

Awards Directory

Including recipients up to December 2024

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Pretoria Amateur Radio Club

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About this Awards Directory

For many years, the awards records of the PARC were maintained manually in a tome.

The pages that follow chronicle operating achievement, service to amateur radio and service to the PARC in particular over well over half a century. It covers more than half of the entire history of radio communications! Its publication on the Internet is a deliberate attempt to honour those achievements, but also to show what can be done. Especially the operating awards provide measurable goals that one can pursue. Have a look at these pages and choose yourself an operating goal. You may be pleasantly surprised by what you can achieve!

A word about Listed Dates

PARC Honours are listed with the year in which they were awarded. Most such awards are given for lifetime achievements.

PARC HF Awards are listed with the year in which the activity took place. These trophies are normally handed out at the following year's February meeting.

PARC Chairmen, although elected at the August and later the December AGMs, are listed with the coming year.

Technical awards and Watts awards are listed with the year in which the work was published, and are also handed out the following year.

Operating awards are listed with the application date. In general, these awards are based on cumulative lifetime achievements.

Tjerk ZS1J/ZS6P
Cape Town December 2024

PARC Honours

Honorary Life Membership

The PARC's highest honour.

2006	Hal Lund	ZS6WB
2007	Nico van Tonder	ZR6VT
	Tjerk Lammers	ZS6P
2009	Andre van Tonder	ZS6BRC
2023	Almero du Pisani	ZS6LDP

Past Honorary Life Members

1989	Luther Uys	ZS6E
1997	Bill Ingleson	ZS6KO
2003	Viv Prince	ZS6BZS
2004	Bernie Ginsberg	ZS6ANU
2004	Callie Pistorius	ZS2CWP
2005	Stan Zway	ZS6SDZ
2011	Hans Kappetijn	ZS6KR
2011	'JB" de Beer	ZS6YV

Operating Awards

Pretoria Award

The Pretoria Award will be issued to any amateur station or listener who can provide conformation of contacts with or reports from five ZS6 stations listed below. GCR list. Fee is US \$2,00 or 4 IRC's. No QSL's should be included.

Eligible contacts:

1. Any member of the Pretoria Amateur Radio Club, including members at several other locations in division 6.
2. Any ZS6 station in or within a 25 km radius of Pretoria.

Apply to:

Award Custodian
PARC
P O Box 1259
Pretoria 0001
Republic of South Africa.

Tjerk Lammers, ZS6P
Awards Manager

This needs updating if we want to continue with the award.

Member list

This list is extracted from the official records of the Awards Manager.

Number	Name	Callsign
1	Chris	ZS6AVC
2	Gerrie	ZS6PA
3	?	
4		
5	Bernie	ZS6ANU
6	Bill	ZS6KO
7	?	ZS6OT
8	D. Wallace	ZS6BHS
9	Chris	ZS6EZ
10		ZS6AWE
11	Arnold	ZS1ANT
12	Tinus Lange	ZS6TL
13	Hansie	ZS6AIK
14	Gordon	ZS6AGV
15		ZS6RS
16		ZS6GW
17		ZS2QB
18	Arnold Kruppen	ZS4BP
19	Pieter	ZS6BOB
20	L. de Klerk	S8AAT
21	N. Prinsloo	S8AAP
22	Derek Siegel	ZS1DP
23	Reg Sweet	ZS5CO
24	Koji Sugihara	JJ1UMS
25	Nancy Robinson	KC4IK
26	P.J. Retief	ZS6UD
27	Rudy vd Walt	ZS3TL
28	A.S. Hill	VK6AH
29	Fred J King	W8GDA
30	H Van Schie	ZR6RS
31	K Stanford	VK4VKB
32	George Luxon	VK5RX
33	Neil Davidson	VK3NIQ
34	AA George	VK3BFD
35	Rex Guy	VK2DQD
36	Norman Buchanan	VK3BNU
37	B. Peirce	VK3NXU
38	Barry S Clarke	VK5BS
39	Arthur Pantazis	VK3VUC
40	Carl e Fischer	KH6LT
41	C E Muxlow	VK5NIZ
42	M J Havey	VK5NXQ
43	B vd Westhuizen	ZS4PD
44	Bernie McIvor	VK4NSB
45		KH6CP
46	Mike Russo	KA2LGL
47	Chris Bauer	W9RF
48	Jim Cardin	K0REF
49	Richard A Mahler	W1DQH
50	Howard M Sherer	AE3T
51	Lawrence R Waker	N3CQM
52	Jim Humphrey	N7EFE
53	Roy Swanson	W6CZY

54	Charles Brandriff	KV2T
55	Dr John W Reasoner	WA4QMQ
56	Ben Butcher	N6ANU
57	John L Rouse	KA3DBN
58	Bobby J Pistol	KE4IF
59	Venessa Hines	N9CXR
60	William J Salemme	KA4ORA
61	John Bravis	W0EKS
62	Derick Retherford	N9DOK
63	Dale Dickenson	NU4O
64	Joe Franco	N1CBM
65	Samual Smith	W1IHS
66	Roger A Linton	W2ZY
67	Chris Burger	ZS6BCR
68	Bud Voortman	ZS6CK
69	"Brazz"	ZR6UV
70	Pat Verner	ZS6BZJ
71	Richard Osborne	NV4X
72	M D Wilson	VK3VMW
73	Charlotte Erlett	5Z4CM
74	G L Rogers	VK6RO
75	Stan Jones	ZS1T
76	Paul Sterling	ZS6BMF
77	C L Loter	ZS1WQ
78	Joe Katzman	ZS6TB
79	Bill	D68WB
80	Trusty Taylor	ZS4TT
81	Andre van Wyk	ZS6-835
82	Ewald Bartunek	OE1-0140
83	Terry Bauman	KB8CUS
84	Nathan Rosen	W2-6893
85	Dale Hartman	VK2FPM
86	Vlad Velickko	UA6YHR
87	Robert Smith.	VK3YU
88	Steve Campbell	NH6SG
89	Tuck Kuwada	KH6DFW
90	George Heloa	KH6QR
91	George Florinskij	UB5LRS
92	Vlad Chernego	UZ1CXF
93	John Heaver	VK3VNI
94	Greg Thornthwaite	VK5PGT
95	Jeno Matzon	HA5FA
96	Dallas Carter	K3WUW
97	Pat Hibbs	KH6OE
98	Alan Martins	ZS6AUH
99	Carl Dennis	NX3A
100	Roy Alexander	ZS6MI
101	Carlo	IK6DPW
102	Sam Hall	GM2AOL
103	Ken Frankcom	G3OCA
104	Brian Campbell	GM0FQQ
105	Larry Tracy	VK2VLT
106	George Radovitch	N7JCZ
107	Joe Banando	KC6QXU
108	Jerry Summers	N0SYU
109	Hein Fromman	ZS6Q
110	Johan v Rooyen	ZS6AAG
111	Debbie Shepard	KA1WTO
112	Jim Whittlesey	KC4RHW
113	Ken	KB9GKG

