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Equipment Exchange Night Set For February 5th

The NPARC's annual super event, better known as the "Auction" will be held on Friday, February 5, 1982 at the Westminster Presbyterian Church Hall. The Church is located at the northeast corner of Plainfield and Mountain Avenues in Berkeley Heights. (This location is approximately 3 miles west of Bell Laboratories, Murray Hill, on Mountain Avenue.) Members will want to bring their recyclable equipment treasures for sale. Guests will want to come ready to bid on the merchandise. It is understood that some really good items are likely to be on the block--a Drake transceiver and other similar items, possibly. The rules of the auction are reproduced below.

NO MEETING ON FEBRUARY 8th

The regular meeting normally held on Monday, February 8, 1982 has been cancelled because of the auction. See the next item for the details of the meeting on the fourth Monday.

Timely Topic Scheduled For February 22nd Meeting

During this chilly winter--one of the coldest on record--many have wondered about the addition of extra warmth to their homes. We have an expert coming to tell us about Practical Applications of Wood Stoves and Other Alternative Sources of Energy. For the meeting on Monday, February 22, 1982 we have Mr. Kenneth Marsh, Director of Environmental Engineering for Union County. Mr. Marsh will provide just the details we have wanted to know about in connection with this most appropriate subject. We should then be well prepared to take action before the next below freezing January [1983?].

For Sale

40-Foot tower. Burt Heacock, W2USJ is moving to a warmer climate and is leaving his tower behind. If interested, call Burt at 464-0046.

NPARC Auction Rules

1. Items to be auctioned may be tendered in one of two ways:
  - A. Donation of item to the NPARC.
  - B. Member maintains ownership until item is sold.
2. Donated items and auction proceeds therefrom become the property of the NPARC at the time of the sale. Anyone may donate items to NPARC for auction.
3. Proceeds from items tendered for auction, which have not been donated, will be given to the owner when the auction is over, less a 10% fee or \$10.00, whichever is the lowest amount. Only NPARC members may tender items for such sale.
4. A minimum price should be set by owners. The Auctioneer may ask the owner to reduce his minimum if there are no offers at the minimum price. The owner may withdraw the item if he or she wishes.
5. All items, whether donated or tendered for sale, must be marked with the identification of the donor/seller.
6. The Auctioneer is authorized to: a) bid for his own account; b) combine donated lots; c) ask for a reduced minimum sale price; d) use diverse techniques in obtaining bids; e) withdraw or cancel a price progression or sale if some inequity is found to exist.
7. Successful bidders will consummate their purchases with the cashier immediately.
8. All unsold items, whether donated or tendered for auction, must be removed from the premises by the donor/seller if the item is not sold.