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President's QTC

The new venue for the Dayton Hamvention was a little disappointing after 20 + years of going to Hara Arena. I don't think that the town of Xenia was ready for all the additional traffic and I hope that next year the DARA committee have a few more tents or canopies to sit under to enjoy a lunch. But the bathrooms were clean and the rooms for the forums were air conditioned. Looking forward to any improvements for next year.

I would like to personally thank everyone who helped get the MARAC booth set up and a special thanks goes to Lowell and Sandra, KB0BA & N0XYL, for all the hours they spent manning the booth, answering questions, and promoting MARAC and County Hunting. Well done Lowell and Sandra.

Our webmaster has been very busy this past month. Dave managed to take a long deserved vacation from work for about a week and then shortly after getting back Dave spent some time in the hospital while his son had an appendectomy. Somehow Dave was still able to find time to correct a few of the remaining web page database conversion issues and he is always working to improving the MARAC web site. And if that's not enough Dave is getting the new MARAC IT group started. MARAC is very lucky to have volunteers like KW1DX.

Your board of directors has also been busy this past month addressing a legal action that a MARAC member, KZ2P, started. You can find the letter from KZ2P's attorney and the response from MARAC's General Counsel, K0DEQ, elsewhere in this issue of the Roadrunner.

The next MARAC board meeting is scheduled for June 28, 2017 at 8pm Eastern. Instructions to join the meeting using Uberconference can be found on MARAC's home web page.

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Legal Complaint

from a member and MARAC's Response

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May 10, 2017

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Re: MARAC Listings for James Grandinetti

Our firm represents James Grandinetti. It is our understanding from him that you removed all of his personal and other information from the MARAC online database on or about April 17, 2017, despite the fact that he is a current MARAC member and has paid his dues through this year and beyond.

On April 18, Mr. Grandinetti emailed MARAC's president demanding all of his personal information be returned to the online database as it was before April 17. It appears that it took you until yesterday or today to replace the information in MARAC's online database.

The removal of his information was willful and intentional and appears to have been done only for his call signs. The removal of this information coincided with his opposition to current members of MARAC's administration, and the timing of your actions would support claims of intentional tortious conduct actionable against MARAC and all of you personally under Kansas and South Carolina law.

Mr. Grandinetti has asked us to pursue all available legal remedies against you if you delete, remove or misrepresent any of his information in the database again.

Very truly yours,

Theodore Huge

cc: James Grandinetti

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May 15, 2017

Mr. Theodore Huge Harris & Huge LLC Attorneys at Law 180 Spring Street Charleston, SC 29403

re: MARAC - James Grandinetti

Dear Mr. Huge:

I am writing in my capacity as general counsel for the Mobile Amateur Radio Awards Club in response to your letter of May 10, 2017 on behalf of your client, James Grandinetti.

Your letter, and your client's earlier communication to MARAC on this subject, misstate and distort relevant facts. None of the people to whom your letter was addressed, nor anyone else involved with MARAC, removed any information willfully or intentionally. In fact, your client's information was never removed from the MARAC database.

Because of technical issues within the webserver provided by EasyCGI, it was determined that the database used to display information on the MARAC website should be changed from Microsoft Access to Oracle MySQL. This change involved only the database used to display information on the website, NOT the MARAC database which continues to be an Access database in which no information relating to your client or anyone else was eliminated. The proposal to change to MySQL for the website was approved by the MARAC board of directors. This change required the webmaster to develop and implement a manual conversion process. Some problems were encountered in this conversion which resulted in some information not transferring properly. At least 10 MARAC members (including at least one member of the board of directors) have reported that their information was not transferred correctly, thus contradicting your client's assertion that he was targeted individually. Probably many more MARAC members were affected but either did not notice or did not report the matter, realizing that the problem would be resolved in due time. Again, no information in the master MARAC database was deleted or otherwise affected.

When the problem with the online database was discovered, a message was added to the MARAC website giving notice that there were issues which were being investigated. Everyone involved with MARAC, including the webmaster, are volunteers who have their individual professional and family responsibilities. MARAC does not expect the webmaster or anyone else to put the organization's needs ahead of their family or professional obligations, and neither should your client. In this particular situation, the webmaster was out of the country for several days during the latter part of April and had unanticipated family obligations during early May. The problem with the transfer of information received his attention when he was able to devote time to this task.

