



# The DXer

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### October Meeting

Thursday October 17

Holder's Country Inn

998 S. De Anza Blvd

San Jose 95129

[www.holderscountryinn.com](http://www.holderscountryinn.com)

5:00pm Socialize

6:00pm Dinner

7:00pm Club Meeting

### "My Visit to North Korea" by Paul Ewing, N6PSE

Paul will present an overview of the Intrepid DX Group's P5 Project, and explain the challenges of activating P5 and what it was like to visit the "hermit kingdom." He will discuss his travels from the DMZ in the south all the way to Rason at the border with Russia. Paul will also will explain the political, geographical and terrain challenges along the way.

### Raffle Prizes

Heil Pro Set Elite 6 Boomset Headset  
Alpha Delta ASC4B Desktop Ant Coax Sw.  
Plus More ...

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### President's Letter

By Ross Forbes, K6GFJ

Here we are in the middle of October with many DXpeditions going on this month. I hope you are able to work those you need for an all-time new entity, or fill in a slot for your position on the DXCC ladder. The higher bands have been very good this month, so pay extra attention to 10 through 18 meters for entities you still need. C92DX will start up real soon and club members K6TD and W6OAT are with the DXpedition. Likewise, November will produce some great DX for everyone. In particular, keep an ear out for the promised XZ operation. The XZ DXpedition also has a club member participating with the group.

I was saddened to learn the passing of Lee Shaklee, W6BH. Lee was a long time member of the NCDXC and was Secretary/Treasurer in 1966 and was a director for three terms. Lee moved to Southern California and set up a terrific remote station long before many of us were even talking about the concept. Lee was also one of the founding members of the Northern California DX Foundation. Always a gentleman, Lee was always thinking of ways to keep amateur radio moving forward. Lee will be missed by us all.

Pacificon was held over the weekend of October 11-13th and the NCDXC participated. We saw a number of new faces interested in DX and wanted to learn what the NCDXC is all about. I know of at least one new member

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### IC-V8000 2M Mobile Transceiver

- 75 watts • Dynamic Memory Scan (DMS) • CTCSS/DCS encode/decode w/ tone scan • Weather alert • Weather channel scan • 200 alphanumeric memories

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D-STAR

### ID-880H

- D-STAR DV mode operation • DR (D-STAR repeater) mode • Free software download • GPS A mode for easy D-PRS operation • One touch reply button (DV mode) • Wideband receiver



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who joined, plus we had a number of potential members asking about our next meeting. When you see their faces at our meeting, please give them a warm welcome and make them feel a part of the club. Invite them to sit with you at dinner and get to know them. These new potential members are looking for help as they start chasing DX and you should give them a warm welcome so they will want to join our organization.

I want to extend a big thank you to the following members who helped out at our Pacificon booth: WB6ABC, W6WZ, K8JRK, AG6RK, AF6Q, W6OPO, K6MKF, W6KM and K6BV. Also, many thanks to our ARRL card checkers N6NU and K6KLY. Andreas and Russ were able to check QSL cards and make a number of DX'er very happy. Also, Jim, K8JRK, created a very nice hand-out for those visiting our booth to take with them.

I continue to hear from members who need some sort of assistance. Everyone should make an effort to help other club members when they need help with their antenna, or have operating or equipment questions. Do you need help with your computer logging program (if are using a computer for logging)? Do you need help with LoTW? Maybe you need help from a more experienced DX'er to show you how to work DX on your radio? The list goes on and on. So, if you need help, speak up! We provide time at each meeting for members to talk about projects they need help with. Also, send your request to the CHAT reflector. Don't be shy, speak up!

If you want to see how well your station works, or you want to work a lot of DX stations, be sure to get on the air over the weekend starting Friday October 25th and continue through Sunday, October 27th. The CQ WW DX Phone Contest makes it annual appearance and is a good way to fill in some band slots or just get on and work a lot of DX. There's nothing fancy about making a contact. Just give the DX station a report and your CQ zone number (for NCDXC members in California it is zone 3). Not only will you work more DX over this weekend, it also sharpens your listening skills and skills to work the DX station faster. Over the years, that is one way that I was able to fill in many band slots for my own DX collection. OK, so you "hate contests", then what? Easy! Move to 18 or 24 MHz and have fun, or switch to CW (on any band) and continue to work DX in your normal style. The bands will be open and there are no contests allowed on 18 or 24 MHz.

