



MOUNTAIN SPARK GAPS



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MEETING: MONDAY, FEBRUARY 12, 1973 at 8 P.M.
Red Cross Building, 695 Springfield Ave. Summit

SPEAKER: We have struck gold again. . . . We are privileged to have speak to us this month Dr. John Irwin K6se/2, one of our newest members. He will speak to us on RADIO ASTRONOMY. Dr. Irwin currently Professor of Astronomy and Earth Sciences at NEWARK State Teachers College in Union. He is a former Professor of Astronomy at U.C.L.A. and Indiana University. He recieved his Ph.D from the Univ. of Cal. He has published many papers on astronomy. He has just returned from a scientific trip to several South American countries, (the editors had a sked. with him while in Peru as OA6BW). Dr Irwin was observing an eclipsing star. He has been a ham for more than 40 years, and is an avid DXer John has compiled a statistical study on DX, which is being published in one of the Ham magazines

WANTED: 2450 transmitter by Rich Olsen WB2RPB, any mode Leave info with his folks at 464-0875, and he will return your call from Mass., his new QTH.

PEOPLE NEEDED: New Providence Civil Defence Needs Interested people to join. You dont have to have a license to belong or to operate. Contact Leo Kelly-464-4135

CHAIRMEN NEEDED: Club still needs chairmen for the following positions; Librarian-someone to be responsible for checking in and out the club books at meetings. The books are kept at the Red Cross Bldg.

Equipment Manager- someone to keep tabs on the club equipment, parts and condition.

Refreshment chairman- someone to pick up goodies for each meeting. If necessary, we could have several people take turns bringing food.

LOOKING FOR PARTS? try Atkinson & Smith-Eatontown; Williams Electronics-Edison; Route Electronics-Springfield.

CONGRATS-Fred-WA2RIM finally has Conn. and Vermont confirmed for WAS.

LATEST FCC CHANGES-Novices may now operate vfo

Operators may now try for the Extra tickets after only one year at General or above.

Education-Bob Latter is currently giving novice lessons, however if there is a demand for it, courses can be arranged for General, advanced, and Extra.

Check your junkbox-your trash is someone's treasure-list your goodies with the Spark Gaps-WA2RRI/WA2RIM-\$ 464-9523