

MOUNTAIN SPARK
GAPS



New Providence
Amateur Radio Club
February, 1977

Club Nets
145.3 Mhz
Sun. 8&9 PM

Heathkit Demonstration - February 14th

Fred Arakelian, W2MQI, from Heathkit's Fairlawn Outlet will both discuss and demonstrate kit construction on Monday, February 14th. This should be of interest to both old timers and first time builders as he demonstrates one of the latest kits in Heathkit's popular amateur line and points out both tips and pitfalls to avoid. See you on Valentine's Day at 8PM at the New Providence Library!

Meeting Schedule

John Myrick, WA2TKW, our Activities Manager, has done a super job of working out our second Monday meeting schedule for the entire year. It's attached as a separate sheet for your reference. Don't forget that the club also has informal technical sessions on the fourth ~~MONDAY~~ of each month at 8PM at the New Providence Library. The dates for these meetings are on John's schedule also.

New General Class License Course

Bob Craig, W2EAL, and Bob Brown, W2EME, will team up again as instructors for a General Class License Course. The first meeting will be held on Thursday evening, February 24th, at the New Providence Library, and Al Hirsch, K2SKV will be the featured speaker. Al will discuss the new horizons that a general license will open, and plans to have some ARRL films that will illustrate these opportunities.

Club Chatter

Call letters for the Novice Class graduates have been coming through as follows:

Dick Hoagland	WA2KNB	Bill Plossl	WB2KON
Walt Venard	WB2KOL	Warren Reed	WA2KOL
Carl Christensen	WB2KNB	Andy Nordgren	WB2KOM

Others have passed the test, but their calls are not known as of this printing. The remaining ARRL DX Contest weekends are Feb 18-20 and March 18-20 for CW and March 4-6 for phone.

Slow Speed CW Net

Bob Brown, W2EME, will initiate a slow speed CW net for new licensees or those wishing to get some CW practice. The Net will meet every Wednesday evening at 8PM.

DUES ARE DUE!

If the club records show that your 1977 dues are paid, you received a club roster from John Sheetz with your "Spark Gaps". If not, you received a registration blank which you are asked to complete and forward to John Sheetz with your club dues. Considering what you get (see the NPARC schedule), it's the world's best bargain!

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