114	Bill	KA1LHO
115	Willy Williams	ZS6WT
116	Rich Bocchino	AA2AH
117	John Maners	WA4AAJ
118	Chely Sties	KD4ATO
119	Steve Sties	KC4LOR
120	Ed	N5PTR
121	Russ Meyers.	VK3PCN
122	Don Milner	ZS6AQS
123	Don Blackburn	ZS6CRT
124	Max	W4PAD
125	Bertus Portinga	PA3EQU
126	Peter Hepburn	ZS6CGS
127	Steve Koeller	ZS6MPL
128	Ken Pickersgill	ZS6NB
129	Sue Blackburn	ZS6SUE
130	Dino Cottis	ZS6DNO
131	Harry Kanowitz	ZS6AMP
132	Dwight West	ZS6NT
133	George Anderson	KA1AAU
134	Bill Booth	N2SRW
135	"Carl" Carlota	PY2DBU
136	Earle R Drake	W1KBV
137	Charles Barr	WA3YWI
138	Steve J Spulock	N1DSN
139	Deborah	KB1AOV
140	Egbert Hertsen	ONL-4003
141	Mary Jane Herrington	KA3WWG
142	Bernard Jerry	VK4MWK
143	Wally Slone	K8TNF
144	David	KA4VZO
145	Bill	N8JOA
146	Tom Bridges	ZS6WLN
147	Klaus Ruttig	DL9MAT
148	Frank Dawson	KB4CUP
149	Gyula Vago	HA0IS
150	Paul Keller	K8EJN
151	Novakovic Ratko	YU1NR
152	Felix H Montelongo	EA8SH
153	Sebastian Wessels	ZR6BW
154	David Kehat	4X6DK
155	Vic Tomkin	EA8/G4KEE
156	Leo vd Horst	NL-11553
157	Haruo Ishiba	JE1REU
158	Dave	WA8IOF
159	John Grubestic	N0NRI
160	Pete Tetschlag	DL7UEO
161	Rainer Scheer	DL1GDA
162	Edwin Musto	ZS5BBO
163	Robert Howlett	M0AQB/ZS6BRR
164	Dennis Green	ZS4BS
164	Malcolm J Chapman	ZS6ML

VHF Awards

Jack Benett Five-Metre Trophy

For VHF/UHF/ 6 m activity.

1934	N H Auret	ZU6W	
1934	L E Green	ZT6G	
1936	S C Pleass	ZT6K	
1949	L Howes	ZS6HS	
1953	Colin Duff	ZS6AAO	
1954	P G Hoogenhout	ZS6P	
1964	Gys De Vries	ZS6AKO	
1965	Gys De Vries	ZS6AKO	
1966	Gys De Vries	ZS6AKO	
1967	Gys De Vries	ZS6AKO	
1969	Gideon Zietsman	ZS6OG	
1970	Denis Brown	ZS6EK	
1971	Julian Bouttell	ZS6AOU	
1973	Chris De Souza	ZS6AVC	
1974	Horris Dainty	ZS6IY	Horace?
1976	Horris Dainty	ZS6IY	
1977	Hansie Meyer	ZS6AIK	
1978	Chris De Souza	ZS6AVC	
1979	Dave Larsen	ZS6DN	
1980	John Erasme	ZS6G	
1981	Giel Van Niekerk	ZS6NG	
1982	Arnold Mynett	ZS6BMS	
1983	Arnold Mynett	ZS6BMS	
1984	Don Stewart	ZS6IA	
1985	Giel Van Niekerk	ZS6NG	
1986	Hal Lund	ZS6WB	
1987	Hal Lund	ZS6WB	
1988	Arnold Mynett	ZS6BMS	
1989	Hal Lund	ZS6WB	
1990	Hal Lund	ZS6WB	
1991	Robert Boulanger	ZS6ARC	
1992			
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1995			
1996	Rudi Venter	ZR6VE	
1997	Rudi Venter	ZR6VE	
1998	Rudi Venter	ZR6VE	
1999	Hal Lund	ZS6WB	
2000	Hal Lund	ZS6WB	
2001	Hal Lund	ZS6WB	
2002			
2003	Not awarded		
2004			
2005			
2006	Not awarded		
2007	Pine Pienaar	ZS6OB	
2008	Pine Pienaar	ZS6OB	
2009	Craig Symington	ZS6RH	
2010			
2011	Not awarded		
2012			
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2020	Covid	
2021		
2022	Jan Pienaar	ZS6OB
2023	Jan Pienaar	ZS6OB
2024		
2025		

HF Awards

Best HF Operator

1995	Johan Sevenster	ZS6JHS
1996	Bill Ingleson	ZS6KO
1997	Hans Kappetijn	ZS6KR
1998	Hans Kappetijn	ZS6KR
1999		
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2002		
2003	Bill Ingleson	ZS6KO
2004	Bill Ingleson	ZS6KO
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Best HF Operator SSB Only (Highest Points)

1995	Ken Pickersgill	ZS6NB
1996	Ken Pickersgill	ZS6NB
1997	Ken Pickersgill	ZS6NB
1998	Don Milner	ZS6AQS
1999		
2000		
2001	Rudi Venter	ZS6DX
2002	Rudi Venter	ZS6DX
2003		
2004		
2005		
2006		
2007		

Best HF Operator CW Only (Highest Points)

1995	Ed Willers	ZS6UT
1996	Ed Willers	ZS6UT
1997	Hans Kappetijn	ZS6KR
1998	Hans Kappetijn	ZS6KR
1999		
2000		
2001	Bill Ingleson	ZS6KO
2002	Rudi Venter	ZS6DX
2003		
2004		
2005		
2006		
2007		

Rally Awards

Roy Alexander Rally Trophy

For best support of rallies.

