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# The Oregon Netter



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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)**

**Sunday Aug. 16, about noon---O.E.N. picnic at QTH of Carol, N7HEH 304 Dorning St. Yachats, Or. Camping available for self contained, pets on leash please.**

**MAY 6—HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO DENNIS AG7K!! HOW MANY DENNIS? WE SHARE THE SAME BIRTHDAY, MINE WAS NUMBER 74. (ed)**

Hello Fred,

I am happy to announce that Blake, KE7OIK from Beaverton is our newest member. He holds Certificate # 1354 issued on May 11th, 2015.

73,  
Dennis AG7K

Hello Fred,

Please welcome Christine Masters, AF7OK, from Tiller OR as our newest member as of 5/12/2015! Her certificate is #1355 issued today's date.

73, Dennis AG7K

April	2015								
DAY	Net Control	Traffic	Contacts	Total Ck Ins	Solids		Solids		
SUNDAY	WA7OXM Zane	2	11	722	KF7	CRG	KA7	QYY	
2ND NET	K6RBN Bill	1	3	220	KF7	CRI	KD7	RTE	
MONDAY	W7WX Larry	1	8	873	WT4	D	K7	SEG	
2ND NET	WA7JS Jim	2	3	375	KG7	EOJ	KC7	SPL	
TUESDAY	K7RFO Ruth	4	6	776	K7	ETT	ND7	V	
2ND NET	KE7CYK Cindy	3	5	280	KG1	FOX	W7	WX	
WEDNESDAY	W7IRJ Doug	4	1	742	N7	HEH	N9	YQ	
2ND NET	WB7CNV Linda	0	14	217	K7	KY	KQ7	Z	
THURSDAY	KA7FHA Mark	2	7	748	KC0	LTI	WA7	ZAJ	
2ND NET	WA7DUH Steve	2	6	290	KA7	LUF	W7	ZAP	
FRIDAY	AE7ER Jerry	1	6	710					
2ND NET	ND7V Fred	0	14	208					
SATURDAY	AE7CJ John	0	4	473					
2ND NET	KF7JUW Pattie	0	1	153					
<b>ALTERNATES</b>									
AF7LB		0	2	179					
KD7RTE		1	2	133					
KV7L									
K7XI	Combined w KE7CYK totals								
AG7K		0	4	71					
<b>TOTALS</b>		<b>23</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>7170</b>					

**SK—Al Kampstra, K7TYP, passed sway early in May, 2015. We received a donation of 50 dollars in remembrance of him from the Willamette Amateur Radio Club. Our thoughts are with Mrs. Al Kampsta, his son W7TYP, Gary, and family. Al held O.E.N. certificate no. 1278. We thank MWARC for their much-appreciated donation. (ed)**

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The results are in for Election 2015 for the OEN.

Larry W7WX repeats as NW Director running un-opposed.

Wally, K7SEG repeats as SW Director edging out Doug, K7KY.

Ron, WA7YPJ is the new At-Large Director winning a close contest against Kern, W7BXD.

I want to thank K7KY for running for office. The OEN appreciates your participation in the Net and Net business.

To W7BXD, I say, "Thank You" from myself and the OEN, for all your years of service to the organization.

Congratulations to WA7YPJ. Welcome to the OEN Board of Directors effective immediately. Thank you for stepping up.

Thanks also to W7WX and K7SEG for running for re-election and for your continued service to the OEN.

73,  
Dennis AG7K  
OEN Net Manager/Secretary

**K-BAR-A PICNIC** Will take place at Crest Park in Klamath Falls on July 11, 2- 4 pm. The club will provide the hamburgers; the rest of the meal is a potluck. This park is located on the corner of Hilyard and Crest Street. You will find it on Crest Street between Summers Lane and Altamont Drive. Talk in freq. is the 146.85 – 600 two meter repeater. Thanks to Ruth, K7RFO, for this information.

**O.E.N. PICNIC SUNDAY AUG. 16 AT THE Q.T.H. OF CAROL DORNING (N7HEH) 304 DORNING ST. YACHATS, OR. THIS IS A POT LUCK. DORNING ST. IS ON THE EAST SIDE OF HIGHWAY 101 BETWEEN YACHATS AND WALPORT. YOU ARE WELCOME TO COME EARLY AND CAMP IF YOU ARE SELF CONTAINED, THERE IS NO CHARGE FOR THE CAMPING. THERE ARE NO HOOKS UPS. PETS ARE TO BE KEPT ON A LEASH. HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE (ed)**