All MARAC members, including your client, owe a huge debt to the webmaster, David Pyle, for the many hours he has devoted to MARAC. Threatening legal action is totally unwarranted under these circumstances and is also an unacceptable response to his unselfish service to MARAC and all of its members.

V/U //

cc: Mr. Gene Olig, Sr Mr. Randy Hatt Mr. David Pyle

Dateline CWEd, KN4Y

What is not good for the mobile is not good for the county hunter.

Lof the hurricane season. June is the month with the longest daylight hours of the year. It is believed that the month is named after the Roman goddess Juno, who is the wife of Jupiter and is also equivalent to the Greek goddess Hera who is thought to be the goddess of County Hunter teams. It is hot, pushing the 90's. I wonder if during June there would be county hunting if air conditioning did not yet exist. My horrible thought process is interrupted by the controlled roar of Gator's 4X4 coming off the main road and sliding to a stop at the recycled railroad tie. Suddenly I have this urge for coffee.

Gator comes into the shack carrying the white cardboard container, I start to salivate. Gator pops the top of the container "Here Dude you look like you need a hot latte to complement this heat." I take the latte, "Thanks Gator, I was getting the computer warmed up to see my results operating in the Nebraska QSO party, the 10-10 International QSO party and our mobile operation in the Florida QSO party. Gator sits at the computer and I sit quietly sipping my hot latte.

Gator starts laughing, "Dude you worked the magnificent total of seven QSO's in the Nebraska QSO party, did you do the old man sleep routine again?" I laugh, "No Gator I just did not hear many stations calling on CW. I think Nebraska amateurs favor the sideband mode. Look at the 10-10 International QSO party next." Gator reaches into the white continuer and takes out two éclairs and hands an éclair to me. "Gator this is as close as we can get to a heavenly experience without leaving the radio shack." Gator acknowledges my éclair high with a head shake, "Dude you made 26 QSO's in the International10-10 QSO party, worked 19 stations that have a ten-ten number and worked 5 DX stations. Is that good?" I shake my head yes, "The ten meter band was not QSO party friendly and it took a lot of calling CQ into an unresponsive space continuum to log that total." Gator sips his latte and murmurs to himsel "Now I know why the radio shack is unusually organized." Gator mouses around on the computer.

Gators eyes open wide, "Wow Dude, my safe and progressive driving ability exhibited during the Florida QSO party allowed you to complete 528 QSOs on Saturday and 572 QSO's on Sunday. We traveled a total of 860 miles made 3 lattes stops; transmitted from 23 Florida counties and we never passed a rest area." I give Gator the evil eye, "Remember Gator you need to calculate the score in each county, our final score is the total of the individual county scores." Gator mouses around then smiles, "Dude your

total score in the Florida QSO party is 84,768 points, sounds like a winner. I also noticed the longer we are in a county the more QSOs you make." I shake my head agreeing to an obvious fact, "That score is not a winner; there are younger mobile operators that can pass a rest area. I did work some stations on 15-meters but it was mostly a 20 -meter and 40-meter band QSO party. Hand me another latte and check out the MARAC CW QSO party." Gator shakes his head indicating no more latte and opens the MARAC QSO party log.

Gator sips his latte, turns around, "I should have been your driver for the MARAC QSO party and not that flamboyant female driver you got from the Seminole Nudist Chauffeur Incorporated. You traveled 439 miles and completed only 285 QSOs. You must have napped a lot or spent a lot of time at rest stops." Gator has tears running down his creeks he is laughing so hilariously. I am not amused, "Gator, the bands were horrible and is the main reason for the low QSO numbers. I called for 5 minutes before a station heard me and a QSO completed. I heard and tried to work other mobiles and they could not hear me. I did almost all the contacts on 20-meters. I went to 40-meters and heard only noise and no replies to my calling. I almost shut down and came back here to operate from the shack. Later in the day conditions improved and I also worked some mobiles please check the log and see how many." I sip my latte as Gator checks the MARAC QSO party log for mobiles.

"Wow Dude I notice you worked a JA station." "Yes Gator that is my first JA station I have worked in the MARAC QSO party." "Awesome Dude, you worked the mobiles Fred, K0FG, Ray N0C, Barry N0KV, Norm, W3DYA, Ray again as WB0PYF and W8U name undetermined." I smile, "Yes Gator the contacts were at best 559. The stop at Bubba's Roadside Roadkill Cafe made the QSO party mobile trip worthwhile. The redneck venison saus vide was great and the sassafras beer made a delightful combination." Gator shakes his head affirmably as he looks at the computer screen.