1987	Tinus Lange	ZS6TL
1988	Farrell Segall	ZS6RW
1989	Andre Van Tonder	ZS6BRC
1990	Tinus Lange	ZS6TL
1991	Daniel Zeelie	ZR6AUS
1992		
1993		
1994		
1995		
1996	Ken Pickersgill	ZS6NB
1997	Kobus Conradie	ZR6D
1998	Kobus Conradie	ZR6D
1999		
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2001		
2002		
2003	Bill Ingleson	ZS6KO
2004	Richard Peer	ZR6CK
2005	Johan de Bruyn	ZS6JHB
2006	Andre van Tonder	ZS6BRC
2007	Johan de Bruyn	ZS6JHB
2008	Johan de Bruyn	ZS6JHB
2009	'JB' de Beer	ZR6YV
2010	Johan de Bruyn	ZS6JHB
2011	Johan de Bruyn	ZS6JHB
2012	Johan de Bruyn	ZS6JHB
2013		
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2015		
2016		
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2019		
2020	Covid	
2021	Graham Reid	ZS6GJR
	Joey Reid	
2022	Graham Reid	ZS5GJR
	Irene Myburgh	ZS6IEA
	Johan de Bruyn	ZS6JHB
	Pieter Myburgh	ZS6PAM
2023	Graham Reid	ZS5GJR
	Irene Myburgh	ZS6IEA
	Johan de Bruyn	ZS6JHB
	Pieter Myburgh	ZS6PAM
2024		
2025		

Other Awards

Eric Brook Memorial Constructors Trophy

(HF constructors trophy)

1967	Dick Chaplin	ZS6AJM
1968	Gerrit Erasmus	ZS6PA
1969	Dick Chaplin	ZS6AJM
1970	Peter Whitworth	ZS6-235
1971	B Ackerman	ZS6ACK
1972	Julian Boutell	ZS6AOU
1974	Hennie Smit	ZS6BQ
1975	Bill Ingleson	ZS6KO
1976	Chris De Souza	ZS6AVC
1977	Ivan Lister	ZS6AUT
1978	Ivone Billingham	ZS6-230
1979	Derek Lambert	ZS6ATL
1980	Farrell Segall	ZS6RW
1981	Farrell Segall ????	ZS6RW
1982	Vincent Harrison	ZS6BTY
1983	Bill Ingleson	ZS6KO
1984	Pat Verner	ZS6BZJ
1985	Deryck v Loggerenberg	ZS6KQ
1986	Roy Alexander	ZS6MI
1987	Pat Verner	ZS6BZJ
1988	Roy Newton	ZS6XN
1988	Chris De Souza	ZS6AVC
1989	Farrell Segall	ZS6RW
1990	Roy Newton	ZS6XN
1991	Hein Frommann	ZS6Q
1992		
1993	Frank Schneider	ZS6GE
1994		
1995		
1996		
1997	Hans Kappetijn	ZS6KR
1998	Hans Kappetijn	ZS6KR
1999	Bill Ingelson	ZS6KO
2000		
2001		
2002		
2003	Vitor	ZS6VG
2004		
2005	Alf Joubert	ZS6ABA
2006	Alf Joubert	ZS6ABA
2007	Pieter van Wyk	ZS6PVW
2008	Not awarded	
2009	Not awarded	
2010		
2015		

2020	Covid
2021	Not awarded
2022	Not awarded
2023	Not awarded
2024	
2025	

Roy Alexander VHF Constructors Trophy

VHF construction.

1987	Viv Prince	ZS6BZS	
1988	Arnold Mynett	ZS6BMS	
1989	Gordon Procter	ZS6AGV	
1990	Alan De Souza	ZR6AHL	
1991	Jacques Tredoux	ZR6ASP	
1992			
1993			
1994			
1995	Richard Peer	ZR6CK	Old call?
1996			
1997	Rudi Venter	ZR6VE	
1998	Not awarded		
1999	Edwin Peer	ZR6ESP	
2000			
2001			
2002			
2003	Ed Willers	ZSUT	
2004	Ivan Jancuska	ZS6CCW	
2005	Pieter van Wyk	ZS6PVW	
2006	Alf Joubert	ZS6ABA	
2007	Hans Kappetijn	ZS6KR	
2008			
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2019			
2020	Covid		
2021	Not awarded		
2022	Jan Pienaar	ZS6OB	
2023	Jan Pienaar	ZS6OB	
2024			

ZS6BLY Trofee

Best talk/ lecture:

2000		
2001		
2002		
2003	Pine Pienaar	ZS6OB
2004	Pine Pienaar	ZS6OB
2005	Hennie Esterhuizen	ZR6HEN
2006	Johan Lehman	ZS6JPL
2007	Roy ZS6XN	
2008	Roy Newton	ZS6XN
2009	Charles Signer	ZS6SIG
2010	Mark Lukinovitch	ZS6USA
2011	Wynand van Wyk	ZS6ARF
2012	Wynand van Wyk	ZS6ARF
2013		
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2020	Covid	
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2023		
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Valvoline DF Floating Trophy

Best DF hunter.

1964	Bill Ingleson	ZS6KO
1965	Doug Brook	ZS6AES
1966	Chris De Souza	ZS6AVC
1967	Doug Brook	ZS6AES
1968	Gerrit Erasmus	ZS6PA
1969	Jo Mccall ???	ZS6-265
1970	Bill Ingleson	ZS6KO
1971	Don Cohoe	ZS6EZ
1972	Pottie Potgieter	ZS6PB
1973	Chris De Souza	ZS6AVC
1974	Bill Ingleson	ZS6KO
1975	Chris De Souza	ZS6AVC
1976	Bill Ingleson	ZS6KO
1977	Arnold Mynett	ZS6BMS
1978	Pieter Swanepoel	ZS6BOB
1979	Bill Ingleson	ZS6KO
1980	Jac Roux	ZS6QA
1981	Arnold Mynett	ZS6BMS
1982	Pat Verner	ZS6BZJ
1983	Johan Smook	ZR6AIY
1984	Frank Schneider	ZS6GE
1985	Pat Verner	ZS6BZJ
1986	John Airey	ZS6CDI
1987	Arnold Mynett	ZS6BMS
1988	Chris De Souza	ZS6AVC
1989	Alan De Souza	ZR6AHL
1990	Bill Ingleson	ZS6KO
1991	John Airey	ZS6CDI
1992		
1993		
1994		
1995		
1996	Richard Peer	ZR6CK
1997	John Airey	ZS6CDI
1998	John Airey	ZS6CDI
1999	Richard Peer	ZR6CK
2000		
2001		
2002		
2003		
2004		
2005	Vince Harrison	ZS6BTY
2006	Hans Gurtel (joint) Pieter Human (joint)	ZR6HVG ZR6AHT
2007	Not awarde	
2008	Not awarded	
2009	Not awarded	
2010		
2015		

2020 Covid
2021
2022
2023 Not awarded
2024
2025

Hansie Meyer Deelname Trofee

For participation with meetings and club activities.

