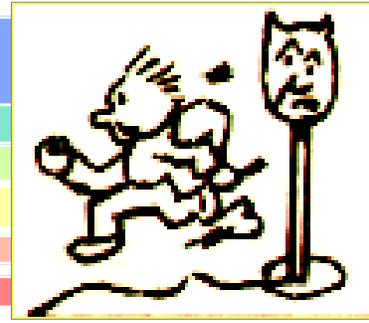




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Upcoming Events

Radio Expo 2011

Sept 10 & 11 at the
Boone County Fairgrounds
in Belvidere IL

VEC Testing both days

Advance tickets will be available
at the Aug SRO meeting.

Emergency Mine Rescue

Edgebrook Field House
6100 N Central Ave - Chicago
Aug 10th 8:00 PM

This one-hour film chronicles the fate of the 33 miners trapped in a collapsed Chilean gold and copper mine in August 2010 and investigates the

many challenges faced by both the miners and those working around the clock to bring them safely to the surface. NOVA was on-site at the San José mine in Chile by early September.

Conferred special access, NOVA's film crew interviewed engineers, NASA experts, medical personnel, and key figures from the companies that provided drills



and crucial rescue equipment to give a more detailed scientific account of the unfolding events. The resulting film, using footage from the scene as well as advanced animation, showcases the extraordinary feats of engineering as well as the biological and geological factors inherent in the rescue. "Emergency Mine Rescue" also examines the psychological and physiological impact of this kind of prolonged ordeal on the miners and those involved in the rescue efforts.



Meeting Minutes

by Jim AA9DT



SRO Regular Meeting - June 22nd at the Edgebrook Field House

The minutes for the June meeting will be in the next issue.

Smile!

A doctor examining a woman who had been rushed to the Emergency Room, took the husband aside, and said, 'I don't like the looks of your wife at all.' 'Me neither doc,' said the husband. 'But she's a great cook and really good with the kids.'

An old man goes to the Wizard to ask him if he can remove a curse he has been living with for the last 40 years. The Wizard says, 'Maybe, but you will have to tell me the exact words that were used to put the curse on you.' The old man says without hesitation, 'I now pronounce you man and wife.'

Two Reasons Why It's So Hard To Solve A Redneck Murder:

1. The DNA all matches.
2. There are no dental records.

Two Mexican detectives were investigating the murder of Juan Gonzalez.. 'How was he killed?' asked one detective. 'With a golf gun,' the other detective replied. 'A golf gun! What is a golf gun?' 'I don't know. But it sure made a hole in Juan.'

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Foxhunt Report

by Mike WA9FTS



CFAR 2M Foxhunt
July 2nd, 2011
by Mike WA9FTS

It was the start of a beautiful July 4th weekend. The temp wa cooling off from a high in the upper 90s and 4 hunters were ready to find Don W9RA. The initial signal was weak but to the SW. Three of the hunters took Rt 83 south and the FTS/LXF team tried north to North Ave and west to 355. But Don was not really far off and they took Addiison to Butterfield Rd. Tony took Rt 83 all the way to Butterfield Rd. The Paul and Mike overshot and back to the road leading to I-88 West and then decided Don was on the other side of 88. Wrong move! In the mean time the three other hunt teams closed in on a building 400 ft east of Downers Dr to find Don next to a building using a vertical mounted on a metal electrical box. Shortly Paul and Mike arrived to end the hunt. We all met at Buona Beef down the street. We found out it was Tony's birthday and Joan, who was working till 8:30, arrive with a card and present - a Magellan GPS with a really big screen. Look to the web page for pix taken. Results:

- 1 - Tony AA9CC
- 2 - John WD9EXW, Tom N9CBA
- 3 - Charlie KB9DIM, Alexis N9VRA
- 4 - Mike WA9FTS, Paul N9LXF

CFAR foxhunt is scheduled every first Saturday of the month. Hunters gather at the shopping center at Rt 83 and St Charles Rd in front of the Sears Essentials store. All are welcome to participate in finding the fox..

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Meeting Attendance

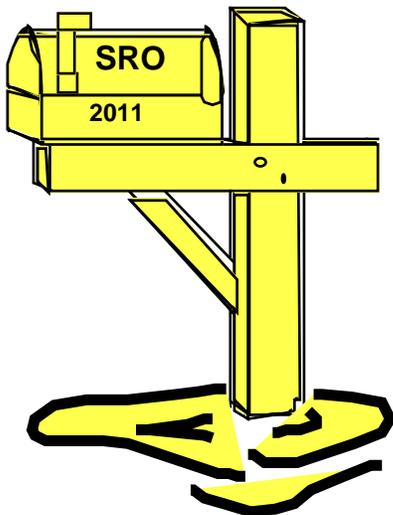


**June 22nd
at the Edgebrook Field House**

Mike WA9EVF	Cathy KZ9ZWZ
Jean KB9FXL	Pete WV9P
Jim AA9DT	John KC9QIO
Mike WA9FTS	Tom N9IHZ

SRO Constitution Update

The SRO Constitution is in the process of being updated. The Officers and Board members have started the process. When it is done, the Constitution will be presented to the members for a vote and approval.



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Treasurer's Report

by Mike WA9FTS

Balance as of 1/1/11	\$1969.43
CFAR Contributions	\$280.00
Membership Dues	\$460.00
Misc Income	\$300.00
Auction	\$5.01
Total Income	\$1045.01
Annual Report	\$10.00
Postage	\$11.00
Refreshments	\$28.23
Supplies	\$11.29
SRO/CFAR Insurance	\$320.00
Total Expenses	\$380.52
Balance as of 8/10/11	\$2633.92

Birthdays



For the months of
August & September

C Fay	James Creek
Jacobson	N9FO
N9FA	Aug 18th
Sept 3rd	Lee Knirko
	W9MOL
	Aug 14th

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Mike Brost - WA9FTS

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Regular Meeting Place

Edgebrook Field House second
Wednesday at 8 PM **unless other-
wise indicated in Mike Shy.**

Standing Committees

Membership - K9JQ
Program - Open
Meeting Refresh. - AA9DT
Foxhunting - WA9FTS
Repeater - K9IQF
Field Day - Open
Education - WA9EVF
Mike Shy - WA9FTS
Picnic - WA9FTS
Dinner/Play - Open for 2008
Christmas / Hanukkah Party -
WA9EVF

SRO Web Site

www.w9sro.org
Mike Brost - WA9FTS

SRO Repeaters

	In	Out
CFAR (107.2) PL	147.75	147.15
TOOFAR	223.26	224.86

Repeater Personnel

Trustee - K9JQ
CFAR Chairman - K9IQF
CFAR Treasurer - WA9FTS
Site Maintenance
K9IQF, W9RA & W9BEA
Control Operators
K9IQF, TBD
NW Maintenance
WA9FPT
Northeast Maintenance
K9IQF & TBD
Lisle Maintenance
WA9AEK

W9EJ Exp Date May 2018

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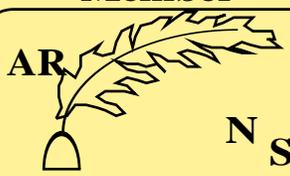
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