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WA6KQB - A Member Supported Repeater System

2M=145.110MHz, 1.25M=224.300MHz, 70cm=444.275MHz, all with a PL of 82.5, Packet=145.05MHz simplex no PL

WA6KQB repeaters are owned and operated by the Contra Costa Communications Club, Inc. The repeaters are located in the Richmond/San Pablo/El Sobrante area. Coverage is good in the counties of West Contra Costa, San Francisco, Marin, Sonoma, Napa, Solano, Berkeley, N. Oakland, San Mateo and Santa Clara and the Sierras.

NETS: The club has many nets that are open to all hams, not just the members.

- Morning net at 7:10 a.m. Monday through Friday on 2M (145.110) Over-the-Hill net;
- flDIGI net at at 7:00 p.m. Monday on 444.275
- Weekly club net at 7:30 p.m. Thursday on 2M on 145.110 and followed by a technical net;
- ECOMM net at 6:45 p.m., Thursday on 2M (145.110).

NEWSLETTER: The club newsletter, THE COMMUNICATOR, is published monthly. It keeps members informed of club activities and technical information. Members are encouraged to contribute amateur radio related articles of interest. The Newsletter is available by e-mail (as a .pdf file). Arrangements can be made as needed for a hard copy by mail.

OFFICERS: A Board of seven directors is elected by the members to govern the club. From this group the directors elect four club officers and appoint the club Trustee.

MEMBERSHIP: Membership is available to currently licensed in good standing Amateur Radio Operators who submit an application, a copy of his/her valid Amateur License, current dues and assessments if any. Applications are reviewed and approved by the Board of Directors. As of 2011 the \$25 initiation fee is temporarily waved for new and returning members. There are presently five membership categories:

- o Regular Membership \$30 annually
- o Retired Membership \$20 annually
- o Additional Family Membership \$20 annually, same address as Regular paid member
- o Life Membership 10 times annual dues (limited to 25)

EVENTS: The club has two main events each year. Our Holiday Party is a fun-time for all. The Club sponsors a picnic once a year that is open to club members and their immediate family. There are fun activities and lots of food for all.

MEETINGS: The general members' meeting is held currently at Denny's Restaurant at the corner of Portola and San Pablo Ave. in El Cerrito, CA 94530 on the second Sunday of the month. Breakfast is at 7:15 a.m. The meeting starts at 8:00. The Board meeting immediately follows the general meeting. The club does not meet in May as the picnic month, and December

Visitors are welcome to any Sunday meeting. Join the club and enjoy the benefits of membership,

Thanks and 73

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