1987	John Airey	ZS6CDI	
1988	Pat Verner	ZS6BZJ	
1989	John Airy	ZS6CDI	
1990	Pat Verner	ZS6BZJ	
1991	Roy Martin	ZS6HH	
1992			
1993			
1994			
1995			
1996	Johan Sevenster	ZS6JHS	
1997	Richard Peer	ZS6UK	
1998			
1999			
2000			
2001			
2002			
2003	Jac le Roux	ZS6QA	
2004	Willie	ZR6WGR	
2005	Ivan Januska	ZS6CCW	
2006	Jaco Lubbe	ZR6JLL	
2007	'JB' de Beer	ZR6YV	should be Richard Peer ZS6UK?
2008	Ivan Jancuska	ZS6CCW	
2009	Richard Peer	ZS6UK	
2010			
2011	Pine Pienaar	ZS6OB	
2012	Pine Pienaar	ZS6OB	
2013			
2014			
2015			
2016			
2017			
2018			
2019			
2020	Covid		
2021	Hans Kappetijn	ZS6KR	
2022	Hans Kappetijn	ZS6KR	
	Pierre Holzhausen	ZS6PJH	
2023	Pierre Holtzhausen	ZS6PJH	
2024			
2025			

Desert Island Award

The serious fun award.

1972	Raymond De Wet	ZS6ALG
1973	Peter Whitworth	ZS6BMQ
1974	Dave (Faufer?)	ZS6BBF
1975	Don Cohoe	ZS6EZ
1975	Farrell Segall	ZS6RW
1976	Bill Ingleson	ZS6KO
1977	Raymond De Wet	ZS6ALG
1978	Raymond De Wet	ZS6ALG
1979	Bill Ingleson	ZS6KO
1980	Raymond De Wet	ZS6ALG
1981	Don Cohoe	ZS6EZ
1982	Farrell Segall	ZS6RW
1983	Frank Schneider	ZS6GE
1984	Bill Ingleson	ZS6KO
1985	Bill Ingleson	ZS6KO
1986	Don Cohoe	ZS6EZ
1987	Dave ?	A22KZ
1987	Ronnie Watt	ZS6BUG
1988		
1988	Freddie Calitz	ZS6JC
1989	Bill Ingleson	ZS6KO
1989	Tjerk Lammers	ZS6P
1990	Bill Ingleson	ZS6KO
1990	Farrell Segall	ZS6RW
1991	Jacques Tredoux	ZR6ASP
1992	Calie Pistorius	ZR6ADL
1993	Maureen Billingham	ZR6BOD
1994	Tjerk Lammers	ZS6P
1995	Eddie Wissels	ZR6EJW
1996	Hans Kappetijn	ZS6KR
1997	Marius Ferreira	ZS6CAV
1998		
1997	Bill Ingleson	ZS6KO
1998	Bill Ingleson	ZS6KO
1999	Bill Ingleson	ZS6KO
1999	Hans Kappetijn	ZS6KR
2000		
2001		
2002		
2003		
2004		
2005		
2006		
2007	Hans ?	
2008	Hans Kappetijn	ZS6KR
2009		
2010		
2015		

2020	Covid
2021	Not awarded
2022	Not awarded
2023	Not awarded
2024	

Sunny-Don Practical Assistance Trophy

For assisting others.

1979	Roy Alexander	ZS6MI
1980	Farrell Segall	ZS6RW
1981	Raymond de Wet	ZS6ALG
1982	Fanie Schonfeldt	ZR6EU
1983	Raymond de Wet	ZS6ALG
1984	Farrell Segall	ZS6RW
1985	Bill Ingleson	ZS6KO
1986	Farrell Segall	ZS6RW
1987	Chris De Souza	ZS6AVC
1988		
1989	Roy Newton	ZS6XN
1990	Viv Prince	ZS6BZS
1991	Francis De Souza	ZR6AUT
1992		
1993		
1994		
1995		
1996	Tjerk Lammers	ZS6P
1997	Roy Alexander	ZS6MI
1998	Roy Alexander	ZS6MI
1999	Marius Ferreira	ZS6CAV
2000		
2001		
2002		
2003	Almero Pisani	ZR6RY
2004	Hal Lund	ZS6WB
2005	Andre van Tonder	ZS6BRC
2006	Craig Symington	ZS6RH
2007	Almero	ZS6LDP
2008	Craig Symington	ZS6RH
2009	Gawie Basson	ZS6GJJ
2010	Fritz Sutherland	ZS6SF
2011	Fritz Sutherland	ZS6ASF
2012	Vincent Harrison	ZS5BTY
2013		
2014		
2015		
2016		
2017		
2018		
2019		
2020	Covid	
2021	Zack Pienaar	ZS6ZAK
	Gerrie Leonard	ZS6GTK
2022	Not awarded	
2023	Not awarded	
2024		

Pretoria Ham Spirit Trophy

For Ham Spirit.

1973	Chris De Souza	ZS6AVC
1974	Chris De Souza	ZS6AVC
1975	Farrell Segall	ZS6RW
1976	Bill Ingleson	ZS6KO
1977	Raymond De Wet	ZS6ALG
1978	Bill Ingleson	ZS6KO
1979	Roy Alexander	ZS6MI
1980	Farrell Segall	ZS6RW
1981	Raymond De Wet	ZS6ALG
1982	Fanie Schonfeldt	ZR6EU
1983	Raymond De Wet	ZS6ALG
1984	Gordon Procter	ZS6AGV
1985	Bill Ingleson	ZS6KO
1986	Farrell Segall	ZS6RW
1987	Chris De Souza	ZS6AVC
1988	Tinus Lange	ZS6TL
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2002		
2003	Andre van Tonder	ZS6BRC
2004	Johan Lehman	ZR6ANF
2005	Pine Pienaar	ZS6OB
2006	Nico van Tonder	ZR6VT
2007	Craig Symington	ZS6RH
2008	Nico van Tonder	ZR6VT
2009	Craig Symington	ZS6RH
2010		
2011		
2012	Fritz Sutherland	ZS6SF
2013		
2014		
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2019		
2020	Covid	
2021	Louis de Wet	ZS6SK
2022	Johan de Bruyn	ZS6GJR
	Irene Myburgh	ZS6IEA
	Graham Reid	ZS6GJR
2023	Johan de Bruyn	ZS6JHB
2023	Irene Myburgh	ZS6IEA
2023	Graham Reid	ZS6GJR

2024
2025

SARL Piet Roos Trophy

For best contribution to Watts.

