## INTERNATIONAL STYLE ON-FOOT T-HUNT & BBQ Saturday May 18<sup>th</sup>, 2024

## Mission Bay Park, Vacation Village, San Diego, CA.

## Sponsored by the San Diego T-Hunt Group & CQ Magazine World Wide Fox Hunt Weekend

Starting times will be 10:00 AM to 1:30 PM at 5-minute intervals. If you start at 1:30 you will have until 3:30 to complete the course. NO REGISTRATION FEES! There will be 5 hidden T's using the MOE-MOI-MOS-MOH-MO5 format. You will be issued a "Punch Card" and there will be orange & white flagging tape at each punch located close to the hidden T. Antennas will all be vertically polarized with approximately the same radiated power from each "T'. This is a flat, fun and easy course and there will be experienced Hams present to demonstrate hunting techniques for those that want to learn about "On-Foot" Amateur Radio Direction Finding (ARDF) and "Practice T's" to experiment with before you start the course. For information on International Style T-Hunts you may go to Joe Moell's, (k0ov) website www.homingin.com. You do not need a Ham Radio License to participate. Limited ARDF equipment will be available for practice and possibly to use for hunting for those that do not have small 2-M beams. Bring a connector to go from your HT antenna connector to a BNC cable (Chinese HT's not recommended.) You will be issued a map of the area with major features delineated. A compass, clipboard and pencil may be handy for plotting bearings. Check weather and dress appropriately. There are several restrooms in the park area.

A BBQ is planned starting 2-2:30 for those interested who would like to hang around, socialize and "Talk Radio". We will have burgers & hot dogs, buns, condiments, potato salad, drinks, cookies, chips and salsa. Bring a chair as seating is limited! BBQ donations can be made on site. For further information contact:

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<u>DIRECTIONS</u>: On W/B I-8, west of I-5, take the W. Mission Bay Drive exit and turn right. Stay on the main street (no turns). It changes name to Ingraham St. Proceed for about ¾ mile and after crossing the bridge turn left on Vacation Rd. Make a quick left and follow road south to Gazebo. Look for T-Hunt/Fox Hunt signs. Coordinates are: 32 46' 18" N. 117 14' 07 W.

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