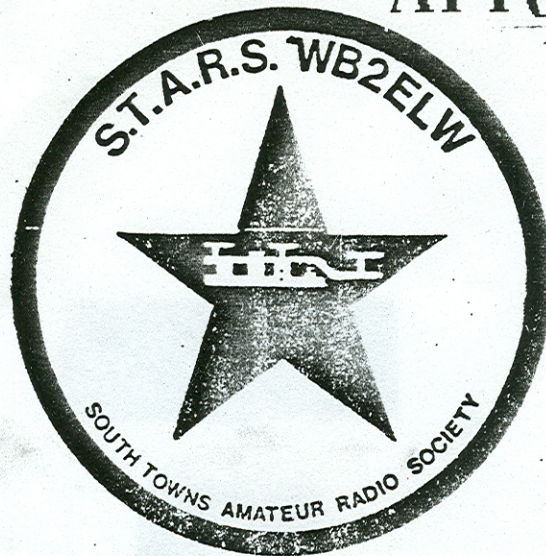


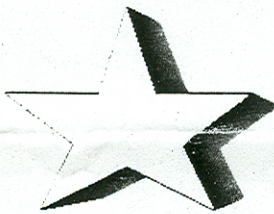
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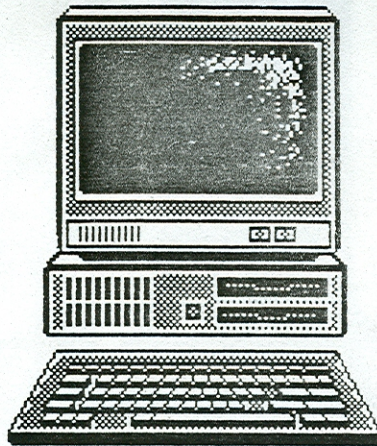
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BUSINESS MEETING = 5TH OF APRIL AT THE YOUTH CENTER AT 7:30PM
BOARD MEETING = 24TH OF APRIL AT THE YOUTH CENTER AT 7:00PM



S.T.A.R.S.
APRIL MEETING



Bill Siska, N2GAO, will present
an INTRODUCTION TO PACKET RADIO.

We are getting close to purchasing
a new HF RADIO, so any donations
equipment or monetary will be appreciated.

Be sure to stop into the HAM SHACK and
make use of the station. The shack is
now in operation with some new antennas.

73,

BOB WITT, WA2IQX

GOSSIP COLUMN

This is the last time that I will inform all of you to make arrangements to upgrade. April 11th the STARS will have the FCC exams at the Hamburg Jr. High School. There is more information under another column. I will bring some 610 forms to the April 5th meeting and you must notify Matt NS2M of your plans. You all must know by this time that there is a drastic change in question later this year, so take advantage of this opportunity. At this time I wish to invite all the VE people to help out at this session, remember ARRL requires you to participate in a few sessions in order to stay on the active list. I am unable to call on the phone to remind you anymore.

Please come to the April 5th meeting and if you have no articles to donate why there might be something that someone donated that you need so bring money. The fund for the new equipment is going very well.

Hope everyone took a peek at the ham station that the club set up in the upstairs room for the high school hams and they sure enjoy using it.

In the Ham Radio Magazine on page 75, March 1990 there is a very good article on "Understanding Computer Generated RFI" and some remedies for this malady, so next time your computer interferes with your transmitter you will know what to do.

If you do not check into the two nets that STARS runs weekly you are missing a lot of information about the club and missing out on the fun. Most of you know that STARS is a learning club and on Saturday morning net we have acting net control operators taking over. During the last few weeks the new control operators have checked in number's and even have broken the record of having the net on longer that it ever was.

Our repeater sure gets a lot of use lately and am happy to say that all transmissions are given in accordance to the FCC rules and regulations. So congratulations go to N2GAO Bill for keeping everyone informed and making them behave.

Oh by the way there is a nice talk on packet radio coming up at the meeting, so come early to get a good seat and enjoy one of the new ways to enjoy amateur radio. It will amaze you of what can be done.

Our Editor, Steve, has set a new cut off date for the paper so if you wish to submit a article or other information have it at his QTH before the 15th of the month.

Another thing Bob our president has a lot of items that are up for sale for the club. If you expect to attend a hamfest and have a table, why, make arrangements with him to try to sell the items for the club.

Happy Hamming
Guz WB2EZX

VEC TEST SESSIONS

STARS will hold a VE test session on April, 11 1990 at the Hamburg Junior High School rooms 117/119; 360 Division st. Hamburg. Wed at 7:00-10:00 PM; Tech through Extra exams will be given. Send your completed 610 application, a copy of your license and a check for \$4.95 made out to ARRL/VEC, and a copy of any certificate that would be acceptable to VE contact:

MATT GORSKI
6117 Broadway
Lancaster, NY 14086

Please indicate what test elements you want to take. There will be NO ALK-INS.

Lancaster ARC will hold test sessions on May 16 and June 20. For these session send all information to Matt Gorski NS2M

DICK HAUNGS W2UJR
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BUSINESS MEETING = 1st THURSDAY

1930 Hours (7:30) = YOUTH CENTER

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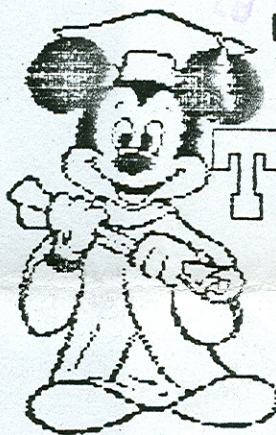
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