1964	Wessel du Preez	ZS6-240
1965	Wessel du Preez	ZS6-240
1966	ChrisDe Souza	ZS6AVC
1967	Tubby Gilson	ZS6AJO
1968	Doug Brook	ZS6AES
1969	Gerrit Erasmus	ZS6PA
1970	Dick Chaplin	ZS6AJM
1971		
1972	Don Stewart	ZS6IA
1973	Tubby Gilson	ZS6AJO
1974	Raymond de Wet	ZS6ALG
1975		
1976	Bill Ingleson	ZS6KO
1977	Bill Ingleson	ZS6KO
1978	Bill InglesonBillBill Bill I Bill Ingleson	ZS6KO
1979	Bill Ingleson	ZS6KO
1980	Koos Wium	ZS6XF
1981	Greg Smith	ZS6BPL
1982	Pat Verner	ZS6BZJ
1983	Bill Ingleson	ZS6KO
1984	Don Stewart	ZS6IA
1985	Herman Swart	ZR6WK
1986	Arnold Mynett	ZS6BMS
1987	Farrell Segall	ZS6RW
1988	Hal Lund	ZS6WB
1989	Luther Uys	ZS6E
1990	Don Milner	ZS6AQS
1991	Bill Ingleson	ZS6KO
1992		
1993	Bill Ingleson	ZS6KO
1994	Don Blackburn	ZS6CRT
1995	Hans Kappetijn	
1996	Hans Kappetijn	
1997	Hans Kappetijn	ZS6KR
1998	Hans Kappetijn	ZS6KR
1999	Hans Kappetijn	ZS6KR
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2003	Hans Kappetijn	ZS6KR
2004	Hans Kappetijn	ZS6KR
2004		
2005	Paul van der Hoven	ZS6BAQ
2006	Hans Kappetijn	ZS6KR
2007	Hans Kappetijn	ZS6KR
2008	Hans Kappetijn	ZS6KR
2009	Hans Kappetijn	ZS6KR
2010	Hans Kappetijn	ZS6KR
2011	Hans Kappetin	ZS6KR
2012	Hans Kappetijn	ZS6KR
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2017		

2018		
2019		
2020	Covid	
2021	Louis de Wet	ZS6SK
2022	Louis de Wet	ZS6SK
	Hans Kappetijn	ZS6KR
2023	Louis de Wet	ZS6SK
2023	Vincent Harrison	ZS6BTY
2024		

Recognition Awards

ZSL Trophy

Most promising Non-Licensed member.

1964	Wessel Du Preez	ZS6-240
1965	Wessel Du Preez	ZS6-240
1966	Jan Hattingh	ZS6-237
1967		
1968	Jo Mccall	ZS6-265
1969	Pierre Botha	ZS6-269
1970	Doug Hutchinson	ZS6-225
1971	Stan Card	ZS6-239
1972	Gordon Procter	ZS6-250
1973	Stan Card	ZS6-239
1974	Kathy Faifer	ZR6CE
1975		
1976	1977	
1977	Ivone Billingham	ZS6-230
1978		
1978	Francois Drake	ZS6-233
1979	Derek Lambert	ZS6-238
1980	Peter Millar	ZS6-270
1981	Anna Erasmus	ZS6-229
1982	Raymond De Klerk	ZS6-227
1983		
1984		
1985	Alan Johnson	ZS6-254
1986	Bill Connan	ZS6-228
1987	Philipe Antunes	ZS6-239
1988	Alan Johnson	ZR6AOI
1989		
1990	Michelle Keegan	ZS6-233
1991	Ivone Billingham	ZS6-230
1991	Maureen Billingham	ZS6-231
1992		
1993		
1994		
1995		
1996	Katti Venter	ZR6KV
1997		
1998	Not awarded	
1999	Not awarded	
2000	Not awarded	
2001	Not awarded	
2002		
2003	Mike Newton	ZR6OLM
2004	Helen Newton	ZS6-
2005		
2006	Helen Newton	
2007	Vlasta Jancuska should be Suzette van Wyk?	
2008	Vlasta Jancuska	
2009	Not awarded	
2010		
2011		
2012		
2013		

2014	
2015	
2016	
2017	
2018	
2019	
2020	Covid
2021	Not awarded
2022	Sandra Greyling
2023	Joey Reid
2024	
2025	

Merit Awards

Rallies

2007

Roy Newton ZS6XN
Andre van Tonder ZS6BRC
Graham Reid ZR6GJR
Pierre Holtshauzen ZS6PJH
Chris Nagel ZS6BGH
Craig Symington ZS6RH
Hans Gurtel ZR6HVG
Ivan Jancuska ZS6CCW
Jaco Lubbe ZR6JLL
Johann de Beer ZR6YV
Richard Peer ZS6UK
Sander Wissing ZS6SWW
Chris Bothma ZS6LOG
Frank Schneider ZS6GE
Pat Schneider ZS6AVC
Menno Havelaar ZS6AGC
Willie Greyling ZR6WGR
Edwin Peer ZR6ESP
Doreen de Bruyn ZR6DDB
Johan de Bruyn ZS6JHB
Chris ZS3B/ZS6BGH

2021

Willie Greyling ZS6WGR
Sarina Greyling
Menno Havelaar ZS6AGC
Sandy Havelaar ZS6ICE
Johan de Bruyn ZS6JHB
Corrie de Bruyn
Graham Reid ZS6GJR
Joey Reid

2022

Willie Greyling ZS6WGR
Sarina Greyling
Menno Havelaar ZS6AGC
Sandy Havelaar ZS6ICE
Willie van Niekerk ZS6WVN
Annelie van Niekerk ZS6AVN

2023

Willie Greyling ZS6WGR
Sarina Greyling
Willie van Niekerk ZS6WVN
Annelie van Niekerk ZS6AVN
Piet Myburgh ZS6PAM
Irene Myburgh ZS6IEA
Graham Reid ZS6GJR
Joey Reid
Roy Newton ZS6XN

Fleamarkets

2021

Almero du Pisani ZS6LDP
Johan de Bruyn ZS6JHB
Corrie de Bruyn
Louis de Wet ZS6SK

2022

Almero du Pisani ZS6LDP
Johan de Bruyn ZS6JHB
Louis de Wet ZS6SK

2023

Almero du Pisani ZS6LDP
Johan de Bruyn ZS6JHB
Louis de Wet ZS6SK
Irene Myburgh ZS6IEA

Bulletin Readers

2021

Louis de Wet ZS6SK
Almero du Pisani ZS6LDP
Johan de Bruyn ZS6JHB
Irene Myburgh ZS6IEA
Johan Lehman ZS6JPL
Albert Schreuder ZS6SE
Hans Kappetijn ZS6KR

2022

Louis de Wet ZS6SK
Almero du Pisani ZS6LDP
Johan de Bruyn ZS6JHB
Irene Myburgh ZS6IEA
Johan Lehman ZS6JPL
Hans Kappetijn ZS6KR

2023

Louis de Wet ZS6SK
Almero du Pisani ZS6LDP
Johan de Bruyn ZS6JHB
Irene Myburgh ZS6IEA
Johan Lehman ZS6JPL