"Sad news Dude, I just read that Jim, N8AIL, and Gene, W7GVF are silent keys, did you know them?" "I did not know Jim, N8AIL but I did work Gene, W7GVE mobile." We bow out heads as I recite the Lord's Prayer.

We sip our latte in silence, "Dude I see you received a LC from Bill, K2HVN. Have you thanked Bill yet." "I will Gator; I made a note and put it in my bucket list." Gator murmurs to himself that will never get done. "What did you say?" "Nothing! I just noticed you worked the King of Spain CW Contest and made 22 QSOs, did you point the Yogi in the wrong direction again?" I sip my latte, "No Gator that score total is again the result of terrible band conditions. At times I could hear the station in Spain, but the

station could not hear me. It was frustrating to say the least." "Dude you do know you can work other continents in this contest." "Yes, but to me this is a Spain contest and I work only Spain stations." Gator shakes his head and turns around in the chair.

I hand Gator a memory stick, "See how I did in the CQ CW WPX CONTEST." CQ, CQ, CQ is heard from Gator's cell phone, "Sorry Dude I have to get to the back forty pronto, black bears were spotted near the solar energy power grid. He is out the door into his 4x4 and burns rubber to the main road, I hear him yell; "Roger you were the only James Bond." I shut the door and hear the printer stop. I get the printout; it is a list of mobiles heard during May on the county hunters CW call frequencies.

I read: AA8R, AB7NK, K0DEQ, K0FG, K0MAF, K2HVN, KA4RRU, K4YT, K4ZGB, K7RE, K8ZZ, KA2LHO, KC7YE, KN4Y, N0KV, N2OO, N4CD, N4JT, N4UP, N6PDB, N9JF, NM2L, NU0Q, W0GXQ, W3DYA, W4SIG, W8UE, and AND WB0PYF.

Along with Father's Day the big amateur radio on the air activity coming in June is the ARRL Field Day occurring the last full weekend. This operating event is enjoyed by new and old amateur radio operators throughout the United States. I plan to operate the CW station for K4WAK, the local Sportsman's Paradise ARC.

There are two State QSO parties, the first is the Alabama QSO party with 87 counties and during which I plan to operate CW mobile. The second is the West Virginia QSO party with 55 counties up for grabs. If you still have not stifled the CW bug (get the joke) try the ARRL VHF Contest, the All Asian CW DX Contest, like to operate late hours do the Stew Perry Topband Challenge. The county hunter pork lovers perhaps will enjoy Run for the Bacon QRP contest. No monthly reason not to be radio active. Darn I forgot to tell Gator the 2017 MARAC National Convention will be in Colorado Springs, one the five safest places to visit, Colorado, during September 25-27, 2017. Oh well, probably Gators are not allowed in Colorado. Nap time.



Awards

Awards Secretary Report

Congratulations to ALL!!!

Awards Issued April 1, 2017 - May 15, 2017

Call	Award Date	Award	Number
N6PDB	4/20/2017	USA - Call Sign Combo - 1x2	3
N6PDB	4/20/2017	USA - Call Sign Combo - 1x3	20
N6PDB	4/20/2017	USA - Call Sign Combo - 2x1	3
N6PDB	4/20/2017	USA - Call Sign Combo - 2x2	4
N6PDB	4/20/2017	USA - Call Sign Combo - 2x3	4
N6PDB	4/20/2017	USA-Digital	17
N6PDB	4/22/2017	Worked All State - 5 Mode - 1st Time - HI	1
N6PDB	4/22/2017	Worked All State - 5 Mode - 1st Time - NM	1
N6PDB	4/22/2017	Worked All State - 5 Mode - 1st Time - OK	2
WB0PYF	5/6/2017	USA-CW	149

Roadrunners Issued April 1, 2017 - May 15, 2017

Call	Award Date	Award	Number
AB7NK	5/6/2017	Last County Count 575	#31
AB7NK	5/10/2017	Last County Count 600	#29
AB7NK	5/10/2017	Last County Count 625	#27
AB7NK	5/10/2017	Last County Count 650	#25
K5GE	5/6/2017	Last County Count 500	#40
K7SEN	5/6/2017	Last County Count 200	#125
NOKV	5/6/2017	Last County Count 900	#14
NOXYL	4/13/2017	Last County Count 400	#53
N4UP	4/23/2017	Last County Count 75	#279
N5MLP	5/10/2017	Last County Count 125	#192
W4SIG	5/6/2017	Last County Count 475	#42

