

Glendora Emergency Response Communications  
Annual Dinner and Member Recognition Meeting  
January 18, 2011



The meeting was held at the Casa Jimenez Restaurant in Glendora, CA.

Dinner started at about 6:00 p and the Annual Members Meeting began at 7:00 pm.

**Guests:**

Richard, KG6TRD and Janet **Anderson**

Scott **Armstrong**, KF6RPA

Frank, KG6TQV and Ruth **Bigelow**

Roy **Bishop**, KG6RGD

Jim, KG6VBM and Margaret, KG6VBL **Burton**

May **Cheng**, KE6QVJ

Larry **Cude**, KE6EOL

Mark, N7YLA and Carolyn, KG6RFJ **Hayden**

Donny **Hayden**, KF6HZX

Jason and Melinda **Hertzberg**

Tom, KI6YCC and Janet **Higham**

Howard **Hiwiller**, KI6CFN

Steve **Horstmann**

Rich **Koch**, KG6MXP

Tom **Morgon**, KB6JVE

Florante **Pineda**, KI6CEW

Erik **Willett**

Pat **Wilson**, KG6LQQ



Early arrivals for dinner at 6:00 pm. Twenty-four guests attended this event.



Left to right clockwise starting at back: Rich KG6MXP, May KE6QVJ, Howard, KI6CFN, Roy KG6RGD, Tom KB6JVE, Pat KG6LQQ, Florante, KI6CEW.





Frank, KG6TQV takes photos of the group. Clockwise from left: Janet and Richard KG6TRD, Ruth, Melinda, Pat KG6LQQ and Tom KB6JVE.



Guests socialize after dinner. Center: Larry KE6EOL



Erik Willett, Future Ham Radio Operator!



Left to right: Frank KG6TQV, Jason and Melinda, Janet and Tom KI6YCC

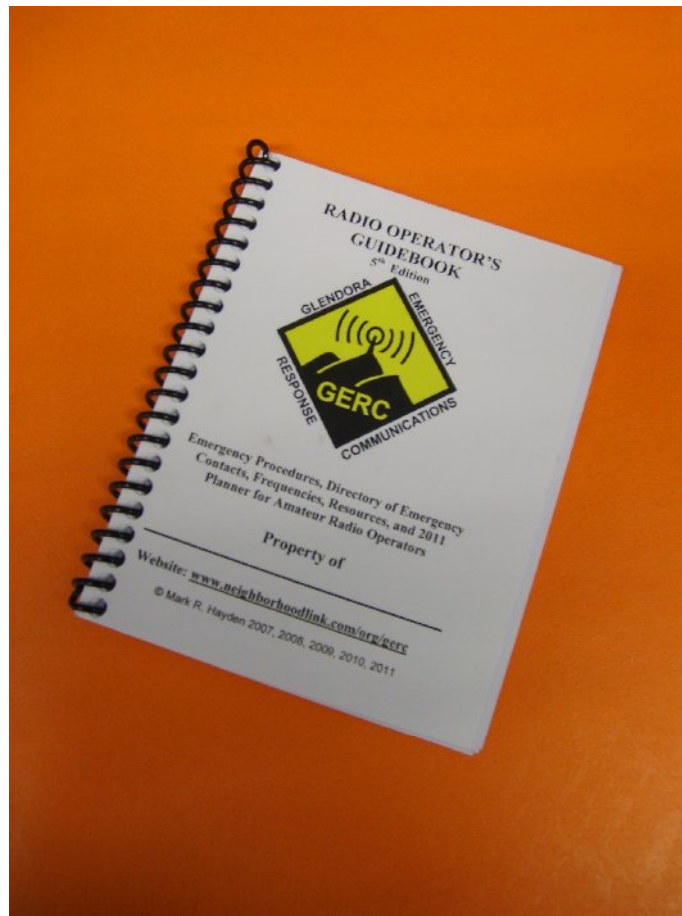




Left to right: Scot KG6RPA, Steve (not visible), Larry, KE6EOL,  
Margaret KG6VBL, Jim KG6VBM, Florante, KI6CEW



Mark N7YLA and Carolyn KG6RFJ



Radio operators received their new 2011 GERC Radio Operator's Guidebook.