RAE Training

2021

John Minter ZS6LED

2022

John Minter ZS6LED

2023

John Minter ZS6LED

?
2008
Pierre ZS6PJH
Pieter ZR6AHT
Craig ZS6RH
Lynette ZR6LHT
Hans ZR6HVG
Vince ZS6BTY (Blockhouse activation)

Radiospraak (Voortrekkers)

2009
Sarel ZS6EK
Whitey ZS6JJJ
Richard ZS6UK

Auditing

2009 Elma Basson, sw of Gawie ZS6GJJ

Long membership certificates

In 2007 certificates were awarded to:

ZS6KO Ingleson, Bill 60 1946/11/01
ZS6KO ZS6JW Williams, Dave 60 1946/12/30
ZS6SDZ Zway, Stan 59 1947/07/01
ZS6AFG Rowland, Mike 58 1948/12/30
ZS6ANU Ginsburg, Bernie 55 1952/03/01
ZS6AIC Van der Lingen, Joe 54 1952/07/01
ZS6AUT Litster, Ivan 49 1958/04/05
ZS6AIK Meyer, Hansie 47 1959/11/30
ZS6BMF Sterling, Paul 44 1962/07/01
ZS6ARC Boulanger, Robert 41 1966/03/30
ZS6BRC Van Tonder, Andr, 32 1975/03/30
ZS6XN Newton, Roy 31 1975/10/01
ZS6QA Roux, Jac 28 1978/12/05
ZS6WB Lund, Hal 28 1978/12/05
ZS6P Lammers, Tjerk 28 1979/03/01
ZR6YV De Beer, 'JB' 28 1979/03/30
ZS6KR Kappetijn, Hans 27 1979/12/20
ZS6BZS Prince, Viv 23 1984/06/30
ZS6ABA Joubert, Alf 22 1985/04/15

2011 Certificates of Merit went to:
ZS5CH for repeater assistance;
ZS6JPL for Echolink en IRLP involvement;
ZS6SSW for D-STAR application and development

Long-time PARC Members

This list includes all known PARC member with at least 25 years uninterupted memberdhip.

Name	Callsign	Years	Join date
Sterling, Paul	ZS6BMF	62	1962-07-01
Van Tonder, Andre	ZS6BRC	49	1975-03-30
Newton, Roy	ZS6XN	49	1975-10-01
Lund, Hal	ZS6WB	46	1978-12-05
Lammers, Tjerk	ZS6P	45	1979-02-12
De Beer, 'JB'	ZR6YV	45	1979-03-30
Johan de Bruyn	ZS6JHB	29	1995-07-30

Updated 2024-12-08

The Trophies

Photographs of Individual Trophies

Chairmen of the PARC

1929	?	
1930	?	
1931	?	
1932	?	
1933	?	
1934	?	
1935	Wally Browning	ZU6E
1936	WH Lister	ZS6AF
1937	Brian Scallan	ZS6DU
1938	Brian Scallan	ZS6DU
1939	Frazer Alexander	ZU6B
1940	Brian Scallan	ZS6DU
1941	WW II	
1942	WW II	
1943	WW II	
1944	WW II	
1945	Bill Hobbs	ZS6BN
1946	Brian Scallan	ZS6DU
1947	Leon Verhijen	ZS6GF
1948	Leon Verhijen	ZS6GF
1949	Tom Cockbain	ZS6MY
1950	Leon Verhijen	ZS6GF
1951	Piet Hoogenhout	ZS6P
1952	Jack Bennett	ZS6AK
1953	Colin Duff	ZS6AAO
1954	?	
1955	?	
1956	?	
1957	?	
1958	Andy Roxburgh	ZS6AHL
1959	Richy Richards	ZS6ET
1960	Richy Richards	ZS6ET
1961	Bill Scheepers	ZS6ATV
1962	Tubby Gilson	ZS6AJO
1963	Don Stewart	ZS6IA
1964	Luther Uys	ZS6E
1965	Dick Chaplin	ZS6AJM
1966	Luther Uys	ZS6E
1967	Luther Uys	ZS6E
1968	Doug Brook	ZS6AES
1969	Doug Brook	ZS6AES
1970	Doug Brook	ZS6AES
1971	Doug Brook	ZS6AES
1972	Don Cohoe	ZS6EZ
1973	Luther Uys	ZS6E
1974	Luther Uys	ZS6E
1975	Brian Corlett	ZS6BLZ
1976	Bill Ingleson	ZS6KO
1977	Bill Ingleson	ZS6KO
1978	Don Stewart	ZS6IA
1979	Don Cohoe	ZS6EZ
1980	Gerrit Erasmus	ZS6PA
1981	Dwight West	ZS6NT
1982	Paul Sterling	ZS6BMF
1983	Paul Sterling	ZS6BMF
1984	Paul Sterling	ZS6BMF
1985	Tinus Lange	ZS6TL

1986	Tinus Lange	ZS6TL
1987	Chris de Souza	ZS6AVC
1988	Chris de Souza	ZS6AVC
1989	Paul Sterling	ZS6BMF
1990	Tjerk Lammers	ZS6P
1991	Tjerk Lammers	ZS6P
1992	Tjerk Lammers	ZS6P
1993	Bill Ingleson	ZS6KO
1994	Tjerk Lammers	ZS6P
1995	Don Blackburn	ZS6CRT
1996	Don Blackburn	ZS6CRT
1997	Tjerk Lammers	ZS6P
1998	Tjerk Lammers	ZS6P
1999	Herman Botha	ZR6HBA
2000	Herman Botha	ZS6HBA
2001	Hans Kappetijn	ZS6KR
2002	Hans Kappetijn	ZS6KR
2003	Hans Kappetijn	ZS6KR
2004	Hans Kappetijn	ZS6KR
2005	Almero du Pisani	ZS6LDP
2006	Almero du Pisani	ZS6LDP
2007	Almero du Pisani	ZS6LDP
2008	Johan de Bruyn	ZS6JHB
2009	Johan de Bruyn	ZS6JHB
2010	Johan de Bruyn	ZS6JHB
2011	Pierre Holtzhausen	ZS6PJH
2012	Pierre Holtzhausen	ZS6PJH
2013	Pierre Holtzhausen	ZS6PJH
2014	Pierre Holtzhausen	ZS6PJH
2015	Johan de Bruyn	ZS6JHB
2016	Johan de Bruyn	ZS6JHB
2017	Graham Reid	ZS6GJR
2018	Graham Reid	ZS6GJR
2019	Louis de Wet	ZS6SK
2020	Louis de Wet	ZS6SK
2021	Johan de Bruyn	ZS6JHB
2022	Louis de Wet	ZS6SK
2023	Louis de Wet	ZS6SK
2024	Louis de Wet	ZS6SK
2025		