LC1 / LC2s Processed April 1, 2017 - May 15, 2017

Last County in the State 316 Last County in the USA 2

FYI:

Award applications will be processed once or twice monthly, depending on volume Award plaques & plates will be ordered monthly or bi-monthly, depending on volume

Please send all questions/comments to the awards e-mail addres: marac.awards@gmail.com



Please direct all mail to the following mailing address:

Pattie Hatt, PO Box 427, Grant, MI 49327

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Treasurer's Report (W7OLY) April 2017*			
Beginning Account Balances May 11, 2017			\$26,038.77
Income:			
Money Market Interest	\$0.92		
Awards Secretary Income	\$0.00		
Misc. Income	\$0.00		
Membership Income	\$130.00		
Logger Distribution	<u>\$20.00</u>		
Total Income:		\$150.92	
March New Spotting Site/Logger II Expenses:			
Spotting Site Fixed Expenses (CHspots.org)	\$0.00		
Spotting Site Recurring Expenses (CHspots.org)	\$0.00		
Logger II Fixed Expenses	\$0.00		
Logger II Recurring Expenses	\$0.00		
March Other Expenses:			
Awards Secretary Expenses	\$202.00		
Misc. Expenses (1)			
\$76.90			
Office Expenses (Postage, Etc.)	\$0.00		
Total Expenses:		\$278.90	
March Net Income Less Expenses			(\$127.98)
New Total Cash Balance ALL Accounts:			\$25,910.79

Checking Account Balance
Money Market Account Balance
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\$2,795.08 \$23,115.71

Total Cash All Accounts:

\$25,910.79

(1) Shipping expenses previous Awards Secretary (N2JNE).



[#] From a balance sheet perspective, MARAC Total Funds at the end of December should be discounted by \$6,237.15. This amount is a Deferred Liability of award fees pre-paid by members. After discounting, our true (spendable) Cash Assets are \$19,673.64.

^{*} Includes March Transactions posted through 5/11/2017

^{*} The \$1,500.00 Awards Secretary Funds are not included in the above balance. Notes:

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Awards Secretary Financial Report

April 2017

Bank Account Report:

Account Funds on hand March 31, 2017		1,423.19
Treasurer Reimbursement Funds received from members 4/1/17 - 4/30/17	76.81 -	
		76.81
		1,500.00
Expenses: Office Supplies Plaque Supplies	- 202.00	
Postage/Shipping	202.00	
Treasury reimbursement	-	
Member reimbursement	<u>-</u>	
Total Expenses		202.00
Account Funds on hand April 30, 2017		1,298.00
Reimbursement needed from Treasurer		202.00
Member Accounts Report:		
Member Funds on Hand March 31, 2017 Net Funds deposited and/or used during April		6,237.15
Member Funds on Hand April 30, 2017		6,237.15



National

MARAC 2017 National Convention Registration September 25-28, Hotel Elegante Conference & Event Center, Colorado Springs CO

(Deadline for Early Registration Prize Drawing is July 1, 2017)

NAME:	CALL SIGN:		-	
ADDRESS:				_
CITY:		STATE/PROV:	ZIP	-
E-MAIL:		PHONE	::	
	Fee: Note: Includes badg mily unit – Includes 1 priz		erages & snacks.	\$45.00
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Tuesday, Sept 26 – Bus on a Comfortable coach Sept 26 – Do-It-Yourse	ck in and hospitality room Tour (U.S. Olympic Traini h (9:20 a.m. – 2:20 p.m. elf Activities/Shopping, Pro anquet/Dinner Buffet 6:0 s, announcements, etc.	#x \$35.00 ograms, etc.) =	\$ \$ L: \$
Mail your registration Pat Mitchell, N0DXE 12200 Boothill Dr Parker CO 80138	n form and check, mad	le payable to: "2017	MARAC Convention	on" to:
Hotel Reservations :	(\$119 for single or doub	ole, plus tax). Includ	es breakfast.	

Hotel Reservations: (\$119 for single or double, plus tax). Includes breakfast.

