**President’s Column**

As another year draws to a close, I’d like to thank you for your continued participation in the Fullerton Radio Club. A club is only as good as its members, and we are lucky to have a fine group of folks who represent us. Now, if only there were a few more of us…

I’m sure you will see it elsewhere in this month’s edition of Smoke Signals, but please don’t forget the Holiday Dinner and Officer Installation is this Friday, December 15. I hope to see you there. If you have not yet sent your RSVP, contact Gene ASAP to let him know you’re coming. More information about the dinner can be found on the website: fullertonradioclub.org then look for the tab labelled Holiday Dinner.

Speaking of which, my project this month has been to put a few fresh coats of paint on the club website. If you haven’t visited for a while, please come and have a look. It is a work in progress, but I hope you will like what you see so far. My goal is to keep the website up to date and more dynamic, so expect to see something new each time you visit. I would also like to ask you to participate in the improvement of our website. This could be as simple as leaving a comment, providing feedback on what you like, don’t like, what you would like to see changed, and added. I would also like to ask you to send me anything (pictures, articles, links, etc.) that you think would interest the club members and potential members who visit the site.

Of course, there is no regular Wednesday meeting this month, but I’ll look forward to seeing you at TAG this Wednesday and at the dinner on Friday.

73, Bob - AD6QF

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**HOLIDAY MEETING**

Our annual Holiday Dinner Meeting will be held at its usual site; Marie Calender’s Restaurant on Yorba Linda Boulevard near the corner of Kraemer Boulevard in Placentia **this Friday, December 15**. QSO will begin at 6:30 PM with dinner promptly at 7:00. **We trust that you’ve made reservations!** But just in case you haven’t come anyway and order off the regular menu. And don’t forget the special prize drawings (not supposed to say raffle) that Gene puts together each year. Lots of goodies, as usual.
Show –and–Tell
Bring something of interest to the meeting to show and share your story. Something old, new, or just of interest to hams.

Web site: www.FullertonRadioClub.org

NEXT BOARD MEETING
Open to all Club members
Marie Callender’s Restaurant
126 Yorba Linda Blvd., Placentia
First Wednesday of each month.
Next Board Meeting
January 3, 2018
QSO and dinner; 7:00 PM
Meeting: 7:30 PM

That’s all for Smoke Signals this month. No other input received before the early deadline due to Friday’s dinner meeting.