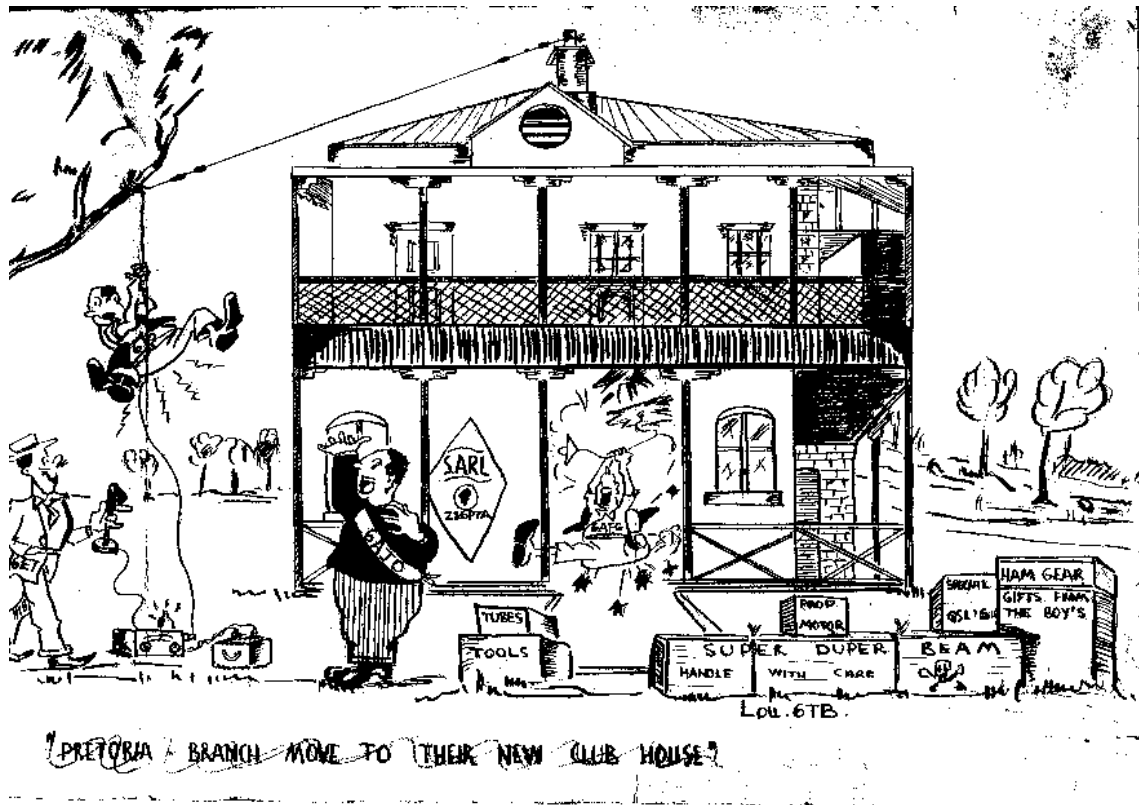
By the middle of 1940 only 4 members remained
Aubrey Jones acted as secretary until 1944.

Harold ZS6OT Chairman (Watts March 1976)

Club History

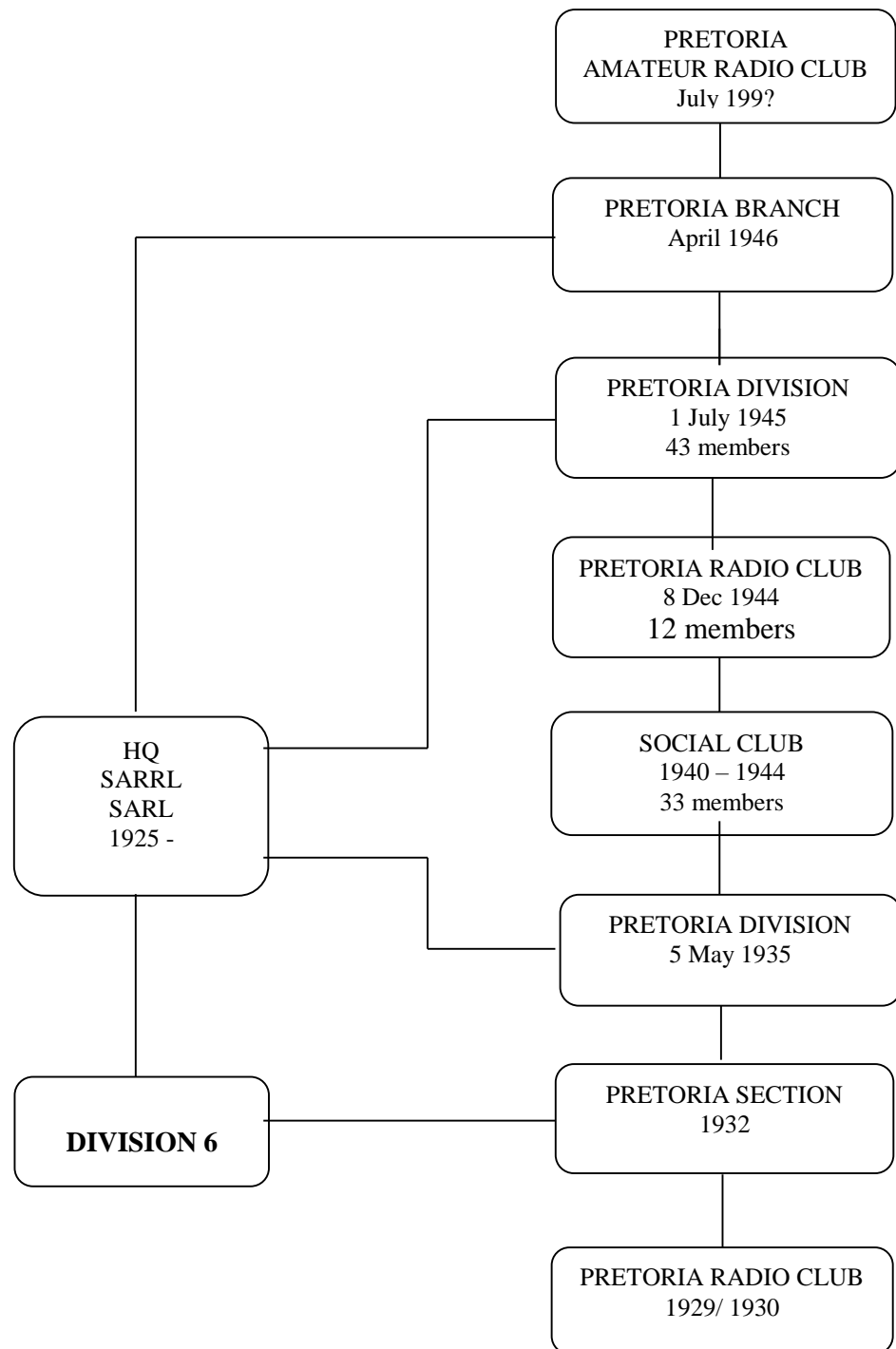
Deep in the past

Pretoria Branch clubhouse at 372 von Wieligh street - inaugurated on 9 June 1960.