Hotel Elegante Conference and Event Center, 2886 S. Circle Dr., Colorado Springs CO 80906

Call 719-576-5900 and request Group Code MARAC or book on-line at: https://www.reseze.net/servlet/SendPage?hotelid=1410&skipfirstpage=true&page=1694377
(Hotel is pet friendly)

Information about Convention – for RR

The 2017 MARAC National Convention will be held at the Hotel Elegante Conference and Event Center in Colorado Springs (I-25, exit 138) on 25-27 Sep with check out on 28 Sep. Early check in is on 24 Sep (Barry, N0KV and Pat, N0DXE will be setting up in the hospitality room after 6 p.m.) We will have several programs, an organized bus tour plus a buffet banquet.

Bring a gift to the gift exchange, which will take place the evening of the banquet. Gift should be in the \$15 range. We will also draw for the early bird prize and other prizes at the banquet.

Registration is now open (see Registration Form). Registration for the early bird ticket/prize is 1 July 2017.

Colorado should be beautiful this time of year with the Aspen trees turning a golden yellow. Come see the majestic mountains and visit some of the many Colorado Springs/Pikes Peak area site-seeing opportunities.

Free Visitor Information: Colorado Springs Visitor Information Center. Web: VisitCOS.com (719) 685-7623

- **Pike's Peak** you can drive to the summit (14,115') or take the scenic Pike's Peak Cog Railway, the highest train in the U.S. and highest cog in the world. Open all year but reservations for the train are recommended. CogRailway.com or (719) 685-5401.
- If driving to Pike's Peak, stop in the North Pole-Santa's Workshop, where it's Christmas every day of the year. Pike's Peak Hwy, NorthPoleColorado.com, (719) 684-9432.
- **U. S. Air Force Academy** home to Air Force Cadets future Air Force officers. The Visitor's Center presents a movie on cadet life along with exhibits and gift shop. Located at I-25, exit 156. Free.
- Colorado Springs Fine Arts Center. Has a permanent collection of paintings, photography, modern art including works by Ansel Adams, Dale Chihuly, Georgia O'Keefffe, and many others. (719) 634-5581.
- Cave of the Winds where you can explore deep inside a winding cave. There are 3 cave tours to choose from. CaveOfTheWinds.com or (719) 685.5444.
- **Manitou Cliff Dwellings**, authentic dwellings of the Of the Anasazi Indians built more than 700 years ago. CliffDwellingsMuseum.com, (719) 685-5242
- The Broadmoor a 5-star historic hotel, considered "The Grand Dame of the Rockies." A site to behold, you can walk the grounds, peruse the boutiques, or dine in one of the hotel's fine restaurants Located at exit 138, it is 3 miles west of I-15.
- **Cheyenne Mountain Zoo**, America's one and only mountain zoo, which stands at 6714 ft and houses many amazing creatures. Hand-feed a giraffe. I-25, exit 138. 2.75 west then 2 mi SW. CMZoo.org or (719) 633-9925.
- Seven Falls -7-tiered natural wonder cascading falls near Broadmoor. SevenFalls.com
- **Ghost Town Museum** step back in time and explore an old west town inside a museum setting. GhostTownMuseum.com, (719) 634-0696.
- **Historic Old Colorado City.** Historic shopping district with unique gift shops and a great place to eat. The ladies will love this area. 2234 W. Colorado Ave., ShopOldColoradoCity.com, (710) 577-4112.
- **Historic Manitou Springs** just west of Old Colorado City, Manitou is a quaint mountain

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town with many unique shops and a great place to grab lunch. You can drink from the 8 mineral springs. ManitourSprings.org, (719) 685-5089

- **Prorodeo Hall of Fame**. History and legends of professional rodeo. ProRodeoHallofFame.com, (719) 528-4764.
- Western Museum of Mining and Industry. (800-752-6558)
- World Figure Skating Museum and Hall of Fame. (719) 635-5200

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ONLY START DATE SHOWN

CLICK ON EVENT TO GO TO THAT WEB SITE



Awards Committee

These MARAC members are serving on the Awards Committee:

Awards Manager - Ron Clift (N5MLP)

Robert Woody - N8KIE

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David Pyle - KW1DX

Robert Hallock - K7TM

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"A Road Runner Is A Very Fast Bird"

Monthly Deadline for Articles is the 25th!

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