Mark N7YLA Introduces the Special Awards



Steve Horstmann, Covina Christmas Parade Committee Chairman  
receives a token of thanks from GERC



Steve reviews the 2010 Parade and thanks the  
GERC hams for their volunteer service to Covina.





Steve shows group photo of Parade Hams.

This is the sixth year of GERC participation in radio communications at the Covina Christmas Parade. Each year we enlist 24 volunteers who relay important communications to Parade Staff and Announcers and become the eyes and ears of safety along the Parade venue.



# Radio Ops



Special Achievement Award – Roy Bishop KG6RGD  
2010 Covina Christmas Parade W6C Net Control.



Left: Roy KG6RGD Special Award recipient.



2010 ARRL Field Day Dx Award winner is Tom Higham, KI6YCC



Tom receiving his Award and Tie Clasp





Special Award – 2010 Solder Smoke Award for Outstanding Project of the Year

Awarded to Frank Bigelow, KG6TQV



Frank KG6TQV receiving the Solder Smoke Award



ARRL ELMER AWARD – Richard Anderson KG6TRD



Richard KG6TRD receives the ELMER Award



ELMER Award for Frank Bigelow KG6TQV



ELMER Award for Jim Dowdle, KG6TQT





A Ham Radio Tie Clasp was presented to KG6TRD, KG6RGD, KI6YCC, KG6TQT and KG6TQV for their outstanding participation and commitment in GERC Radio Operations in 2011.

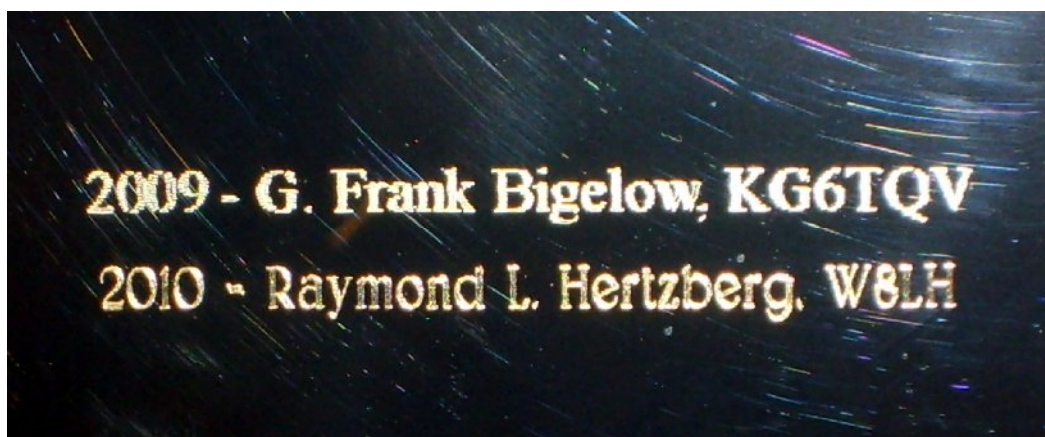


The 2010 25 OHM AWARD was presented to Ray Hertzberg, W8LH.

His son Jason received the award for him. Ray is currently in Guam on a Church Mission.



This is the 25 Ohm Award



Frank Bigelow KG6TQV was the 2009 recipient and Ray Hertzberg W8LH is the 2010 recipient. Their names are inscribed on this **perpetual plaque** which was inspired by GERC members who inadvertently drove a ground rod through a water pipe at Field Day in 2005. Therefore all recipients must perform a humorous “unintentional act” while serving at a radio operating event.

**THE END**

**See You at the Annual GERC  
Member Recognition  
Next Year!**