

Next Meeting

The next meeting of the society will take place on Tuesday May 3rd, at the Marconi College, Arbour Lane, Chelmsford commencing at 7:30pm. There will be a film show presented by Dick Brocks G3WHR including a film about the development of the Essex 70cm repeater GB3ER and another on the general topic of direction-finding. The repeater film will be preceded by a short-talk about GB3ER given by yours truly. Anyone who has seen Dick's films will know the high standard to which he works and the evening should be very entertaining.

Alexandra Palace Trip

Sunday May 8th, meet at the car park next to the County Hotel at 9am. There is no parking charges on Sundays so leave your cars there all day. There are still a few seats left on the coach so if you would like to go along please ring Les G4CUT on Chelmsford 66993 (evening) or Chelmsford 53221 X65 (day). Ally Pally is a very good exhibition and has an excellent raffle where a portable t.v. set can be won (ask Tony, G5IX!).

Direction Finding

The next event will be on Sunday 22nd May with Tony, G5IX as hidden station. Start as usual at Galleywood Common behind the church at 2pm.

The April hunt was won by Arthur, G3KPJ with Dick, G3WHR second. Arthur came in after 23 minutes which must be close to a record, well done Arthur.

Committee Meeting

Wednesday 11th May, 7:30pm, at the Wheatsheaf, New Street.

NFD Meeting

Tuesday 17th May, 8pm QTH G3KRZ.

QSL Cards

Members employed by the Marconi Company are reminded that QSL cards are available free. However, you must arrange for overprinting of callsign yourself. The new agent for this service is Bill, G4CUE.

Future Meetings

Please note that the date of the June meeting is now May 31st (who forgot about Jubilee day then?). Peter Waters will be talking about his range of gear.

The July meeting will be the annual contractor's competition so get your latest absorption wavemeter project finished.

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