



# *The Short Circuit*

**The March membership meeting will be held on Friday, March 17<sup>th</sup> at 7 pm on Skype.** The April executive board meeting will be held on Friday the 3rd at 7 pm, on Skype. Anyone having trouble using Skype, please [contact Tom K6IGY](#) for assistance.

## ***Prez Sez***

Our March luncheon at the Think Cafe was a success. Please try to attend on the 2nd Thursday of the month at 1:30 p.m.

Do not forget our Tuesday 2m net. It's held at 8:00 p.m., 147.240+, PL67. Nick, N6EFI, does a great job with it. If you don't have anything to say, just stop by and say hello.

If you have any items to donate for our fundraiser, please contact either me or Bill, KB6WKT. The sale will be held on Saturday, March 25th at the TRW Swap Meet.

Field Day is coming and will be held on June 23-25. Please plan to participate. Let me know whether you are interested in operating a station, such as digital, satellite, or VHF. Our big Phone and CW stations are planned, and you can also operate on these.

Steve Mandich, K6NT  
President



**The 2023 Field Day weekend will be June 24, 25, 2023.  
The new logo for 2023 will be displayed when available.  
It is not too soon to begin planning for this year.**

DATE	TIME	CALLED/WORKED	REPORT		FREQ. EMISSION	POWER	TIME OF ENDING QSO	OTI
			SENT	RCVD				
3-13	2015	VE7FYP	599	448	21/131.9	100	2030	WINDY
✓	2200	KADTMS	599	599	21/12.4	✓	2212	WALACE MID
✓	2202	N6DYZ	57W	599	21/1424	✓	2225	ELU
"	2245	KB4MEZ	589	579	21.1289	✓	2300	PAUL
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4-9	1529	W8XHG	569	579	21062	80	1538	ROALPH DAVISH
"	1550	KILL	599	599	14044	100	1551	SPRINT
"	1557	WRFB	589	599	21062	80	1600	HOWARD SYRACUS
"	1613	K99ZPT	569	589	21110	"	1620	CURT MONTIC
"	1627	LUGEOH	579	559	28014	90	1630	BOB BO
"	1647	LUBFAW	549	559	28059	"	1652	RUBEN
"	1659	K1ZX	559	599	28020	"	1700	FLOREN
"	1707	W6YVY	599	599	7032	100	1717	CHLET
4-11	2000	W8RHTB	56	57	28258	80	2002	RAY
	2002	K13KDALE	57	59	"	"	2003	PAT
	2003	W9UNW	59	59	"	"	2005	JACK-B
	2007	K99ZTQ	57	57	"	"	2008	JIM L
✓	2125	W4ACM	57	55	21339	100	2130	CARL
✓	2135	KG9D	59	59	21293	100	2142	NORM
✓	2145	WASTX1	59	59	28370	100	2150	10/10 KETC
4-11	2345	N4EUP	559	569	21056	100	2354	KEU
4-12	2140	W4HAN	559	569	21046	"	2153	Doc.

### Station K6AA Update

Take a look at the picture...this is the first log page of log book #1 from K6AA at the Maritime Museum. It shows a cw contact with a Canadian station on 3/13/1988...after three other contacts, the date jumps to 4/9/1988 for further contacts. This means that sometime between March 13<sup>th</sup> and

April 9<sup>th</sup>, we will celebrate our 35<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of live contacts from K6AA at the Los Angeles Maritime Museum.

We (as K6AA) have been invited to participate in the April 15<sup>th</sup> Los Angeles Maritime Museum Special Event. Instead of opening at 12 noon, the Museum that day will open at 10 am. We have been asked to supply one of the judges for their lego contest. It would also be a great time to officially celebrate our 35<sup>th</sup> anniversary! If anyone would like to be part of a special event, or design a special event QSL card for us, please contact Steve (K6NT).