Don't forget that dues should be paid in full by October 31st. If you aren't sure if your dues are current, go to [www.NCDXC.org](http://www.NCDXC.org), and click on the MEMBERS ONLY tab. At the prompt, enter your ID and password. The next step is to click on the link near the bottom of the page for the REAL TIME ROSTER. After you have the roster on your screen, look for your entry and it will tell you the status of your dues. As an example, here is my entry; Ross Forbes, K6GFJ (Regular, active, Renewed through 6/30/2014). If you don't remember your ID and password, send an e-mail to Phil, W6PK at [dxer@ncdxc.org](mailto:dxer@ncdxc.org). Phil will send you your ID and Password information. Also, Bob, W6OPO, tries to keep the renewal information up to date almost as soon as he receives your information.

Mark your calendars for the annual NCDXC Christmas Luncheon. To be held on December 7, 2013 at Michael's at Shoreline. Contact W6WZ, WB6ABC or K8JRK for details.

Our October meeting will be held at Holder's Country Inn at 998 S. De Anza Blvd in San Jose on

Thursday, October 17th. Gather for friendly chat after 5 PM, Dinner at 6 PM and the meeting starts at 7:45 PM. The speaker is our very own Paul Ewing, N6PSE who will tell us all about his recent visit to North Korea (P5).

73,  
Ross K6GFJ

Fellow DX'ers –

For those who have not, it is that time of year, time to **renew your membership** in the Northern California DX Club.

Each year memberships that are paid annually expire on June 30. There is a window from June 30 through October 31 for renewals so there is time but don't put it off. Again this coming year there are many good programs lined up including the club's picnic in July. Many membership benefits are in store for us next year. Also your dues help the club provide financial support for DXpeditions.

Dues remain unchanged and vary depending upon your membership class. For Regular Members it is \$24, for Absentee Members \$16 and for a Family Member \$15. Absentee class is for those who live outside the club's region. The region is defined as anywhere in California north of the south side of Bakersfield (35 degrees North Latitude).

The fastest and easiest way to pay dues is to go to the club's website and click on **Pay Dues**. Scroll down to the PayPal and credit card logos. Click on the logo. Or go to: <http://www.ncdxc.org/pages/paydues.html> directly.

Using PayPal is fast, convenient and limits my need to go to the bank. But if you prefer writing a check, please do so making it payable to NCDXC and mail it to:

Northern California DX Club  
P.O. Box 608  
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Best of 73,  
Bob - W6OPO  
NCDXC Treasurer

# **Northern California DX Club Holiday Luncheon**

**Saturday December 7 11:00-3:00**

**Michael's At Shoreline**

**2960 N. Shoreline Blvd**

**Mountain View**

***Members and Significant Others Are Cordially Invited***

Next month, menu choices and prices will be posted for ordering and payment. For now, please reserve the date for you and your significant other.

Our speaker will be Dr. Robert Schmieder, KK6EK. His topic will be "DXpedition Edges: Good Planning, Good Luck, Good DXing." Bob has assembled some backstories from his many expeditions that will give us a rare "inside" look -- and maybe some news about Heard Island.

Continuing the tradition of great raffle prizes, the list this year includes:

- **Nordstrom Gift Certificates** for the ladies
- **Davis Wireless Weather Station** to protect your beam
- **Begali Key Gift Certificate**
- **Club Shirts - 3** - your choice of color
- **K6TU Propagation Tools** by Stu Phillips
- **Palstar AT2KD Tuner**
- **Tom Schiller's "Array of Light"** Antenna Books
- **Green Heron Rotor Controller** - simply the best
- **Elecraft KX3 Transceiver** with ATU and Mic

**Save the Date - Hope to See You All on December 7!**

## **So You Want To Go On a DXpedition?**

**By Paul Ewing, N6PSE**

<http://n6pse.wordpress.com/>

I'm often asked, how does one get invited to join a DXpedition? That's a good question and one that I pondered myself for some time before I decided to mount my own DXpedition.

When I was asking that question, I was given some good and some poor advice. I was told that I must send/receive CW at 40WPM. Well I can't do that. I was told that I must win a major contest. Well, as much as I love DXing, I'm not one to operate continuously for 24-36 hours at a stretch. My QTH is not in any way competitive for contesting, so I've not tried.

The best way to get invited to join a DXpedition is to conduct one's self as a solid, mature and disciplined operator. It's good to attend IDXC at Visalia or the Hamvention in Dayton and rub elbows with those in the DXpeditioning circles. Let them know who you are and what you can do.

Some of the major DXpeditions are seeking fast rate or elite operators. DXpeditions to less rare locations are seeking collaborative team members who want to have fun and make thousands of contacts. This is probably the best place to start.

