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No Meeting Tuesday...Kutztown Time!

August 2004 Meeting Notes by Dave Snellman

With somewhat sparse attendance, Mike Koste called the August meeting to order. No new members were found. Much of the business side of the meeting involved talk about Kutztown. Lewie reported that the event is almost sold out; that is, the spaces under the pavilion are almost all taken. There will be "overflow" space on the grass outside of the pavilion.

We have a beautiful Philco table radio for raffle at Kutztown. We could use a NOS 6K5G and a NOS 6J5G to finish off the radio. The pictures can hardly do it justice.

Speaking about Kutztown, remember there will be no regular September meeting in Telford. Instead, we are meeting Friday night, September 17 at Kutztown.



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NO MEETING TUESDAY! KUTZTOWN SEPT. 17TH.

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We circulated a sign-up sheet for volunteers to help us at Kutztown. Last time we quickly filled the sheet, but this time we have some open times. To paraphrase, "now is the time to come to the aid of your club!" We need help at the club table and for the auction. Either email me at snellman@bucks.edu, or just show up at the club table at Kutztown.

Our "tech topic" was the ever popular "show-n-tell." We had four entrants. Mark Theirback, a regular to our show-n-tell, displayed a small portable set. The set employed sub-miniature tubes. It runs on a 22v battery along with two penlights.

Lewie Newhard showed a Telefunken receiver RE-10. Lewie explained that it is World War I vintage. "AFRA" was on the box.

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Dave Snellman showed two books picked up at a local library book sale for \$1.00 each. The first was Practical Wireless Telegraphy by Bucher published in 1921. The second was an ARRL handbook from 1927. Both books are in amazing condition. (You never know what you'll find in the oddest places.)

The Oscillator is published monthly by members of the non-profit DVHRC. Its purpose is to provide information on electronic, antique radio and communications with collectors and preservation of vintage radio technology.

We welcome and solicit information relating to radio history or collecting. Submissions should be on 8 1/2" x 11" paper, typed and accompanied with clear photographs or diagrams. Material on disks should be in Word and pdf formats.

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To join DVHRC dues are \$20 per year. The membership year runs January - December. Please mail to the club P.O. box above. Meetings are held the second Tuesday of the month at 7:30pm in the Telford Community Building, Telford, PA.

Material submitted is subject to acceptance and editing by the editor. A full page article is approximately 400 words. Please photos may be submitted for scanning. JPG files should be under 100K.



He also showed a Sony CFR-1. This is a solid-state communications receiver offered by Sony in the early 1980's. Though not popular in the US, it had quite a following among correspondents in Europe. It runs on batteries or AC and features a digital readout. It was picked up for \$100 at a Baltimore area hamfest earlier this year. (It was my "catch" of the year.)

Mike Koste showed a nice Delco R1135 table radio with push-button tuning. It's vintage 1930 and is a Belmont/Wells-Gardner clone.

