



Hoodview News

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Special Points of Interest:

- Hoodview Amateur Radio Club can be found on the web at www.wb7qiw.org
- HARC is a Special Service Club
- Email the Cory with any information for the newsletter at jcschoch@verizon.net
- Feel free to join our affiliated activities: Hoodview Amateur Radio Travelers (HART) and Classy Radio Red Hatters

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From The President's Desk — Mike Magnuson, N7ETA

September is here and the weather has been cooling down some. How many of you have a weather station that records data? If you do, you could bring a sample month of data and then we can compare the areas. Having this capability is a great way to monitor our weather. This also is another way we can help our neighbors in times of emergencies. This just does not mean that it is for home use, you can also use it on vacations. Sometimes the TV weather report just is not as accurate where you are at. If this really interest you, you can get involved with SKYWARN. You can check on training at the SKYWARN (<http://skywarn.com/>) or the NWS (<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/pqr/skytraining.php>).

We have had a busy month in August. Thanks to Harold W7YOY for setting up and running the Triathlon communications team again this year. It was a tremendous success and a lot of fun. There are several other events coming up this month so if you can volunteer some time, contact the people below to participate.

- Race for the Cure on Sunday, 9/20
AC7UH Barbara Yasson,
ac7uh@arrl.net
- Pacific Coast Trail on 9/26 & 9/27
AD7ES Hobart Baker, hobiebak@msn.com

Our Picnic General Meeting at Red Sunset Park had the perfect weather and good

attendance. Thanks to Ed N7TL and John W7SIR for cooking a great meal. Of course, we can not forget the people that brought all of the side dishes!

I have sent out to all members an announcement for a "HAM Basic Workshop" for those who would like to gain more knowledge about our hobby. This has something for everyone whether you are a "Newbie" or an old timer in Amateur Radio. We can always learn something new.

Here are your question's for the Who's Who in Amateur Radio this month.

Who are these hams?

- GB1MIR?
- K2ORS?
- N9LC(W8ZIS)
- VK5AX
- Who was the leader of the first modern DXpedition ("Gon-Wacky") in 1948; pioneer in 160 meter DXing; ARRL President, 1966-1972; IARU President, 1966-1974?
- Who proved the existence of the California-Hawaii VHF/UHF propagation "duct," completing the first 2-meter contact over the 2500-mile path in 1957?

See you at the meeting

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-... .. (N7ETA)

Remember our motto for the year: Have fun! Bring Amateur Radio into public view.

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August 20, 2009 General Meeting Minutes

Bar-B-Q at Red Sunset Park in Gresham, Oregon. Started at 6:00 PM. HARC provided hamburgers and hot dogs cooked to perfection by John W7SIR and Ed N7TL. A succulent array of goodies provided a potluck dinner by club members attending. Great gab fest and good food enjoyed by all!

Respectfully submitted:
David K. Gettman—
KA7WOF
HARC Secretary

Treasurer's Report — August 2009

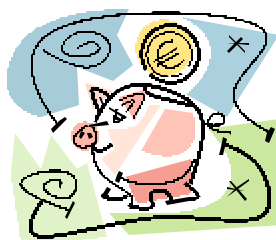
Checking	\$2,691.54
Money Market	5,617.29
CD	2,727.33

Total Assets **\$11,036.16**

Keep in mind as you review these numbers that appropriated funds cannot be spent for operating expenses:

Checking:	\$2,691.54
Minus Appropriated Funds:	
Japanese	(384.64)
Repeater	(-1,574.76)
Training	(409.69)
Scholarship	(1,434.25)
General Operating Funds	<u>\$2,037.72</u>

Money Market	\$5,617.29
Minus Appropriated Funds:	
Repeater	(2,000.00)
Scholarship	(1,000.00)
General Operating Funds	<u>\$2,617.29</u>



Hoodview Happenings:

Club Calendar

Sept 17—General Mting, 7:30 pm– MHCC, rm 1001
 Sept 18-20—Waterloo Campout
 Sept 19 — Next VE test, 9:00 am, Rm HF1, MHCC
 Oct 1— Board meeting , Ed, N7TL's house
 Oct 15 — General Mting, 7:30 pm, MHCC, Rm 1001

Nets

CW Net on 28.130 Mhz at 7:00 pm, Sunday through Saturday, Net Control is Beaver & Russ
 2 M net on 147.28+ Mhz, at 7:30 pm, each Wednesday evening.

