

Rights of the Dying

147.435MHz REPEATER PLAGUED BY 01/61 TYPES WHO HARASS THE POPULATION/USERS!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Among the users of the 147.435MHz repeater located among the gentle rolling hills of La Habra Heights, 20 miles southeast of Los Angeles, jammers and bootleggers would seem to be the least of lifes problems.

Yet fear of the same jammers and bootleggers and the 01/61 type of operation they all attract has prompted the management of 147.435 repeater to call a general meeting of its supporters.

The meeting, scheduled for January 19, 1985, at Mayfair Park in Lakewood, has as its main purpose the discussion of the 146.610MHz repeaters takeover of 147.435MHz. The influx of 146.610MHz users onto the 147.435 system has in the past few weeks been of such massive proportion that the system is virtually useless. Concern that the trend may not be able to be reversed has been a topic of conversation on the systems auxillary meeting place in the 220MHz portion of the spectrum.

For now, the meeting is voluntary. But if goals are not being met at the end of two weeks, the Mount Wilson Repeater Association would be well advised to implement more of a "Use It Or Lose It" attitude. Please use the machine, the 01/61 type of operation cannot and will not flourish if systematically attacked with sensible conversation.

Many 147.435 users are moving away from the system and into other modes of operation because they cannot tolerate the "teenie-bopper" mentality now exhibited by the 146.610 type of operation. The 01/61 type of operation—amateur radios first attempt to simulate complete chaos—went down at the hands of the U.S Postal Service in October of this year. An audio tape supplied by an anonymous amateur (?) and mailed to radio station KJOI, the former home of 01/61, lead to the removal of the system from KJOI property. Since then, many users of the 01/61 system have infiltrated the 147.435 system in an attempt to carry on the nonsensical type of operation formerly exhibited on 01/61. This type of ham and operation can only lead to total collapse of the 147.435 system—it must stop.

The RIGHTS OF THE DYING need not be explored on 147.435. The users deserve to be able to use their system without fear of being bombarded with such trivial matters as "Who is sleeping with whom?"....."I want a 220 radio (for free)"....."Aaaaahhhh good evening gentlemen. This is N6----."....."Call me ----, call me."....."Do I still have a hum?"....."Geeee, I need to get someone to fix my radio (again, for free) and on and on and on and on..... Get my point? I certainly hope so! Use your repeater....attend your meeting!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Americans Share Holiday Spirit With Those in Need

Americans celebrated Christmas Day with traditional observances of prayer, family feasts and gift-giving, but some also took time out to help those less fortunate, distributing presents to the needy and feeding the homeless.

Mindful of the yuletide message of "Peace on Earth, Good Will to Men," volunteer workers across the nation helped out at Christmas dinners for the poor.

The 147.435 repeaters KOS CARES fund once again directed its help to one needy family in the South Bay area. Thanksgiving and Christmas dinner packages made up from food and presents donated by SWL's and users of the system helped ease the holiday demands of a young mother and her three lovely children.

Working in teams, the KOS CARES organizers collected the food and gifts, purchased the "special" presents the children had asked for, and delivered them to the mother just days before each holiday. Special THANKS to all who helped, donated and delivered the JOY OF HELPING TO EACH OF US. May the year ahead bring you your rewards.

STRIKE NOW!
BEFORE IT'S TOO LATE

Every year on December 31, I take down the old calendar from the kitchen wall and read through it. It is a condensed version of the repeater biography of that year. Skimming through the 12 pages reminds me of how the year passed by.

The calendar also gives a clue as to the direction the repeater is going. When I was new on therepeater the notations were of parties, meetings, T-hunts, outings and trips to the theatre. Now, as I look back over the 12 months I see notes about this, jammers and bootleggers we have caught. The threats on life and property which were made. The days I went to L.A. to view the trial of a fellow ham who followed the wrong trail. I see many dollars spent to buy maps and beams and send letters to the FCC complaining about "fellow" hams. I see hate, fear, sadness and a repeater falling apart.

All the repeaters problems cannot be blamed on the "01/61 type" of operation. Nor can that type of operation be held blameless. Some of our problems are internal, some come from "over-there" on that now defunct repeater. Must we accept the "sick" and the "criminal" element from 01/61, much as we accepted Castros rejects? I say, NO! That is not to say that all 01/61 people are bad, just "most" of them. Use your repeater, or lose it, simple and sweet. The action you take now will show through later.

