



#2000 SCHMIDT, HOWARD N. K5BLV xW9DDD, First on air 1937. Born 12/26/19. First started with Boy Scout Merit Badge. Built his own rigs in first days. First rcvr was TRF 3 tube and transmitter was single tube. 47 ocillator. 1938 got his 2d class Phone and was radio operator for WRPQ Wisconsin., Sheriff Dept. Served in Sig Corps in India and China till sent home in 1944. Then to Iowa State College at Ames got his degree in Forestry. Worked for Crown Zellerbach as area forester. He likes to chase DX prefers CW working 168 countries. Ardent Stamp Collector. Hunts and fish as a hobby.



#2001 WESTNEAT, ARTHUR W1AM xW2KHA, W3MJQ K2PWK W1CNB. First on air 1935. Born 6/28/21. Principal Engr Raytheon Co. Sonar Environmental Technology. MSEE from Purdue Univ. DXCC 300 countries. Building microprocessor Computer from the chips up. Active Stamp collecting. He is planning 7 days weekends soon



#2002 WOODS, JAMES F. K2IHD ex 2BDV first on air 1922. Born 4/10/06. Retired from USN. Started in radio in 1921. Worked with De Forest, member of De Forest Pioneers, VWOA, Checks in the 00TC nets with W1DJ and K2NP. Worked at Western Electric Research Lab on West St., NYC. Started with Xtal receiver and Ford coil spark.



#2003 CHAPMAN, F. Wayne, WB4DND/W8TKR, First on air 1923 Born 4/13/11. Started with Ford Coil, oatmeal box galena xtl Instructor Michigan Academy of Radio Science 1928-39. Has Commercial 1st Phone and 2d class Tel 1939. Research Engineer at General Motors 1939 till retirement 1971. Life member IEEE, member ARRL, AWA, Firebirds, AARC



#2004 BOARDMAN, Offin G. KC4HZ, ex W4LJA 1CGP, KØHJI. First on air 1921. Born 8-30-04. Graduated Norwich Univ (VT) 1926 Employed by City Service Oil Co., 1927-41 and Martin Marietta Corp., 1941-69 retired 1969 Asst. Controller Denver Div. Member Gulf Coast Amateur Club First license was 1CGP