

### SARC RADIO NET NUMBERS/CHECK INS

Weekly HF Dawn Patrol - 35 - For week ending Thur 12MAY2022.

Monday - 6 Tuesday - 5

Wednesday - 6

Thursday Net - 7 - 2 metres Woodburn.

3 – 6 metres Parrots Nest.

5 – 70cm Parrots Nest. See Thursday-Net Report below.

Friday 80m Net - 4

SARC nets and times <a href="https://sarc.org.au/nets-broadcasts/">https://sarc.org.au/nets-broadcasts/</a> **Upcoming Events** https://sarc.org.au/events/

SUNSHINE COAST HAMFEST Sun 29th MAY @ 1000-1400hrs AEST See image link below

> **COMMITTEE MEETING** Sun 12<sup>th</sup> JUN @ 1300hrs

Tuesday-Net Report

DIGITAL MODES

Paul VK2AMT

#### **TUESDAY 10 MAY. 2022**

Here's another Digi net report. No screenshot this week, I forgot! There are, however, two images attached from the mobile phone SSTV experiment on Thursday.

Another Tuesday evening rolls around, another Digi Net. Joining Paul VK2AMT as VK2SRC were: Jeff VK2WSR, Duncan VK2DLR, Chris VK2ACD and John VK2ZJJ. As usual, after our normal couple of rounds of personal news and chat Duncan Jeff and I QSY'd to our normal HF frequency of 7.046 USB, for another go with Fldigi and Olivia 8-500.

Well, the noise was pretty horrid on 40 metres and Duncan's first over was only decoded at about 80% and the next one was lucky to be 30%. Unbelievably bad conditions considering our closeness. Neither of us could decode Jeff and he couldn't hear us either. Clearly, 40 metres was a washout. Jeff asked via a mobile phone text whether 80 metres was worth a go. I had a re-tune and found 3.590 USB to be clear, so the three of us gathered there.

What a difference, solid audio and waterfall displays and 100% decoding accuracy from both. Jeff was S6 and Duncan S5 with the RF gain at maximum. The noise at my QTH in town was only S3. It was so good that it will be worth trying again if 40 metre propagation falls in a hole. Thanks to Duncan and Jeff for their support and to all who logged in.

Cheers from Paul VK2AMT (as VK2SRC)

#### Thursday-Net Report

#### PHONE APP EXPERIMENT

- Paul VK@AMT

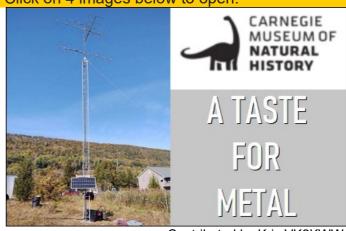
After the net Jeff (VK2WSR) wanted to experiment with a mobile phone app that converts an image to SSTV tones. Jeff wanted to check if close coupling the phone with the radio's microphone would result in the successful transmission of a SSTV image. It did, it worked! The first image suffered from crazy slant but a radio re-tune resulted in a much better image. Thanks Jeff. Good experiment!





WSR-1 WSR-2

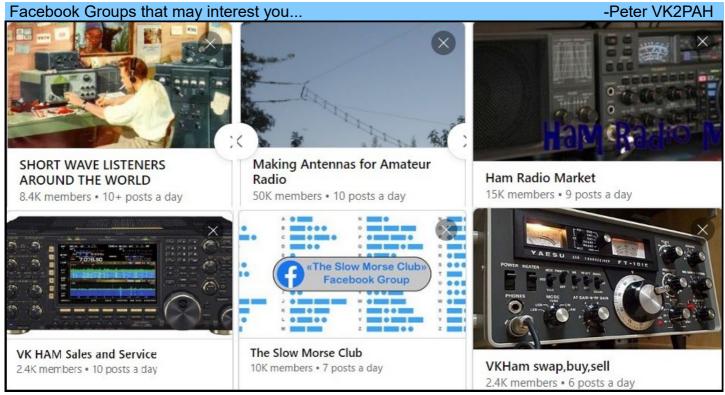
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Contributed by Kris VK2KWW.







How to find a good cheap radio.

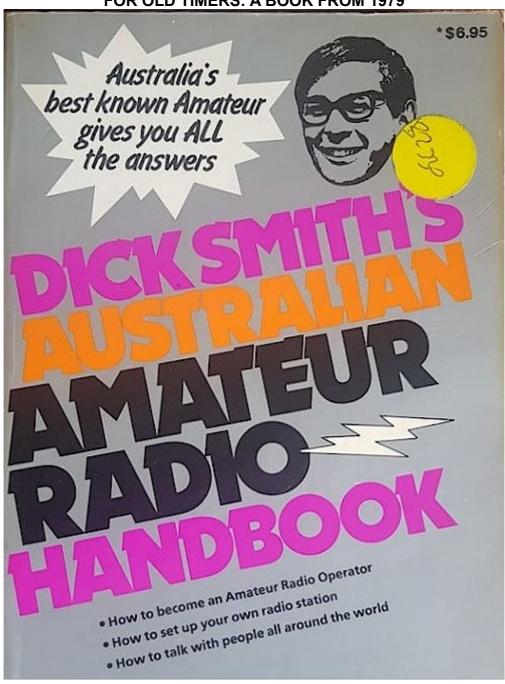
Looking for a married woman, recently cheated on, mad, or scorned, who is willing to sell her husband's radios cheap.

## 6-DAY LISMORE (FORECAST). Click image to open METEYE (2480 for East Lismore).



Forecast for East Li	smore					
	Tue. 17 May	Wed. 18 May	Thu. 19 May	Fri. 20 May	Sat. 21 May	Sun. 22 May
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Max (°C)	23	25	21	21	20	20
Min (°C)	18	15	15	13	14	14
Chance of rain (%)	70	30	60	80	95	95
Rainfall range (mm)	0 to 2	0 to 0.2	0 to 1	0 to 4	6 to 10	5 to 10

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