Los Angeles Maritime Museum  
Presents



## The Lego Shipbuilding Contest

Saturday, April 15, 2023

10:00 am— 2:00 pm



- ◆ Build a ship using museum bricks
- ◆ Compete for fun prizes in your age category!
- ◆ Free Admission and Free Parking!
- ◆ All ages and abilities are welcome

Los Angeles Maritime Museum  
Berth 84, Foot of 6th Street  
San Pedro CA 90731



For more information call 310-548-7618 and  
visit [www.lamaritimemuseum.org](http://www.lamaritimemuseum.org)



City of Los Angeles Department of Recreation and Parks  
Council District 15

Sponsored by the Friends of the Los Angeles Maritime Museum

Reasonable accommodations will be made with prior arrangements. All programs are subject to cancellation.

The contest is neither endorsed by nor sponsored by The Lego Group.


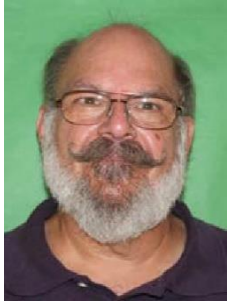





~ March 2023 ~						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b> URAC BOD meeting, Skype, 7 pm.	<b>4</b>
	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b> URAC 2 meter Roundtable, W6MEP Repeater 147.240 +600, PL of 67 Hz	<b>8</b> International Women's Day	<b>9</b> World Kidney Day U URAC Luncheon, Think Café, San Pedro, 1:30 pm	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b>
<b>12</b> Daylight Saving Time Begins	<b>13</b> 1st Recorded QSO from K6AA at the LAMM <b>35 Years !</b>	<b>7</b> URAC 2 meter Roundtable, W6MEP Repeater 147.240 +600, PL of 67 Hz	<b>15</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b> Saint Patrick's Day	<b>18</b>
<b>19</b>	<b>20</b> Spring Begins	<b>7</b> URAC 2 meter Roundtable, W6MEP Repeater 147.240 +600, PL of 67 Hz	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b>
<b>26</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>7</b> URAC 2 meter Roundtable, W6MEP Repeater 147.240 +600, PL of 67 Hz	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>31</b>	


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<b>9</b> Easter 	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b> URAC 2 meter Roundtable, W6MEP Repeater 147.240 +600, PL of 67 Hz	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b> URAC Luncheon, Think Café, San Pedro, 1:30 pm	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b> LAMM Lego shipbuilding contest
<b>16</b>	<b>17</b> Tax Day (Taxes Due)	<b>18</b> URAC 2 meter Roundtable, W6MEP Repeater 147.240 +600, PL of 67 Hz	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b> URAC Membership meeting, Skype, 7 pm	<b>22</b> Earth Day
<b>23</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b> URAC 2 meter Roundtable, W6MEP Repeater 147.240 +600, PL of 67 Hz	<b>26</b> Admin. Professionals' Day	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b> Arbor Day	<b>29</b>

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## URAC 2023 Executive Board

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Check out the special events page on [k6aa.org](http://k6aa.org) for the latest from ARRL and e-ham net.

### *Additional Calendar Notes*

**“VE/CE Session for Amateur and Commercial Licenses** by appointment. Go to <http://k6aa.org/licensing-exams/> If no candidate schedules an exam, there won't be an exam team or exam material available.

#### **Club Roundtable**

Held weekly on Thursdays, at 8pm, on the  
W6AM Repeater  
145.480 MHz PL100 Hz

#### **Club Meetings**

- 1..Lunch meeting at the Think Café,  
2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday 1:30-4 pm**
- Virtual meeting held monthly on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Friday of the month, 7:00 pm, via Skype. Link sent by Tom K6IGY; if having difficulty, [contact Tom K6IGY](#).



The Museum is at the Foot of 6<sup>th</sup> Street. The museum is open Wednesday through Sunday 12 to 5. K6AA is open when the museum is open. To be cleared to operate the station, please contact Scotty, k6ZNL at [k6znl@arrl.net](mailto:k6znl@arrl.net).