

Win an Argos/GPS PTT!

In Search of

....the longest running PTT.

We were recently contacted by a customer claiming to have the longest running PTT (about 5 years)!! He was disappointed to learn that we know of PTTs that had run for even longer. So, we decided to go in search of the longest running PTT.

If you think that you have it, tell us in 250 words or less about it. Tell us the date the PTT was deployed, where, and if it is still running or the date you stopped receiving data from it. Tell us briefly about the travels of your bird.

We will publish the winner's story in our next issue; the prize is an Argos/GPS PTT.

Deadline for entry: emailed or postmarked by midnight August 31, 2005.



Happy to Meet You

The recent Argos International Conference in Annapolis gave us the opportunity to put faces to voices and emails. We enjoyed meeting everybody, especially those customers we have dealt with for many years without ever meeting in person.

Many thanks to all who visited our booth and also to those whose images made our graphics look wonderful.

For those of you unable to attend, have a look! Do you recognize anything?



Disappointed Potential Customers!

We all work very hard and we take our jobs seriously, but every now and then something comes up that makes us stop in our "tracks," so to speak, and take time out for a good laugh.

One source of such humor at MTI comes to us from the occasional and rather bizarre requests we receive for transmitters to track the unexpected and unusual.

Here are a few of the items that "disappointed potential customers" have inquired about. Alas, we had nothing suitable for tracking these "creatures".

tumbleweeds



socks (where *DO* they go when they disappear from the dryer?)

clams, snails, horseshoe crabs and peccaries

valuable paintings, cars and boats

wives, husbands, kids and pets



and, yes, believe it or not, a drug shipment across the Mexico/U.S. border (and, yes, we *did* call the FBI!)