Breakfast Gathering

Join us for breakfast each and every Saturday morning at Heidi's in Gresham. Coffee and conversations starts around 7:00 with the breakfast order taken at 7:30.



Refreshment Schedule 2009

Sept No volunteers, call Mike to volunteer
 Oct Jan & Bill Maggs
 Nov No volunteers, call Mike to volunteer
 Dec Board Members

September Program Scheduled

???Surprise???

Happy Birthday to You!

Sept 20 Bryan Hoffman, W7BJB
 Sept 25 Mike Redinger KD7EIZ



Thoughts and Prayers

If you know of anyone that could use our thoughts and prayers, please contact Debbie KE7FWS.

HART Campouts Scheduled

September 18-20: Waterloo County Park, near Lebanon. Join HART groups and OTVARC travelers on the 11th anniversary campout. Tents okay.



Last Month's Quiz Answers

Here are the answers to last month's questions for those who did not make the meeting. Who are these people?

- K16M Stu Gilliam, comedian
- N5YYV Kathy Sullivan, Chief Scientist NOAA (former astronaut)
- VU2RG Rajiv Gandhi, Prime Minister of India (SK)
- W4ZG Worth Gruelle, started "Raggedy Ann and Andy"
- KA9Q Phil Karn, Developed basis for wireless internet communications by adapting Internet communications protocol (TCP/IP) for radio use
- W2BDS Mike Ercolino, Inventor, double-V TV antenna; founder, Telrex Antennas

Call for Instructors

As we approach the end of summer, we start thinking about what training opportunities the club can provide for those either seeking to get into amateur radio and existing hams wishing to upgrade or acquiring higher skills or knowledge. What we are able to offer is highly dependent on the quantity of instructors available.

The classes and Elmering have always been one of the most important foundations of the club. It brings in new members and keeps them coming back year after year. It was started by a small group of established hams. Most of the long-time members you see today are folks that went through the club's novice/technician classes and continued with the upgrade classes to Advanced or Extra class.

In order to keep the club healthy and growing we need to continue this tradition. We need a number of people to volunteer to teach. If you have been an active ham for a couple of years or more you should have gained the knowledge/skills to pass on to the new seekers. If you have upgraded to General or Extra class then you have background to teach an upgrade class. What I am asking for are volunteers to beef up the depth of the instructor pool. Consider teaching one class or joint teaching a series of classes with one or more co-instructors. It is fun and you will learn more than your students with every class. Please seriously consider being an instructor and contact me at n7tl@comcast.net or 503.257.4822 Ed N7TL

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Name: _____ Call Sign/License Class: _____

Spouse Name: _____ Call Sign/License Class: _____

Address: _____ Birth Date: _____

City: _____ Spouse Birth Date: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____ Work Phone: _____ Home Phone: _____

Email: _____ Cell Phone: _____

- Change of name, address or other information
- Regular Adult Membership (NEW) (RENEW) \$25/yr _____
- Under 18 or over 65 Membership (NEW) (RENEW) \$20/yr _____
- Additional Family Member (NEW) (RENEW) \$12.50/yr _____
- Patron Donation _____

TOTAL _____

I am interested in: (Circle as many as apply)

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| Newsletter | Repeater | Net | Camping | Club Office | Contesting |
| Committee | ATV | CW | Special Events | Field Day | Emergency Services |
| DX | Public Service | Packet | Satellite | Antennas | Other: _____ |

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