

The Salvation Army

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KANSAS & WESTERN MISSOURI DIVISION

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The Salvation Army Center, Olathe, KS:



Monday, February 13th 7pm, Rich Britain NØENO Divisional Coordinator announced the Greensburg, KS May 2007 tornado remembrance. The Salvation Army will attend Greensburg the May 5th weekend activities. The Dodge City Canteen, SATERN, and TSA leadership plan on attending. Notify Rich www.noeno@arrl.net if you plan on joining in.

Salvation Army Harbor Light Corps WYCO, KS:



Tuesday, February 21st 7pm, Joe Krout WØPWJ Divisional Wyandotte County Coordinator invites visitors. Contact Joe www.wopwj@arrl.net

Jackson County, MO: *Steve Deines NØTES Jackson County Coordinator met with FEMA regarding Emergency Contingency Plans at the Federal Facility on Troost in KCMO in February.*



Steve Deines says, this is not the Emergency Contingency Plan, but rather The Raytown, MO Club ARRL Field Day 2011.

SATERN Meeting Schedules for March:

JOCO Monday, March 12th at The Salvation Army Center Olathe, KS, 7 pm

WYCO Tuesday, March 20st at The Salvation Army Harbor Light Village Corps, 7 pm

Let us know when and where your group meets and find the notice here in future publications.

SATERN Red Shield Award Members First Recognized 2004



Carol and William Stanton

Carol and William, against all odds, are the 2004 Red Shield leaders. And that will not be forgotten. Nor should you! Now, it is their turn to encourage others to be contributors to this worthy group of volunteers. A few questions were presented to them to help us to know a little about our honored leaders.

- **How long have you been a ham? Carol earned her amateur license ten years ago. Bill earned his "ticket" eleven years ago, and has held a commercial FCC license since 1970.**
- **Why did you get into ham radio? Carol was influenced by Bill to become involved in ham radio. With Bill, interest sprang from an original childhood hobby of experimenting in electronics. And who influenced Bill? It was Bill's father.**
- **Why did you become a SATERN member? Carol and Bill used ham radio to become involved in service to the community.**
- **Who do you work for and what kind of work do you do? [or last employer before retired]** Carol is with the Overland Park KS police department, crime analyst - no, not CSI stuff, but looking for trends & patterns in crimes across the metro to identify the bad guy, I also do all the statistical/administrative analysis of data (I play with numbers).

Bill retired, last worked for Garmin as an electronics technician.

- **Do you have any special certifications for your job?** Carol has 37 years of on-the-job training, a number of crime analysis courses & ArcMap classes. Bill - USAF tech schools, company-based training in avionics & computers, Associate in Applied Science in Electronic Engineering Technology. We have both completed the 3 EmComm courses, several ISC classes and a number of ARRL courses.
- **What is your favorite activity in ham radio? such as: HF, local, digital/packet, psk, satellite, etc....** Carol enjoys contesting, psk, and HF. Bill listed HF, DXing, and packet/APRS.
- **Are others in your family hams?** To this question, Carol and Bill answered their spouse.

SATERN HF Net: KS Western MO Division Net Tuesday, 8:30pm CT SSB 3.920 KHz (-10 KHz)

SATERN NEWS CORNER: Who is KDØQYG? A new SATERN Technician Radio Operator February 18th is Dee Smith! Congratulations to Dee. Listen to the SATERN Nets for who knows, you may here our leader, "Disaster" Dee. Roomer is Dee is seeking a Vanity call.

Please be advised the Salvation Army will be offering Introduction to the Salvation Army Emergency Disaster Services Part I and Disaster Food Service Handling Part I classes on May 5, 2012 in Wichita, KS. The classes will be held at 1919 S. Rock Road. The Emergency Disaster Services Class will be from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Food Service Handling is scheduled from 1:00 p.m. to 5 p.m. Registration for each class is \$10.00. If you are interested in participating in either one or both of these classes, please contact: Jackie Madison The Salvation Army P.O. Box 412577 Kansas City, MO 64106 816 471-4337 office 816 471-5491 fax kwm_ed@usc.salvationarmy.org

Further, MO/KAN Divisional SATERN members will be operating a special event station at Greensburg, KS on May 5, 2012. The station will be part of the "Tragedy to Triumph" celebration. Five years ago, our SATERN volunteers provided communications in Greensburg following a devastating tornado. More information about this special event station, using call sign KSØSA, will follow. Thank you for your continued support of the Salvation Army. Rich Britain Acting MO/KAN Divisional SATERN Coordinator

Do you know someone who would like to secure an Amateur Radio Operators License? Do they live too far from a class? Does their weekend family schedule prohibit attending a Saturday class? The editor, Mike Asselta, has been part of this Outreach Program from the South Coast Amateur Radio Service since 2010. Sunday and Tuesday evenings we will assist students get that extra motivation to succeed by “live” SKYPE/EchoLink classes from their home. Do you know a home-bound or handicapped candidate? Here is a grand opportunity to become a licensed operator in a friendly environment. For licensed hams the General and Extra classes via EchoLink later this year are ideal!



Our next class will be the Technician license class scheduled to start on Sunday March 18th, and then will be followed with General and Extra courses. Enrollment to any of these classes may be made via email to VOIP@VOIPNET.SOUTHCARS.COM. In this email please give us the course you wish to attend, your first name, call if you have one assigned, location, preferred email to be used, and an emergency contact telephone number. All courses and support material are entirely free.

SATERN History Corner:

August 1990

Major Pat McPherson is named the Metropolitan Division’s EDS director. Patricia Duce becomes the division’s first radio liaison. A week later, a horrific F5 tornado hits Plainfield, Ill., killing 29 people and causing \$200 million in damages. The network requires 64 operators daily for 11 days. Other operators get on the air to help the SATERN volunteers.



The Salvation Army Founders Corner:



*One day in 1865 he found himself in the East End of London, preaching to crowds of people in the streets. Outside the **Blind Beggar pub** some missionaries heard him speaking and were so impressed by his powerful preaching that they asked him to lead a series of meetings they were holding in a large tent.*

*The tent was situated on an old Quaker burial ground on Mile End waste in Whitechapel. The date for **the first meeting** was set for 2 July, 1865. To the poor and wretched of London's East End, William Booth brought the good news of Jesus Christ and his love for all men. Booth soon realized he had found his destiny. He formed his own movement, which he called 'The Christian Mission'.*



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