snow in them there Mt.s. (4) OCTOBER 07 NET REPORT BY KAREN N7RBO Net controls Sunday through Sat. firs net, then second net: SUN KA7FUL JOE, W7BXD KERN. MON. WB6MFV DOUG, N7LND JC. TUE. K7RFO RUTH, KB7WDR JERRY. WED. N6TW LARRY, WA7SDV JACK. THURS. KB7JAL TOM, W7JY PETE. FRI. K7MKN JIM, K7NBO DAVE. SAT. N7IPG WARREN, ND7V FRED. SOLID FOR THE MONTH: KB7BKM KB7BKN N7CNH W7CUS W7LJB KE7LKT W7MZG W7NWP N7RBI KC7SPL KD7TAH WB7TIR KC7TYQ KG7UY W7WVC W7YVT KQ7Z KA7ZIS KD7ZSC. TRAFFIC 6, CONTACTS 130, CHECK INS 6177. EXCUSED N7LND KC7FHX WA7TSF. NOVEMBER NET REPORTS: NET CONTROLS ARE THE SAME AS IN OCTOBER. SOLID FOR THE MONTH: W7CUS, W7GWC, KB7HDQ, KE7LKT, WB6MFV, K7MXA, K7OOS, KC0OYO, N7RBI, K7RFO, KA7RUZ, K7SEG, WB7TIR, KC7TYQ, KG7UY, KQ7Z, KA7ZIS. TRAFFIC 11, CONTACTS 57, CHECK INS 4364.



PICTURE ABOVE: FROM 2007 O.E.N. PICNIC. WARREN, N7IPG, AND WALT, KC7WJ. TNX TO NOEL, K7ADW FOR THE PICTURE.

HAPPY NEW YEAR TO ALL !!!!