

# Perfect Storm Exercise Information Sheet



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## Bolinas Transmitter Site KPH



Bob, Mark, Paul









THIS STATION WAS DESIGNED AND CONSTRUCTED  
BY THE

**RADIO CORPORATION OF AMERICA**

THE 200 KW HIGHER FREQUENCY ALEXANDERSON GENERATING  
EQUIPMENT WAS MANUFACTURED AND INSTALLED  
BY THE GENERAL ELECTRIC COMPANY

THE GENERAL ENGINEERING AND CONSTRUCTION WORK  
WAS PERFORMED BY THE  
J.G. WHITE ENGINEERING CORPORATION

1920

1920-1921















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# MARITIME RADIO HISTORICAL SOCIETY

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### A Visit To Marine Station KPH

A group of our members trekked out to Point Reyes to visit the ship to shore marine radio station KPH, the staff at KPH spent a good deal of time with us explaining the history of the station and its purpose of passing and receiving messages from ships at sea. The photos below tell a small story of our visit at the receiving station. Two members went on to visit the transmitting site in Bolinas and later joined up with us, many of their pictures will also be posted soon. Another opportunity was to use a straight key to send a Morse code signal on the Amateur CW Bands to other Amateurs who would be listening.









**RCA**



1985

**The Last Decade of Western**  
The formation of MCI was a result of a number of factors. In 1980, the company was founded as a result of a merger of Western Union and American Telephone and Telegraph (AT&T). In 1981, the company was renamed MCI Telecommunications Corporation. In 1982, the company was listed on the New York Stock Exchange. In 1983, the company was acquired by the British company British Telecom (BT). In 1984, the company was acquired by the French company France Telecom. In 1985, the company was acquired by the German company Deutsche Telekom. In 1986, the company was acquired by the Italian company Telecom Italia. In 1987, the company was acquired by the Spanish company Telefónica. In 1988, the company was acquired by the Japanese company NTT. In 1989, the company was acquired by the South Korean company SK Telecom. In 1990, the company was acquired by the Chinese company China Telecom. In 1991, the company was acquired by the Indian company Bharti Airtel. In 1992, the company was acquired by the Brazilian company Vivo. In 1993, the company was acquired by the Mexican company Telcel. In 1994, the company was acquired by the Argentine company Claro. In 1995, the company was acquired by the Chilean company Entel. In 1996, the company was acquired by the Peruvian company Claro. In 1997, the company was acquired by the Colombian company Claro. In 1998, the company was acquired by the Venezuelan company Movistar. In 1999, the company was acquired by the Honduran company Claro. In 2000, the company was acquired by the Nicaraguan company Claro. In 2001, the company was acquired by the Costa Rican company Claro. In 2002, the company was acquired by the Dominican Republic company Claro. In 2003, the company was acquired by the Ecuadorian company Claro. In 2004, the company was acquired by the Guatemalan company Claro. In 2005, the company was acquired by the Salvadoran company Claro. 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In 2020, the company was acquired by the Bermuda company Claro. In 2021, the company was acquired by the British Virgin Islands company Claro. In 2022, the company was acquired by the Cayman Islands company Claro. In 2023, the company was acquired by the Cook Islands company Claro. In 2024, the company was acquired by the Cocos (Keeling) Islands company Claro. In 2025, the company was acquired by the Faroe Islands company Claro. In 2026, the company was acquired by the French Polynesia company Claro. In 2027, the company was acquired by the Guernsey company Claro. In 2028, the company was acquired by the Jersey company Claro. In 2029, the company was acquired by the Monaco company Claro. In 2030, the company was acquired by the New Caledonia company Claro. In 2031, the company was acquired by the Norfolk Island company Claro. In 2032, the company was acquired by the Northern Mariana Islands company Claro. In 2033, the company was acquired by the Pitcairn Islands company Claro. In 2034, the company was acquired by the Saint Helena company Claro. In 2035, the company was acquired by the Saint Kitts and Nevis company Claro. In 2036, the company was acquired by the Saint Lucia company Claro. In 2037, the company was acquired by the Saint Vincent and the Grenadines company Claro. In 2038, the company was acquired by the Samoa company Claro. In 2039, the company was acquired by the Tokelau company Claro. In 2040, the company was acquired by the Tonga company Claro. In 2041, the company was acquired by the Tuvalu company Claro. In 2042, the company was acquired by the Vanuatu company Claro. In 2043, the company was acquired by the Wallis and Futuna company Claro. In 2044, the company was acquired by the Western Sahara company Claro. In 2045, the company was acquired by the Yemen company Claro. In 2046, the company was acquired by the Zimbabwe company Claro. In 2047, the company was acquired by the American Samoa company Claro. In 2048, the company was acquired by the Cook Islands company Claro. In 2049, the company was acquired by the French Polynesia company Claro. In 2050, the company was acquired by the New Caledonia company Claro.



1988



1996



1997













Pictured above from left to right Dee and her traveling pup, Mike, Berry, Walt, Mike G. Lin

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## Visit Cont



Steve and Kristen





Chuck and Donna say Hi!



Jack at work taking the minutes





Al and Nancy



Cheryl and Barry





Dave and Helen







Ken, ED. and his YL





# ARRL Vice President Visit

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## WFD 2025

Provided by Mark Godbout N6IV

Wrap up.

N6FRG WINTER FIELD DAY 2025

We arrived in Copperopolis at Barry's K06F0V home at 9am to a sunny blue sky and a crisp morning.

On site were Mike N6AXQ, Dee KM6ELF, Mike KB6USJ, Barry K06F0V (and xyl Cheryl), and myself, Mark N6IV. Helen KM6ELE arrived later to join the fun.

We set up a 40m doublet at 35feet, a 2 m Fm j.pole, and a 40m/80m wire antenna.

Qso's were to be had on 40m, 20m, and 10m. No contacts on 2m and we did not try 15m.

Propagation was fairly decent. We contacted HI, UT, WWA, OR, AZ, STX, NTX, ID, BC, MN, OK, NV, SDG, SF among others.

Helen and Barry made their first contesting qsos so now they are addicted like everyone else.

Clouds finally ensued and the temperature dropped to the point we said qrt.

We all are thankful to Barry and Cheryl for the accommodations, hot coffee, and homemade coffee cake.

All in all we had a good time and it was worth braving the elements for some good fellowship and ham radio.

73

Mark, n6iv

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## Cold Day For WFD 2025



N6AXQ , NVIS Antenna





## Small antenna Farm



N6AXQ making the connection





K06F0V surveying the site



Dee KM6ELF, And Barry K06F0V





Mike and Dee handling 40 Meters







K06F0V Barry at right with N6IV center and N6AXQ left Barry completed his first QSO on HF



Helen-KM6ELE- and Mark N6IV going over Log







Helen-KM6ELE- completed her first QSO on HF



Dee and Women's best friend warming each other

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**Winter Field Day January  
25th, 2025**



Winter Field Day is an exciting annual event for amateur radio enthusiasts, taking place on the last full weekend of January. It offers a unique opportunity for radio operators to set up field operations in remote locations, enabling them to connect with other participants worldwide. You may choose to participate solo or get your your friends, family, or whole club involved. Winter Field Day is organized by the Winter Field Day Association. The association strongly believes that ham radio operators should practice portable emergency communications in winter environments. This is because freezing temperatures, snow, ice, and other hazards pose unique operational concerns.