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SWAP, SELL, BUY SECTION

Check the [end of our newsletter](#) each month.

New Member

Charles Woodrum, N6CPW, from Burney. Welcome aboard!

Message from Emergency Coordinator

At the June 14 STARES meeting, the program will be how to program your hand held. I have asked a couple of whizzes in to assist in this effort. So if you have been waiting to program your hand held, the next meeting night is the time to get it done.

If anyone is interested in a fox hunt, ARCA will be having one on June 19 starting at the Vittles Restaurant in Anderson. Immediately after breakfast, we will gather in the parking lot and get started. Breakfast is usually over by 10 am.

Thinking ahead to the July STARES meeting, I need some input from members as to where we could hold a very short meeting and then get on with eating pizza. July's meeting will be more social than business.

I want to thank all of you that participated in the three public service events in May; the Anderson bike race, Redding Rodeo Parade and the Shasta Wheelmen event. We received good comments from all of the sponsors.

73's

Richard V. Cloyd, WO6P

ARRL Field Day - June 26-27, 2010

ARRL Field Day Chairman Dick Cloyd WO6P reminds you to plan to join fellow ham radio members for this year's [ARRL](#) Field Day at the beautiful Hat Creek Campground on Highway 89/44 near Old Station; the Amateur Radio Club of

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wo6p@arrl.net

Anderson (ARCA) has reserved group camp #1 this year from June 25 through June 30. Remember that you can bring your RV, trailer or any other camping device and stay the night or a few days.

Here is a link to the map:

<http://www.qsl.net/arca/fielddaymap.pdf>

On June 26, at approximately 6 p.m., a pot luck will be offered. Participants are reminded to bring some item for the potluck, main course, side dishes, salads and/or desserts. Once again, there will be entertainment provided by a group of talented individuals that will ensure a good time. Who they are is a secret; you have to attend to find out.

All operators are welcome to participate in the contest event June 26 and 27. The public is invited to see ham radio operators in action and the creative field units set up. We will be a four station, battery operated participant. This year, we're stressing or highlighting digital communications primarily for demo purposes. Come for one day or stay a few!

Any Field Day questions can be directed to Dick at 474-5282.

Sierra Valley Agony Ride July 30-31, 2010

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR THIS EVENT!

The Sierra Valley is north of Truckee. William Lewis KG6BAJ, Emergency Coordinator for the Nevada-Sierra County Amateur Radio Emergency Services (NIOES) is seeking volunteers for this event. If interested, you can contact William at (530) 263-1595. For additional details on the ride, go to this site:

<http://www.ncares.us/events/agony/agony.html>

Section News

Current Section News can be found at the ARRL Sacramento Valley Section (SV) web page: <http://www2.arrl.org/sections/SV.html>

Third Wednesday Client Net

The next client net is June 16, 2010. Anyone is welcome to check in at 11 a.m. (HF) on 3.987 and/or 11:10 a.m. (VHF) on 145.350 (pl 107.2). Packet operators can check in anytime to W6STA-1.

NCS will encourage newly licensed hams to check in.

STARES Monday Night Net Control Operators

Thank you volunteers!

June - Joe Hickerson KF6WGV

July - **VOLUNTEER NEEDED**

Third Wednesday Net Control Operators:

Thank you volunteers!

June - Dick Cloyd WO6P

Newsletter Contact

If you have information you'd like included in our newsletter, please contact Elaine Grossman KG6ZCE at kg6zce@yahoo.com

SWAP, SELL, BUY SECTION - NEW LISTINGS ARE IN GREEN TEXT

Email Elaine Grossman KG6ZCE at kg6zce@yahoo.com if you have items you want listed in this section. Please include contact information in your e-mail and the text you want pasted into the newsletter. I will continue to list the items until you ask that they be removed. Thank you.

Three towers for sale. Each tower is triangular, each tower is made of three sections, each is telescoping and each is made of heavy duty galvanized steel. The telescoping feature includes the standard gear driven telescoping mechanism.

1. Tower one is brand new and still in its crated shipping container. The triangular base section is built on a 22" leg equilateral triangle and is 20' high. The other two sections fit within the base section. The tower is extendable to approximately 60'.

2. Tower two is assembled and bolted to a concrete foundation. The concrete section is approximately 5'x5'x4' and is available with the tower. The tower is on a 24" leg equilateral triangle and the base section is 25'. The tower is telescoping with two other sections fitting within the first section so the approximate extension is 75' tall. Several antennas are fitted to the tower and are available with the tower.

3. Tower three is similar to tower two except each section is 16' tall. There is one antenna on the tower and the antenna is available with the tower.

Each tower is available separately or all three towers are available as a package.

The towers are located in Redding, California.

The weight and load factors may require a crane and a flatbed for dismantling and transportation.

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