

# Meeting Agenda

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## Perfect Storm Exercise Information Sheet



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## Vintage ARRL Books

Available at this Thursday Meeting QST magazines dating back to 1947



KPH



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# President's Corner

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**KPH Videos**





**Bolinas Transmitter Site KPH**



Bob, Mark, Paul







THIS STATION WAS DESIGNED AND CONSTRUCTED  
BY THE

**RADIO CORPORATION OF AMERICA**

THE 200 KW HIGHER EFFICIENCY 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

PLATE 1000









Paul, Mark

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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.









1985

The Last Decade of Western  
The formation of MCI was a result of a series of events that began in 1980 when Robert Kahn and John Tompkins, two of the founders of Western Union, decided to start a new company. Kahn and Tompkins had been working for Western Union for many years and had become disillusioned with the company's management. They decided to start a new company that would focus on providing long-distance telephone service. Kahn and Tompkins were joined by other former Western Union employees, including John W. White, and they formed MCI Telecommunications Corporation. MCI's first service was long-distance telephone service, which it began offering in 1981. MCI quickly gained a reputation for providing high-quality service at a lower price than its competitors. By 1985, MCI had become a major player in the long-distance telephone market. In 1986, MCI expanded its services to include cable television and internet access. MCI's success was largely due to its innovative marketing and customer service. MCI's "The Last Decade of Western" campaign was a major factor in its success. The campaign featured a series of advertisements that highlighted MCI's commitment to customer service and its commitment to providing high-quality service at a lower price. The campaign was highly effective and helped to establish MCI as a leading provider of long-distance telephone service.



1988



1996



1997







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