

SOUTH EAST RADIO GROUP – CONVENTION 2015 GENERAL PROGRAM as of 01/06/2015

Contacts - VK5SR on 146.900,

Final Program

SATURDAY 6th JUNE 2015

Event 1: 1100 - 1230 Sniffer Hunt on 2 metres – The frequencies that we may use are 144.000, 144.250, 144.500, 144.750, 145.000, 145.250, 145.300, 145.500, 145.700, 145.750. The number of transmitters that will be used will be advised before the event commences. Also they will not be setup in any specific frequency order but randomly. **At 1045** we will all meet at the car park in the lakes area just before you drive down into the Valley Lake at 37.845121s 140.767082e - Sniffers to be setup in and around Valley Lake.

12:00 – 16:00 – Registration & entry to the hall. Admission fee is \$5.00 (Note: admission fee covers both days)

Hall is located in Margaret St LAT 37.832206s LONG 140.775851e

**** Note –Parking at the rear of the Hall is for Fox-Hunting Teams and Traders ONLY.**

**** Note – Parking in the 3 places in the front of the Hall is for the Serg Fox Hunting Event Starters and Serg Foxes**

ALL other vehicles must be parked in the Olympic Park Complex, just west of the Hall on the same side of the road or on Margaret St.

Event 2 14:30 – 16:30 Multi Transmitter 2m on 146.525MHz FM

Start Location: 37° 57.2573' S, 140° 51.633 E Quarry south side of Sea Coast Hill Rd just near Hell's Hole. (Same as last year)

This event is based on an ARDF foot event. 4 Transmitters on the same frequency will transmit 30sec on, 90sec off each in sequence so that only one transmitter is on at a time. Each transmitter will be uniquely identified by a morse code ident. Competitors will be released one at a time at 2min intervals, to prevent follow the leader and start congestion. Competitors waiting to depart will not be allowed to enter their vehicles until 15sec prior to their departure time. Time of departure will be recorded as will the time of arrival at the designated finish line.

All competitors will be required to complete an information card to prove they have found each of the 4 transmitters. Other tokens may also be employed. The transmitters can be found in any order. Competitors will be required to carry a GPS logger on their vehicles. Competitors are required to restrict themselves to 100km/hr.

Competitor achieving identical times will be scored equal.

Event 3 has been combined with Event 2 for this year.

Event 4: 1930 The Wayne Kilpatrick Memorial Night “Multi-Leg” Fox Hunt Cost

Start Location: SP3 Saleyards as usual.

1st Leg 2 Mx on 146.525FM, 2nd Leg 70cm on 439.025FM 3rd Leg 2 Mx on 146.550FM

4th Leg 6 Mx on 52.100FM, 5th Leg 10 Mx on 28.450USB

Again this year each leg must be hunted in the above order for this event, controllers are contactable on Ch.6 repeater (146.900) at all times. It is essential that any team that withdraws from this event after its start MUST advise SERG (VK5SR) via Ch 6 repeater (146.900) to avoid an emergency services callout. This is important as search costs may be significant. Loss of points for Sunday events is being considered for failure to notify. This is for your safety.

SUNDAY 7th JUNE 2015

09:00-14:00 - Registration & entry to the hall : Admission fee is \$5. (Note: admission fee covers both days)

Event 5: 0900 – 10:00 Sniffer Hunt on 2 metres. See Event 1 for details of frequencies

Start Location: Botanic Park 37.841174S, 140.776859E Carpark just off Keegan Drive. Same location as last year. GPS coordinates from Google Maps.

Event 6: 1015 - 1200 Triple Leg 70cm-2m-70cm

Start Location: Event 5 will be the start location for this event.

1st. Leg 439.000 MHz.

2nd. Leg 146.525 MHz

3rd. Leg . 439.025 MHz

Event 7 – Home Brew 1300-1330

Judging of the Home Brew & Announcement of the Results (Sections will cater from Foundation to Expert). Please enter your projects in support of Home-brewing –. Trophy Presentation at the hall after 17:00.

Event 8: 1300 - 1445 *Triple Leg 3 Band Fox Hunt*

Start Location: SP2 = 37.805860s 140.729397e (Grassed Area at '5' Corners on the Millicent Road)

1st Leg 2 Mx. Fox Hunt. 146.525 MHz

2nd Leg 80 Mx. Fox Hunt. 3.585 MHz LSB

3rd Leg 6Mx Fox Hunt 52.100 MHz FM

Event 9: 1530 - 1615 1.2 GHz. Fox Hunt on 1296.000 MHZ

Start Location: SP5 = 37.844792S, 140.770469E (First Carpark after the roundabout before going into the Valley Lakes)

1700 - 1830 – Short Talk and Trophy Presentation

This year there will be a couple of presentations as well as Trophy Presentations. These will be held at the Convention venue the Scout Hall in Margaret Street.

1830 (approx) - **Dinner at Convention** 1st Mount Gambier Scout Hall Margaret Street. immediately following the presentations there will be a dinner, price \$25.00 per person, for those who wish to celebrate and brag or commiserate and cry with food and drink. **Booking in advance is required.** Please contact the club at VK5SR@wia.org.au for bookings.

Starting Points for Fox Hunts – These are some of the locations that will be attached to events when all is completely finalized.

SP1 = 37.849013s 140.765019e (Grassed Area South of the Lakes on Bay Road as per previous years)

SP2 = 37.805860s 140.729397e (Grassed Area at '5' Corners on the Millicent Road as per previous years)

SP3 = 37.858719s 140.881051e (Saleyards, Princess Hwy, Glenburnie as per previous years)

SP4 = 37.842925s 140.775214e (Carpark at Lakes)

SP5 = 37.844792S, 140.770469E (First Carpark after the roundabout before going into the Valley Lakes)

The cost for all of the fox hunts, including the sniffer hunts this year is \$30.00 per team. Payable at the first event where you will receive your tokens for the weekend.

Please note this program will be updated at least 1 week out from the Convention, advising fox hunters of the starting locations for all events.