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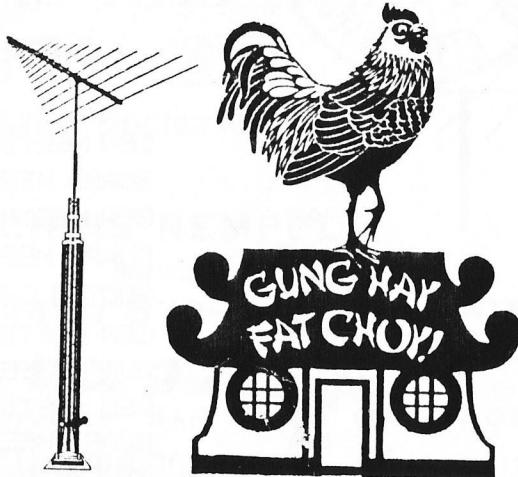
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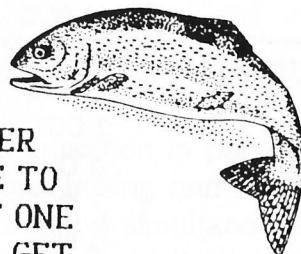
HAPPY CHINESE
NEW YEAR 4691
1993
YEAR OF
THE ROOSTER



SPEAKER OF THE MONTH

LATEST FROM ANDY VIA PACKET : & LANDLINE

POOR ANDY CAN'T KEEP 'EM ON THE HOOK ! THE SCHEDULED/ALTERNATE SPEAKERS HAVE BEGGED OFF DUE TO VARIOUS REASONS (XYL'S, KIDS, DINNER ENGAGEMENTS) AND ANDY WILL HAVE TO DO SOME LAST MINUTE MAGIC TO GET ONE ON THE STRINGER ! STAY TUNED AND GET READY TO BE IMPRESSED !



VIA VE3FZK

DINNER WITH THE SPEAKER

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Su Hong ??????
Restaurant

EL CAMINO OFF RAVENSWOOD, MENLO PARK, 5:45 PM ON MEEETING FRIDAY

FEBRUARY 5TH !



1993 CALENDAR VIA WA6LNV *

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| 5 FEB | GEN MEETING |
| 10 FEB | BOARD MEETING |
| 5 MAR | GEN MEETING |
| 10 MAR | BOARD MEETING |
| 13 MAR | FOOTHILL FLEA MARKET (PAARA) |
| 2 APRIL | GEN MEETING |
| 7 APRIL | BOARD MEETING |
| 7 MAY | GEN MEETING |
| 12 MAY | BOARD MEETING |
| 22 MAY | SPRING PICNIC / W6VG QTH |
| 4 JUNE | GEN MEETING |
| 9 JUNE | BOARD MEETING |
| 26-27 JUNE | PAARA FIELD DAY 1993 |
| 9 JULY | GEN MEETING |
| 14 JULY | BOARD MEETING |
| 6 AUG | GEN MEETING |
| 11 AUG | BOARD MEETING |
| 10 SEPT | GEN MEETING |
| 15 SEPT | BOARD MEETING |
| 1 OCT | GEN MEETING |
| 6 OCT | BOARD MEETING |
| 9 OCT | PAARA AMPLEX AUCTION |
| 5 NOV | GEN MEETING |
| 10 NOV | BOARD MEETING |
| 3 DEC | GEN MEETING |
| 8 DEC | PAARA HOLIDAY DINNER |

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3RD SATURDAY OF EACH MONTH STARTING AT 11 A.M.