The Intrepid-DX Group believes in developing operators on DXpeditions. When possible, we welcome newer DXpedition members and give them coaching and mentoring. We look for eager people who display great attitude along with aptitude. Stamina and perseverance are important. DXpeditioning is not easy or for the timid. You often travel for 30 hours straight to get to your destination. Just when you feel like going to bed, you set up your antennas and stations. Then you operate for 4-6 hours before you sleep. This is always the biggest challenge for me. Fortunately, upon arrival my adrenalin kicks in and I am so excited to get set up and on the air. There is always time for sleep later!

DXpeditioning is expensive! Each operator is always responsible for their travel to/from the destination. You are responsible for your boat passage or hotel/meals onsite. The donations that are made to the DXpedition cover costs such as shipping equipment, paying customs fees and buying consumable items that must be replaced on each trip. DXpeditioners should expect to spend \$5000 to \$10,000 in total to fully participate in a DXpedition.

One must also properly set their expectations. DXpeditions do not stay in luxury. Everything is done to keep the costs down. Team members must be prepared to do a myriad of tasks including carrying and loading items, refueling generators and sometimes cooking!

All in all, participating in DXpeditions is really fun and I highly recommend it. Probably the best part is the long term memories and friendships that you make on the various trips. DXpeditioners are special people and they thrive on the excitement and the chase. DXpeditioning has enhanced my life and I hope it enhances yours as well.

73,  
Paul, N6PSE





October 6, 2013

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## **NCDXF ANNOUNCES ESTABLISHMENT OF W700 CONTRIBUTION CHALLENGE**

The Northern California DX Foundation is pleased to announce the establishment of the W700 Contribution Challenge.

Long-time DXer Bill Everett, W700, has issued a challenge to the worldwide DX community to contribute to NCDXF: Bill will match contributions received by NCDXF from October 15 to the end of December 2013.

This is a terrific opportunity to make your contribution count. If your employer has a matching contribution program your gift of \$50 will result in \$200 to NCDXF! There are many DXpeditions coming on the air over the next year, so please take this unique opportunity to have your dollars count and make it possible for NCDXF to support additional DX expeditions.

As a reminder, for those contributors who file United States income tax returns, contributions to NCDXF are tax-deductible as NCDXF is a Section 501(c)(3) entity with the IRS.

For over 50 years, NCDXF has funded major DXpeditions to many Most Wanted countries. The credit for these large grants goes to the NCDXF contributors who make DX like this possible. Have you contributed yet? [www.ncdxf.org](http://www.ncdxf.org)

Glenn Johnson, W0GJ  
Vice President, NCDXF

## NCDXC DX Ladder

All Entity Counts Must Already Be Confirmed With LOTW-QSLs or QSL Cards

Call Sign	DXCC	Chal	160m	80m	40m	30m	20m	17m	15m	12m	10m	6m
K6TA	377	2764	212	295	332	301	339	325	332	305	320	3
K5YY	375	2636	196	289	240	297	340	314	278	294	287	101
W6OAT	373	2607	133	279	327	270	339	315	336	284	320	4
N7NG	372	1826	166	205	257	140	320	158	266	121	191	2
K6RIM	367	2310	45	173	299	289	340	308	324	255	268	9
K5JB	367											
K6ANP	365	1395	58	167	218	73	320	84	240	41	190	4
N6JV	360	2815	189	263	318	321	338	327	334	310	322	93
W6CUA	357		18	168	246	179	352	190	329	134	297	1
K6XN	355	1713	13	138	212	131	328	201	285	162	240	3
N6TA	354	1446	0	127	195	120	283	199	221	140	161	0
AJ6V	354	939	16	118	153	2	282	6	201	1	160	
K6SQL	354											
W6CYX	353	1666	109	166	211	143	270	140	229	167	230	1
W6DPD	353	1153		21	21		320	168	253	126	193	51
W6OSP	353	242	178	10	17		16	2	8	2	9	
NI6T	352	2772	229	286	330	319	339	326	329	301	309	4
K6MD	351		1	6	68	9	128	9	74	3	53	1
W6KM	350	465		65	100		100		100		100	
K6KLY	349	2398	99	181	285	249	335	303	253	272	314	107
AG6Q	349			100	100		100		100		100	
KX6C	349											
KC6AWX	348	2189	36	158	269	233	337	301	315	243	285	12
W6EKR	348			123	146		338	211	316	141	234	
W6NWS	347	2056	144	200	289	161	329	190	305	152	285	1
K6UM	345	2043	29	135	205	168	327	286	307	244	282	60
N6TV	345	1036	41	147	207	2	271	3	202	1	160	2
K6CTA	345											
KI6CG	343	1785	79	152	191	97	320	180	284	146	267	69
W6OD	343	1726	12	101	151		321	283	310	255	293	
N7TW	342	1022	0	127	100	4	318	21	221	6	225	0
AC6HY	342		19	255	236	9	316	216	271	56	199	1
K8JRK	341	1063	1	151	169		293	17	233	12	187	
K6KO	339	2236	153	227	293	236	317	242	282	224	262	0
W6QUV	338	2172	118	152	298	262	311	271	263	238	203	56
K6BZS	336	1416	37	122	202	103	279	136	240	123	173	1
N6TQ	334	1949	44	159	249	213	307	230	270	227	250	
K6YP	333											
N3RC	332	1738	50	139	201	172	299	222	278	135	239	3
K6IPM	332	1287		72	145		311	211	232	146	170	
N6ATD	332	845	1	83	113		247	59	165	40	137	