Artist: Lou 6TB

Flow diagram of the history of the Pretoria Amateur Radio Club



By the middle of 1940 only 4 members remained.

From an original drawn by Don Stewart ZS6IA 28 Nov 1979

Notes on how old we are...

Watts December 1978

The November Branch meeting:

A letter from Frazer Alexander (ex ZS6DL, ZS4DL & ZU6B), now living in retirement in Hermanus, was read to the meeting. OM Frazer was active in amateur radio in Pretoria in 1928, and OM Koos van der Merwe (ZS1AW) has solicited the latter to try and help our branch determine the date of its own inception. The letter contained a lot of interesting information, but it was plain from this that in 1928 the local activities were, at most, those of the Pretoria Section of the Johannesburg Branch. Hence our branch could not yet be 50 years old.

Sent: Tuesday, June 15, 2004 1:34 PM

Subject: PTA history explained II

| To the committee:

| Attached the agenda for MONDAY evening 7pm.

| With regard to my previous emailed extract from Radio ZS Aug 1950:

| My deductions:

| 1. Summarizing from Radio ZS:

| -1930 Dec/Jan : PTA Radio Club formed (taking page 2 as correct)

| -1935 Jan 1 : Became PTA Section of Div 6

| -1944 Dec 8 : PTA Radio Club revived

| -1945 Jul 1 : League revived -PTA rejoined: all now League members.

| -1946 Easter : PTA now a Branch of the League

| 2. It was previously assumed by a previous Chairman that PTA was formed when it joined the League.

|(Hence Year 69 currently on top of page 1 of WATTS)

To be exact the 75th Jubilee year will commence in Dec 2004/Jan 2005.

*I attach a similar interpretation from WATTS July 1989 (60yrs1.gif) |though the next August issue front page (60yrs.gif) shows 1929-1989 which contradicts the July 1989 memo.

The first paragraph of the memo clearly states "60th year ..as from January until December 1990"

Adding 75 to this gives the 75th year to be from Jan-Dec 2005.

|3. Consensus here is a relatively urgent matter as the next issue of WATTS is to be finalized by approximately June 25 and reference to this is preferably required prior to the AGM.

|Hans ZS6KR

What is in a Name?

I have dug up some interesting articles from RADIO_ZS and Watts with the help of Paul ZS6BMF, Mike ZS6AFG and Pine ZS6GST, setting out the chequered past of our club's many names:

From the Pretoria Radio Club to the Pretoria Section of Division 6; the Pretoria Division; the Pretoria Radio Club; the Pretoria Branch of the SARL and finally to the Pretoria Amateur Radio Club.

It is also clear that when we set the 1st of January 1930 as our founding date, we could even be conservative in our estimate. Thus, your club's new callsign **ZS75PTA**, will heard on the air as from the 1st of January 2005!

This is the first of a series of articles to be published in Watts.

Tjerk Lammers ZS6P

PARC Historian.

Pretoria: It's Place in the S.A. Radio League

By Leon Verheijen ZS6GF

After careful consideration of the present status of the Pretoria and Pietermaritzburg Sections of the League, we feel that the time has come when they should be placed in direct touch with the Council and also given greater responsibility than at present. The members, and especially the leaders, of these Sections have shown great enthusiasm for Radio and the League and as a mark of appreciation of what they have done we think that they should now be given an opportunity of proving that they are able to run their respective Sections independently of their respective Divisions, but nevertheless, as a unit thereof....”

So read the annals of the League when, towards the end of 1934, the General Purposes Committee recommended to Council that:

“As from the 1st January, 1935, the **Pretoria Section of Division 6** and the Pietermaritzburg Section of Division 5, shall, provided that their respective membership does not fall below seven full members each, for the purposes of the Constitution be deemed to be Divisions and they shall accordingly have all the rights (save as may be otherwise hereinafter provided) and be subject to all the obligations of a Division of the League in terms of the Constitution.”

The recommendation concludes:

“The foregoing provisions shall be of a temporary nature and shall come into force on the effect on the 1st day of January, 1935. The Council reserves the right to cancel or amend them at any time.”

At a council meeting held on the 11th March, 1935, a letter from the Pretoria Section of Division 6, requesting full power to act as an individual sub-section within Division 6, was discussed and the request acceded to. On the 18th May, 1935, Council was advised that the Pretoria Section had been established. The hon. secretary of the Section wrote:

“At a meeting held at my shack on Sunday, 4th May, the last formal details were completed and the following Committee was elected: Chairman, ZU6E, WH Browning; Vice-chairman, ZS6AF, WH Lister; Treasurer, ZU6M, B Scallan; Secretary, AU6B, FA Alexander”.

“On behalf of the executive and the **Pretoria Division** as a whole, then, I wish to bring to Headquarters our respectful greetings and would like to express the hope that we may long continue to work together in complete harmony.”

And so another milestone in the history of the League has been reached.

Under the wise guidance and capable leadership of men such as O. M.'s Browning, Scallan, Alexander, Hobbs and others, the section firmly established itself. Needless to state, Council never saw fit to amend or cancel the concession.

At the end of 1935 the Section had nine full members and four associates, since when the numbers steadily grew. Monthly meetings were regularly arranged, and on the whole, well attended. In the Section's Annual Report for 1936, it was stated:

“The policy of arranging for meetings to be held at the homes of members, at their invitation, has been continued and has up to now proved successful. It has always been the endeavour of the Committee to make meetings as informal as possible and by this means foster the social spirit among members. When lectures were given they were always short and to the point, and discussion among members was encouraged.”

Paging through the records of the Section makes most interesting reading, but unfortunately neither time nor space permit elaborating on the highlights and tidbits of the Section's pre-war career. The outstanding feature gleaned from these records, however, is that the close and intimate contact, which the holding of meetings at the homes of members afforded, was undoubtedly the underlying reason, not only for that wonderful goodfellowship which was so characteristic in pre-war days, but

also why each and every member appreciated that League membership carried with it a definite responsibility. In consequence, the “responsibility” which had been vested in the Section was taken very seriously and on many an occasion the Section did not fail to make its voice heard in the affairs of the League.