*DATES SUBJECT TO CHANGE

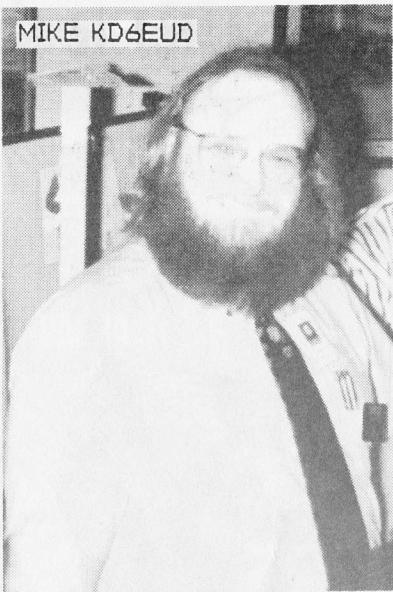
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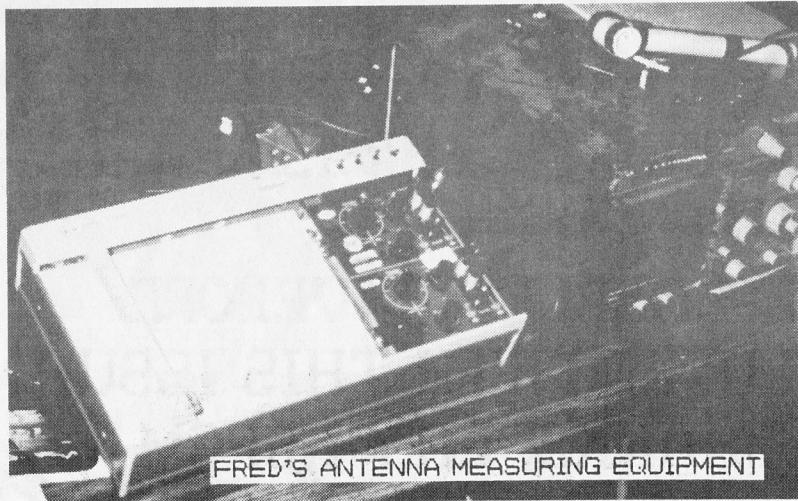
PLEASE PAY YOUR DUES BY
MARCH 15 IF YOU WANT TO BE
INCLUDED IN THE 1993 PAARA
ROSTER.
(PRE-LABELED ENVELOPE
INCLUDED WITH THIS ISSUE.)
THANKS, LILY N6PGM



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COAX (I.E. COALITION OF AMATEUR <E>XPERIMENTERS) MEMBERS/AM
MEMBERS MIKE KD6EUD & ED KD6KCA MET UP WITH FRED DIETRICH
MEETING--- & IT WAS A GOOD MATCH TO SAY THE LEAST... <DE N



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FOLLOW-UP PHOTO -- 1/23/93
COAX GROUP ANTENNA PRODUCTION
SESSION. LEFT: MIKE KD6EUD FILING
DOWN ALUMINUM TUNING STUBS.
RIGHT: ED KD6KCA CHECKS OUT THE
COMPONENT TABLE.



PHOTOS
DE
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IN RECOGNITION OF EXCELLENCE

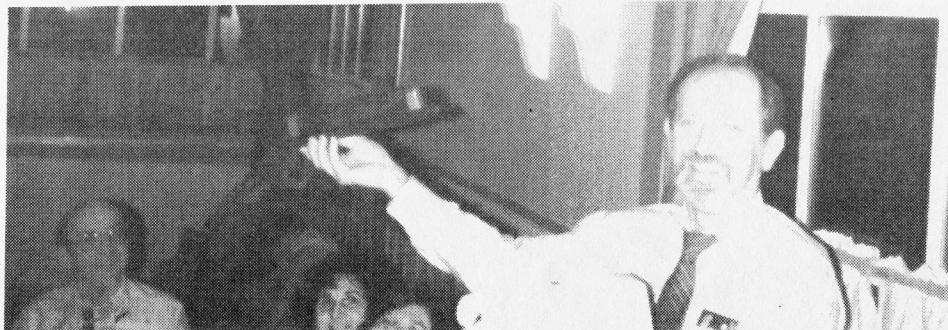


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in special recognition of excellent contributions to PAARA
as club President, past, present and future

December 9, 1992 *Lily Anne Hillis N6PGM*

TREASURER/HOSPITALITY CHAIRPERSON

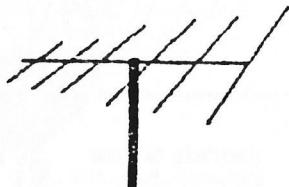


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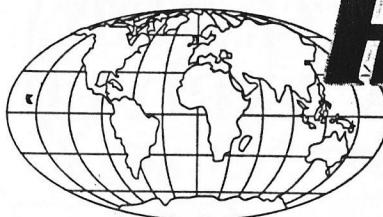
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de Rich, W6APZ



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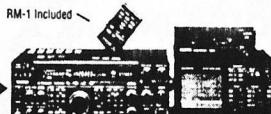
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73... Mike KB6LCJ from KB6LCJ @ NOARY