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K6SIK	329		11	138	181	123	306	178	253	159	235	
K6MM	327	1448	36	109	195	127	296	168	234	120	157	6
W6YD	319			19	5		204		127		114	
K2RD	314	1581	72	142	215	70	292	172	253	126	234	5
N6NU	313	1261	22	106	199	117	243	156	216	77	123	2
W6JJW	309	740	0	3	73	19	224	90	152	59	120	0
WX6W	309	563	0	26	70	19	200	22	104	20	102	0
K6DY	308	934	7	11	25	1	221	152	201	133	177	6
K9YC	306	1810	127	181	230	165	272	229	235	177	183	11
KE1B	300	1355	15	67	160	90	273	207	232	141	166	4
W6EKR/M	297			5	4		196	61	230	13	104	
W6DR	290	970	67	83	122	43	246	48	191	13	153	4
W6OPO	287	746	1	18	84	12	237	81	165	23	124	1
W6RK	285	1147	19	76	189	112	250	135	176	63	125	2
K6MKF	279	865	2	12	56	17	187	103	215	108	163	2
N6BM	276	910	1	22	89	40	219	143	209	70	117	0
W6PK	274	555	0	9	50	3	222	40	151	13	67	0
EA2RY	273		1	60	134	72	208	99	233	60	126	43
K6BV	256	519	0	3	23	0	227	14	154	11	87	0
W6GJB	253	644	0	36	87	30	159	73	155	8	92	4
NR6M	245	785	0	1	60	1	177	131	187	93	134	1
NE5EE	244	618		7	24		192	95	147	85	68	
N6WM	243	936	35	75	144	33	203	94	170	55	124	3
AE6RR	228	637	3	38	70	26	183	70	122	27	96	2
N6NKT	210											
K6ML	205	332	0	2	18	6	70	43	129	28	33	3
N6DVR	204	327		3	8	1	95	28	69	10	113	
N6MM	204		1	8	56		143	84	128	52	102	6
W6NN	201	474	4	26	53	3	149	48	125	20	44	2
WD0FAA	195	391	7	20	69	20	78	16	102	16	61	2
K6MMM	153	467	4	24	77	0	125	5	127	0	103	2
WT6X	138		1	26	70	15	105	54	36	18	35	1
KU6W	131	328	0	28	50	0	108	0	112	0	30	0
AG6HE	127	198	2	4	51	0	17	8	99	10	7	0
AI6RE	103	185	0	0	9	4	47	32	37	14	41	1
K6TU	100	208	13	12	39	0	75	2	49	0	17	1
K6MP	75	123	0	3	27	0	32	4	32	5	18	2
W6MSB	74	134	0	1	4	0	31	6	48	11	33	0
N6OI	71	128	0	1	8	0	33	6	42	1	37	0
WB6MRQ	46	75	0	1	7	0	14	3	21	1	28	0

### ClubLog League Reminder

Only callsigns active in last 12 months are included in ClubLog league tables (such as NCDXC League).

## How To Update Your DX Ladder Numbers

- For all DXCC and band counts, only include QSOs **for which you already have LOTW-QSLs or QSL cards.**
- **Entries in the ClubLog NCDXC DXCC League** are imported into DX Ladder if the member is registered at <http://www.clublog.org> and member log is uploaded at least once per year.
- **Members who prefer not to use ClubLog can use the web form at: [www.ncdxc.org/pages/dxladder.html](http://www.ncdxc.org/pages/dxladder.html) .** Band information is helpful but not required.
- The DXCC count includes current and deleted entities.
- **The Chal (Challenge) count is the sum of the current entity band counts (no deleted entities)** and is automatically calculated in the DX Ladder spreadsheet.