Disappointing View of Display

NORWALK AMATEUR DISPLAY IGNORANCE WHEN HE ATTACKS FELLOW HAM OVER FREE CHRISTMAS FOOD

An unnamed amateur radio operator showed his total and complete lack of compassion for his fellow human beings this Christmas past.

In a display of drunkenness not often viewed in public, let alone heard on the 147.435 repeater, a well known Norwalk ham viscerously attacked a fellow amateur, accusing him of having sexual relations with the recipient of the food package for 1984.

But a few short days later, this drunken ham was heard having quite a bit to do with the Thursday Night Swap-Net. He appeared to be totally oblivious to what he had done. At one point when an unidentified voice (01/61 type) told him he should apologize to WA6IGJ, this drunken ham said, "You apologize to Tony if you want, I won't!" He then carried on with his part in the Swap-Net. Let's give this ham a big round of "BOOO BOOO BOOOO!"

It should be noted that he has agreed to present the proof of his allegations at the Mayfair Park Meeting on January 19, 1985. It was unfortunate he did not have the proof at his fingertips when he made his brash statements on Christmas day.

Investing in Some New Year's Eve Fun

Some of you will be making the trip to Arrowhead this New Years Eve. The exhalted leader of the 147.435MHz repeater, JPI, or JIPPIE as he is better known, will be having a "Bash On The Hill" for all the users of the system. I suppose that includes some of the 01/61 bunch, but that cannot be helped. I would hope they act like adults, eventhough some of them may not be of such stature.

For those of you who are planning on "getting blitzed" and operating your radio as opposed to driving your auto, I say: "Please remember that some of us will be around non-hams this New Years. It would be nice if you could conduct yourselves in a manner that I will not be constantly obliged to apologize for." In other words: If you want to get all heated up and get on the air.....keep it clean. It really is difficuly explaining to a non-ham why the old-man is flirting with the young promiscuous female "from that other repeater." Get my meaning? I hope so!



(DRUM ROLL PLEASE)

UNION OIL? Now who do we know who works at UNION OIL? Let me see: Green, big-mouth, short, likes young-girls, always talking seldome listens, lives in the Hollywood or North Hollywood area, edited the MWRA Newsletter. I KNOW!!!!!!It's A--- Gam---, K6---A. "If you don't like high gas prices.....walk to work!"

The leader of the 01/61 takeover of 147.435, that's him! WOW! I thought it would never come to me! What will they do on 01/61 when, and if, it comes back? Can they survive? Are the users able to get by financially? Can young girls live without him? WE WILL SEE SOON!

THE MESSAGE IS STILL HOPE

Hope what? Hope you feel better? Hope you win money? Hope you win the contest? Hope that the 01/61 repeater comes back soon? Hope that the "drunk of 435" stays sober this New Years and doesn't cause trouble? What's your big "hope?"

Quite frankly, mine is that the repeater can get back to its old self....soon! I am so tired of hearing about the 01/61 bunch and their perverted lifestyles. Why, when most of them can communicate via simplex, do they insist on bringing thta style of operation to our repeater? They have little, if any, respect for my mother who is chained to the radio both day and night! None of them (or at least only a few of them) have jobs, a family, a religion or an automobile to call their own. Why then do they come to our part of the band and try and take over ours? Can't they fix their machine so they can do that stuff over there? Now I hear some of them say they are not going back to 01/61 when it does come back! What will we do with the bad ones (some are O.K.)?

Take a little hint 01/61 users. We are tired of hearing about your perverted life-style. We are tired of hearing babout your relations with females who have no morals. We are tired of hearing about your problems on the 01/61 repeater. If you feel you were ripped off by the guy who owns it.....tell him.....not us! We don't care if you were ripped-off, raped or whatever! We just want our repeater to be calm, interesting and clean again. I must admit, some of OUR people do get a little dirty sometimes, BUT, they are just that, OUR PEOPLE! Remember, our repeater site cannot be taken away by ANYONE! We have it for as long as we want it.....we have PULL.....we have CLOUT.....YOU DON'T!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!! I am sure that make you MAD AS HELL! By the way.....what did you get for your money on 01/61? WE get friendship, understanding, helpful people, free newsletters, T-hunt instruction and something you guys never had.....A TRUSTWORTHY CLUB AND MEMBERS.

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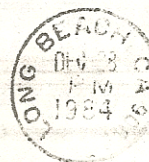
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