#### 4 NET REPORT FOR MAY BY DENNIS, AG7K, MANAGER, SECRETARY

May	2015						
DAY	Net Control	Traffic	Contacts	Total Ck Ins	Solids		
					KG7	AHP	
SUNDAY	WA7OXM Zane	2	18	817	KF7	CRG	
2ND NET	K6RBN Bill	2	4	135	KF7	CRI	
MONDAY	W7WX Larry	2	7	597	WT4	D	
2ND NET	WA7JS Jim	2	4	418	K7	DSZ	
TUESDAY	K7RFO Ruth	3	18	1092	WA7	FIV	
2ND NET	KE7CYK Cindy	2	9	239	KG1	FOX	
WEDNESDAY	W7IRJ Doug	1	1	489	N7	FPA	
2ND NET	WB7CNV Linda	0	21	230	W7	GNI	
THURSDAY	KA7FHA Mark	3	8	522	N7	HEH	
2ND NET	WA7DUH Steve	1	5	270	K7	KY	
FRIDAY	AE7ER Jerry	2	2	830	KC0	LTI	
2ND NET	ND7V Fred	0	6	126	KD7	RTE	
SATURDAY	AE7CJ John	1	1	459	K7	SEG	
2ND NET	KF7JUW Pattie	0	0	166	KC7	SPL	
<b>ALTERNATES</b>					W7	WX	
AF7LB		0	1	165	KQ7	Z	
KD7RTE					W7	ZAP	
KV7L							
K7XI	Combined w KE7CYK totals						
AG7K		0	4	200			
<b>TOTALS</b>		<b>21</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>6755</b>			

Hello Fred,

I would like to welcome N7FPA, Glenn, from Eugene as our newest member. He holds certificate #1356 issued June 13th, 2015.

73,

Dennis AG7K

5 JUNE 16-- We are happy to report that Ruth Schorr, K7RFO, from Klamath Falls is back home. As reported on the net, Ruth has been in the Klamath Falls Hospital for a few days. We are glad that Ruth is back home and healing up. We have missed hearing her on the net. (ed)

TREASURERS REPORT: AS OF JUNE 22, WE HAVE \$1589.86 IN THE BANK.

Fred, ND7V, quit calling net on Friday, second net, because of health problems in the family. Fred hopes to be able to take a net at a later date if those health conditions allow it. If you would like to be a net control, or a relay station, please let our net manager, Dennis, AG7K know. I know Dennis is always looking for folks who are willing to step up and help. Navy Mars has closed down early because they could not get net controls. They were scheduled to go away this fall. I hope we are able to always have the help we need to keep the O.E.N. going. (ed)

TNX TO ELEZEBETH, KK7VO, FOR THIS INFORMATION:

## THE GINGHAM DRESS

A lady in a faded gingham dress And her husband, dressed in a homespun threadbare suit, stepped off the train in Boston and walked timidly without an appointment into the Harvard University President's outer office. The secretary could tell in a moment that such backwoods, country hicks had no business at Harvard, & probably didn't even deserve to be in Cambridge .

"We'd like to see the president," the man said softly.

"He'll be busy all day," the secretary snapped. "We'll wait," the lady replied.

For hours the secretary ignored them, hoping that the couple would finally become discouraged and go away.

They didn't, and the secretary grew frustrated and finally decided to disturb the president, even though it was a chore she always regretted.

"Maybe if you see them for a few minutes, they'll leave," she said to him! He sighed in exasperation and nodded. Someone of his importance obviously didn't have the time to spend with them, and he detested gingham dresses and homespun suits cluttering up his outer office. The president, stern faced and with dignity, strutted toward the couple.

The lady told him, 'We had a son who attended Harvard for one year. He loved Harvard. He was happy here. But about a year ago, he was accidentally killed.

My husband and I would like to erect a memorial to him, somewhere on campus.'

The president wasn't touched. He was shocked.

'Madam,' he said, gruffly, 'we can't put up a statue for every person who attended Harvard and died. If we did, this place would look like a cemetery.

-'Oh, no,' the lady explained quickly. 'We don't want to erect a statue. We thought we would like to give a building to Harvard.'

The president rolled his eyes. He glanced at the gingham dress and homespun suit, then exclaimed, 'A building! Do you have any earthly idea how much a building costs? We have over seven and a half million dollars in the physical buildings here at Harvard.'

For a moment the lady was silent. The president was pleased. Maybe he could get rid of them now. The lady turned to her husband and said quietly, 'Is that all it cost to start a university? Why don't we just start our own? '

Her husband nodded. The president's face wilted in confusion and bewilderment.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Stanford got up and walked away, traveling to Palo Alto, California where they established the university that bears their name, **Stanford University**, a memorial to a son that Harvard no longer cared about.

You can easily judge the character of others by how they treat those who they think can do nothing for them.

--- A TRUE STORY by Malcolm Forbes