### Lee Shaklee, W6BH SK

Raleigh L. Shaklee, W6BH (1921-2013), passed away on September 23 after suffering a heart attack.

Lee was a successful businessman (Shaklee Corporation), investor, humanitarian, philanthropist, and a lifelong Amateur Radio Operator.

He was a long time member of the NCDXC, and one of the four founders of the Northern California DX Foundation, and one of its major funders. He was also most generous to a number of other Ham Radio organizations including the ARRL.

Lee was a spirited and deeply ethical man who was very loving and generous. He and his wife Claire, who preceded him in passing, passionately supported numerous causes, organizations and individuals. Their support continues through a number of charitable trusts and endowments.

Lee realized his lifelong dream of building a Ham Radio facility, second to none, on a mountaintop he acquired in Anza, CA ([www.W6BH.com](http://www.W6BH.com)). He was able to control and operate the complex facility from his home in Newport Beach. He enjoyed many hours of communication with other Hams all over the World.

Lee loved life and reflected this in all he did. He will be deeply missed by his family and many friends.

On a personal note: Lee was my friend and mentor for almost 50 years. I will miss his humor and wise counsel. May he Rest in Peace.

Donald, K6RV

## **Press Release - Wake Island K9W**

**Due to the U.S. Government shutdown, the Wake Island K9W Forgotten 98's Commemorative DXpedition is now on hold pending a revised schedule. We will announce new dates for the DXpedition as soon as possible. Thank you for your patience and understanding.**

**The K9W Wake Management Team  
<http://www.wake2013.org/>**

### **Items For Sale By Russ, K6KLY:**

**Ameritron RCS-8V Remote Antenna Switch, Like New Condition, \$129 + shipping as needed  
Yaesu MD-200 Microphone, top Yaesu mic, Like New, Non-smoker, \$229 + shipping as needed**

From Estate of W6EIO

Contact Russ, K6KLY, k6kly AT sbcglobal.net, Tel: 510-852-0002

### **Item For Sale By Dick, W6KM:**

**Hy-Gain Rotator # HDR-300, works excellent ... \$400**

**Astron Power Supply, never used # VS-35M  
Sells new for \$210 ... **only \$120****

Phone# 408/267-2624

### **Items For Sale By George, N6NKT:**

**LMR600 200ft with N Connectors \$225**

**Helper Instruments Sinadder Model S-101 \$50**

**Boonton 92EA RF Voltmeter \$200**

Contact George Williams, N6NKT, n6nkt AT yahoo.com, pickup from his QTH

### **Log Antenna For Sale By Noland, WB6CKT:**

**M2 Model 1330LP11 13-30 MHz**

**[www.m2inc.com](http://www.m2inc.com)**

It was professionally assembled on the ground, and then we realized it would Overhang our neighbor's yard by 7 feet or so ... and I miscalculated even the antennas on my roof ... it was then professionally disassembled and put back in the box and now resides under my house all protected ....

I think the list price is around \$1700 plus Tax.

**So how about \$1200 pickup or I would consider Best Reasonable Offer**

**Or trade straight across for a Kenwood TS990 :<)))**

Contact Noland WB6CKT  
Tel:650-595-8588 FAX 650-591-2891

**Send Your DX-Related Swap/Sale Listing to: dxer at ncdxc.org**

**To prevent outdated listings, ads will run for only one issue unless otherwise requested**

### **Upcoming Meetings:**

**Thursday Nov 21:** "Efficient and Portable Antennas for Travel & Portable Operating" by Glen Brown, W6GJB. Location: Holder's Country Inn, 998 S. De Anza Blvd, San Jose 95129

**Saturday Dec 7:** Holiday Luncheon, 11:00-3:00. Location: Michael's At Shoreline, 2960 N. Shoreline Blvd, Mountain View

### **Fill Out Your QSL Cards For The Buro**

Dick Letrich, W6KM collects members' QSL cards at the meetings for the Buro. Proof of current ARRL membership is needed. NCDXC pays the ARRL fees and shipping costs.

### **About the DXer**

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### **Club Repeater W6TI/R:**

Frequency/offset: 147.360 Mhz +, pl 110.9  
Control Operator: Richard Crouch, N6RC  
Maintenance: Peter Grabosky, W6OOL  
Trustee: Peter Grabosky, W6OOL  
Net Manager: Open  
Club simplex: 147.54 MHz (suggested)