



Contra Costa Communications Club, Inc  
An ARRL Affiliated Repeater Group  
Dedicated to Service



## *Sunshine Committee*



Hi Everyone!

I hope this message finds you well and healthy. We'd like to send out good thoughts and our prayers to:

Joe Peoples, NG6C,  
Dan Kelley, KF6HQO,  
Jeff Miller, KJ6RHF.

In addition to the above please remember all those that you know that are in need of our hugs, prayers and sunny smiles. We respect those that do not wish to be listed. We want you to know we send you our thoughts and prayers too.

Sincerely,

Burgie Jones KE6MSF

## **Presidents Corner**

*I wish you all a  
Very Merry Christmas  
& a  
Very Happy New Year!!!!*

Roger Nelums, KE6SZG  
President Contra Costa Comm. Club

These are pictures of Roger's car after the accident a few days before the party. Thankfully Roger was all right and served as Santa for the Christmas Party.



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2013 CONTRA COSTA COMMUNICATIONS CLUB, INC. DAILY AND WEEKLY NETS

DAYS	NET CONTROLLER	REPEATER/NET NAME/TIME
MONDAY TUESDAY WEDNESDAY THURSDAY FRIDAY	MICHAEL K6CUG BOB AB4AL BOB W6WTJ GARY KG6RJA ALTERNATE: BARBARA KD6OKJ STAN-KB6SEI	145.110 OVER-THE-HILL 7:10 AM
WEEKLY - TUESDAY QRM	BARBARA KD6OKJ BOB AB4AL ROBBY N6MNL MICHAEL K6CUG	224.300 CLUB 220 NET 7:30 PM
WEEKLY - WEDNESDAY	JEFF KJ6RHF	145.110 OPEN NET 8:00 PM
WEEKLY - THURSDAY	MEMBERS ROTATE	145.110 WEST CONTRA COSTA CTY RACES 6:45 PM
WEEKLY - THURSDAY	ROBBY N6MNL JEFF KJ6RHF FRED W6BBQ BOB AB4AL BARBARA KD6OKJ	145.110 CLUB NET 7:30 PM
WEEKLY - THURSDAY	OPEN NET	145.110 TECHNICAL NET 8:00 PM
WEEKLY - SATURDAY & SUNDAY		145.110 ARRL TRAFFIC NET 7:30 PM

**Club Officers For 2013**

President: Roger Nelums, KE6SZG (2014)  
 V. Pres: Don Hamma KE6ZFP (2013)  
 Secretary: Burgie Jones KE6MSF (2013)  
 Treasurer: V. Thompson KE6FSU (2015)  
 Trustee: Robby Robinson, N6MNL (2014)  
 Director: Barbara Robinson KD6OKJ (2015)  
 Director: Michael Nicholson, K6CUG (2014)  
 Director: Robert Seymour, KI6KOU (2013)

*Planning Section Chief RACES* Contra Costa County -  
 Mike McMillan K6MCM

*Repeater Controller's*

Call to report any problems or concerns  
 Robby.....N6MNL.....  
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 Ken.....KA6TUX.....  
 Fred ...W6BBQ.....  
 Bob..... AB4AL.....

Committee Chairperson

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 Alex Alsing KJ6JIS  
 Jeff Miller KJ6RHF

Packet:  
 Robby Robinson N6MNL

NARCC:  
 Robby Robinson N6MNL

Picnic:  
 Fred Neiman, W6BBQ

Christmas:  
 Barbara Robinson KD6OKJ

Newsletter:  
 Victoria Thompson KE6FSU

## Membership Renewal Forms.

In October 2012 every member was mailed the membership renewal form for 2013. If you did not receive yours or need one please contact Victoria Thompson at: [KE6FSU@sbcglobal.net](mailto:KE6FSU@sbcglobal.net)

## General Meeting Minutes

11-11-12

The meeting was called to order by President Roger Nelums, KE6SZG at 8:00 a.m. Introductions were made around the room.

Treasurers Report: Ck: \$1,709.95: Svg: \$4,041.95: Repeater Fund \$33.00. Thank you all for donations.

Membership Report: It is going well. Donations are coming in.

Net controllers: Please check into the 2 meter net on Thursdays. We need your support.

Nomination Chair: Victoria, KE6FSU & Barbara, KD6OKJ were both eligible for another term and agreed to be nominated. There were no other candidates found prior to the meeting. Nominations from the floor were requested. There were none. Victoria KE6FSU & Barbara, KD6OKJ were elected by acclamation. Thank you ladies. You do a wonderful job!

Don Hamma, KE6ZFP won the free breakfast.

Victoria Thompson, KE6FSU won the progressive raffle.

January the progressive raffle will be \$10.

Submitted by: Burgie Jones KE6MSF



## Board Meeting

11-11-12

There was no board meeting for this month.

12-8-12

The board met during the Christmas party to determine who would serve in which office. The board voted to continue the same offices as held in 2012.

Submitted by: Burgie Jones KE6MSF

## Treasures Notes.

Every year some of our generous souls have included donations to help with the extra needs of the club. We are very appreciative of all donations received. When these additional donations come in we make an effort to publish our thanks unless the donor has specified the gift is to be anonymous. If we have missed anyone in the past we apologize for the oversight.

Robert Szentimrey, W6WTJ

Thank you to all the members that donate when the basket is passed at the meetings.

The end of year budget for 2012 will appear in the February newsletter once all information for 2012 has been received and entered.

Thank you, Victoria, KE6FSU

## CHRISTMAS PARTY THANK YOU

Thank you to all who were able to attend, and all who had a part of making it happen:

Martha, KI6KOV: Pie Delivery

Burgie, KE6MSF: Set up, pictures, raffle prizes

Mike, KI7FQ: Homemade goodies

Santa Roger, KE6SZG: Jolly raffle master

Ralph, W6EFD: Donates the candy bars loved by all  
Sharon, AA6XZ: HRO prize pick up

Barbara, KD6OKJ: The one who gets it all done

Victoria, KE6FSU: set up and candy bar wrapper

Robert and Joann, W6WTJ clean up

Special thanks to: **Mark Nowell, WI7YN HRO**

**for the generous prize contributions.**

# Christmas Party Pictures





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POSTMASTER: ADDRESS CORRECTION REQUESTED

**Next Regular Club Meeting: January 13, 2013**

Denny's on the corner of San Pablo Ave. and Potrero Ave in El Cerrito, CA 94530

**Breakfast at 7:15 a.m. Club meeting at 8:00 a.m. Board meeting at 8:45**