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TERAC NEWSLETTER

(TEchnology Radio Amateur Club)

Meeting and dinner now at same location

Time: Thursday May 10th, 2012, 7:30PM

Talk-In: 443.65 MHz Simplex

Max's Fanno Creek Pub, 12562 SW Main St. #100, Tigard, Oregon

A System Update on Northwest Area's Electric Power Resources

Jerry Rust, President Northwest Power Pool

"A System Update on the Northwest Area's Electric Power Resources". Several years ago Jerry presented a talk on this subject, hence this one is an "update". Jerry is President of the Northwest Power Pool; he has been at the NWPP for 11 years, and in the industry for 36 years. He is a graduate of the University of Wyoming. For the 13 September meeting we have a talk on geomagnetic disturbances stemming from solar plasma mass discharges. And hopefully a program on the HVDC Intertie in October. More details on these as they develop.
Gene, K7IUN

FROM THE DESK (keyboard?) of the President

Thanks to April's presentation by our Gordon Moyle (now a new call W7NZL extra class!!!) on many, many things from Down Under! We will have future programs from him on the

info we didn't get to in this meeting. This month Gene has obtained us Jerry Rust, Pres of NW Power Pool "A system update on the NW area". See the details elsewhere in this newsletter. It is a new year and time to renew TERAC membership. Find the membership enrolment form that is in this newsletter and do it now! Don't forget the pre meeting dinner. See you at the dinner/meeting. **Roger, W7ADV**

Pre-Meeting Dinner

Our meeting and pre-meeting dinner will be in the party room at Max's Fanno Creek Pub at 6 PM. The address is 12562 SW Main St. #100, Tigard. Ph. 503-624.9400.

Bob, W7BKN

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K7AUO 2012 7QP OPERATION

As Bob mentioned in last months newsletter we are going to K7AUO will participate in the 7QP contest Saturday May 5. We will be operating from the abandoned Condon Radar site again this year. We have a new 43' vertical for 40 meters vertical to supplement the tower trailer and wire dipole. Bob has spent many hours getting an old linear working for the event. With the new hardware we hope to rack up a big score. We will be working 10 through 80 meters. If you can get on the air give us a call or for an adventure drive over and check out the site. Bob W7BKN, Phil W7PYX, Joe AE7LD and I will be station operators.
Chuck, K7BVT

OTVARC

See <http://www.otvarc.org/> for details on the May OTVARC meeting.

Upcoming Hamfairs & Events

7QP, May 5 – 6

<http://www.codxc.com/new/page.asp?content=drvland7s>

Dayton Hamvention, May 18 – 20

<http://www.hamvention.org/>

SeaPac, June 1-3 2012 (Seaside)

www.seapac.org/

Field Day June 23 - 24

<http://www.arrl.org/field-day>

Clark County Ham Fair, Aug. 25, 2012

http://www.w7aia.org/activities_files/docs/12-CCCF-Preregistration.jpg

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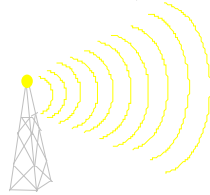
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Richard, K7TKK

| Month | Board Mtg. | Club Mtg. | Club Meeting Notes |
|-------|------------|-----------|--------------------------|
| MAY | | 10-May-12 | J. Rust, NW Power Pool |
| SEP | | 13-Sep-12 | Geomagnetic disturbances |
| OCT | | 11-Oct-12 | |
| NOV | | 8-Nov-12 | |
| DEC | | 13-Dec-12 | |
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