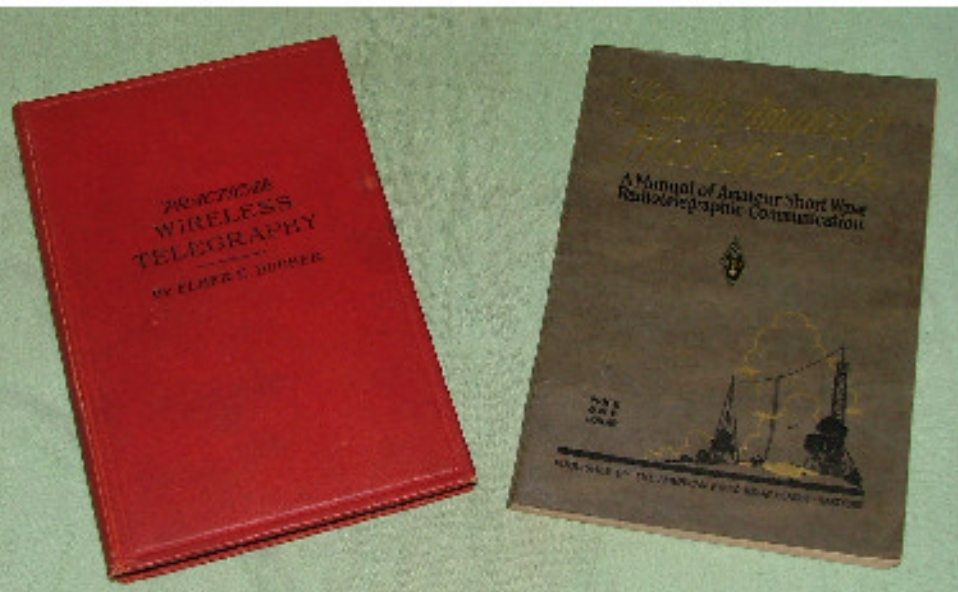


Our usual auction followed the show-n-tell.

Remember

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September is Kutztown Radio Swapmeet – September 17 and 18 at Renninger's in Kutztown. This means NO meeting at Telford on the 14th.





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MEETING SEPTEMBER 17TH
SWAP MEET SEPTEMBER 18TH



UPCOMING EVENTS:

Regular meetings:

NJARC monthly meeting. September 11, 2004. Members' tailgate swap meet. 9AM to 1PM. Location – Camp Evans, Bellmar, NJ. Check their website at www.njarc.org for more details and directions. PLEASE NOTE MEETING DATE CHANGE.

DVHRC monthly meeting. September 17, 2004. Renninger's, Noble St., Kutztown, PA. Meeting starts at 7:30 PM. PLEASE NOTE MEETING DATE AND LOCATION CHANGE.

Mid-Atlantic Antique Radio Club (MAARC) monthly meeting 9:00 AM, Sunday, September 19, 2004. MAARC Fall Mini-meet. Seventh Day Adventist Church in Burtonsville, MD. (Where they normally meet.) Check their website at <http://www.maarc.org>. PLEASE NOTE TIME and VENUE CHANGE.

Swap meets and local hamfests:

Military Collectors Meet – September 17-18, 2004 – West End Fairgrounds, Gilbert, PA. Check www.milradio.org for details.

October 10, 2004 – PACKRATS at Wrightstown, PA.

For information on these hamfests, please check out the ARRL website at www.arrl.org

Kutztown Antique Radio Meet



September 17th and 18th

Call 570-385-0104 for information and reservations

DVHRC CAPACITOR SALES

PRICE CAPACITY	VOLTAGE	LIST PRICE		CLUB MEMBER	
		QTY/25	EACH	QTY 25	EACH
.001	630v	\$7.20	.35	\$6.00	.28
.0047		\$7.50	.35	\$6.25	.29
.0068		\$7.60	.36	\$6.35	.30
.01		\$7.80	.36	\$6.50	.31
.022		\$8.30	.37	\$7.00	.33
.033		\$8.60	.42	\$7.25	.35
.047		\$9.00	.43	\$7.50	.36
.1		\$9.60	.48	\$8.00	.48
0.22		\$18.00	.86	\$15.00	.72
0.47		\$24.00	\$1.06	\$20.00	.96
1.0		\$31.20	\$1.50	\$26.00	\$1.25

ELECTROLYTICS:

		QTY/10	EACH	QTY/10	EACH
10	160v	\$6.60	.70	\$5.50	.64
22	160v	\$7.70	.90	\$6.40	.75
33	160v	\$10.10	\$1.30	\$8.40	\$1.01
47	160v	\$11.50	\$1.40	\$9.60	\$1.16
10	450v	\$9.00	\$1.10	\$7.50	\$1.10
22	450v	\$13.30	\$1.45	\$11.20	\$1.20
47	450v	\$21.60	\$2.50	\$18.00	\$2.10
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