Western Suburbs Radio Club Inc.



November 2011 Newsletter

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Club Calendar

Saturday	12 th	November	Club Meeting – Ian ZL1RCA on his recent USA Trip
Saturday	19 th	November	Branch 86 Sale Musick Point - Details Page 2
		December	Dinner – Day and Date to be Confirmed

November Meeting

At the November meeting on the 12th Ian ZL1RCA will talk and show photos of his recent trip to the USA which included a visit to a Ham Fest.

October Meeting - WSRC used Equipment

The Club held its annual Used Equipment Sale on Saturday 8th October at the Rosebank School Hall. It wasn't a large sale but all who turned up had a great time. Much of the used equipment on offer found a new home. The canteen did a steady trade and many friendships were renewed. A new feature this year was a test bench where prospective buyers could test the equipment they were intending to buy. This gave people some certainty that the equipment was working and was well received by those who made use of it. We will try and have this feature again for future sales.



General views of the sale on Saturday 8th October 2011at the Rosebank School Hall

Congratulations

Congratulations to Roy ZL1LK on his marriage last Saturday. Roy tells me he had a wonderful day.

2-metre USB Net

A few of us are having a 2-metre single side band net on 144.200 MHz on Sunday evenings following the VHF Group News and Net. You are welcome to join if you want. The net was originally suggested by John ZL1JD. Initially quite a few stations came up and it was surprising the distances that were achieved however numbers have dropped to two or three most Sundays.

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Club Nets

VHF Net 146.525 MHz 7:30pm every	11-Nov-11	ZL1ACZ	Barry
Wednesday, HF Net 3623 KHz +/- QRM/QRN	18-Nov-11	ZL1WI	Roy
7:30pm every Friday. All are welcome to check	25-Nov-11	ZL1NE	John
in on the nets. The full HF Net Roster can be	2-Dec-11	ZL1RCA	lan
found on http://www.qsl.net/zl1ac/wsrc-hf- roster.html	9-Dec-11	ZL1MW	Brian
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	23-Dec-11	ZL1ACZ	Barry
	30-Dec-11	ZL1WI	Roy
	6-Jan-12	ZL1NE	John
	13-Jan-12	ZL1RCA	lan

We need more club members to take a turn at running the Friday evening HF Net. If you are available and would like to give it a go then please send me an email. With enough people to run the net you will only be rostered on about once every six weeks. Please consider helping if you can. I will be putting next year's roster together soon. john.neill@opus.co.nz

BRANCH 86 EQUIPMENT & JUNK SALE



SATURDAY NOVEMBER 19th 2011 MUSICK MEMORIAL RADIO STATION BUCKLANDS BEACH AUCKLAND

SELLERS FROM 9 AM BUYERS FROM 10 AM

SELLERS - CAR BOOT - \$5

SPECIAL THIS YEAR BUY IN BULK

A WIDE VARIETY OF MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS FROM THE GARAGE - \$1 PER KILO

ALL OTHER ITEMS, PRICES AS MARKED