

**Points of Interest:**

- Hoodview Amateur Radio Club can be found on the web at [www.wb7qi.w.org](http://www.wb7qi.w.org)
- HARC is a Special Service Club
- Email Cory with any information for the newsletter at [ka7iug@frontier.com](mailto:ka7iug@frontier.com)
- Feel free to join our affiliated activities: Saturday Breakfast Group or Classy Radio Red Hatters

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# Hoodview News

**Hoodview Amateur Radio Club WB7QIW**

PO Box 951, Gresham OR 97030

A non-profit organization organized exclusively for one or more of the purposes as specified in Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, Vol. 17, No. 6. We are a Special Service Club with the ARRL.

**Board of Directors:**

President — Shaun Harteloo, N7TNP

Vice President — Scott Etlinger KC7ZUH

Secretary — Cindy Etlinger, KD7IXZ

Treasurer — Jim Schoch KA7AGH

Board — Chris Jensen KG7ADQ;

Bryan Caddy K7BAT; Dennis Desper KI7SJY;

Laura Standley K7LQT; Cory Schoch, KA7IUG

**General Club Meeting**  
**on April 18th**  
**at 7:30 PM**  
**At Mt. Hood Community**  
**College, Room 1001.**  
**Hope to see you all there.**

**From The President — Shaun Harteloo, N7TNP**

Happy April everyone!

Spring has sprung, April showers, bring May flowers, and all those things you hear this time of year. The other thing that is good to do this time of year, is get your antennas put up, or repaired. I think I mentioned this earlier in the year, but I am off the air because I had to pull my antennas down to move. Well I am gathering the materials and stuff to put them back up here real soon myself. My antenna projects include putting up the base 2m/440 vertical, and my 5 band HF vertical. For a secondary projects I am looking at several antennas for those after dark bands this coming winter. We'll see where that takes me.

There are many things to do this time of year. Checking coax connections to make sure things are sealed up still, and the sun hasn't baked off the waterproofing you have put on. Make sure your guy lines are secure. Put your antenna on an analyzer and make sure it is still resonant where you want to operate. If your antenna system is working well, we have some new generals and technicians from our last VE session. I got a call from one of them looking for help setting up an antenna. Our new members do want to get on the air, so those of us who are able, and have some experience would be in a good place to help.

See you at the next club meeting!

73

N7TNP — Shaun





### **Volunteers Needed**

HARC will participate in the March of Dimes' event on April 27th. We are still in need for a few more volunteers.

This year the walk is shorter and route has changed. The Family Fun Walk will start on the same route as the longer walk but will return sooner. I will have more information at the meeting.

Most assignments will be ready at the April meeting. We will need about five more operators in different roles for about four hours on that morning. Contact me at ka7iug@frontier.com or 503-781-9095 to volunteer.



### **Calling for Sea-Pac Flea Market Items**

The club will be running a flea market table at Sea-Pac. We were one of the lucky ones to get a table and have lots of HF rigs and other items to sell. But we are always looking for more items. We will be collecting donated items at the April and May club meetings or by special arrangements. All items will be cleaned up, tested and priced for the convention. Thank you for the consideration.

### **Classy Radio Red (Pink) Hatters**

The ladies ventured to Salem's Cherry Blossom Festival this past month. Pictured: Judy, xyl of W7YOY, Marilyn, xyl of KD7AM; Teresa, Cheryl, Patty, W7RED, and Cory KA7IUG.

We are always looking for more ladies that want to have gather and have fun. If you would like more information, contact Cory.

## **SIGN UP NOW!**

### **Hoodview Amateur Radio Club Spring Banquet**

Join us on Saturday, May 4th, 2017

6 PM No-host Cocktail, 6:30 Dinner

Sayler's Old Country Kitchen,  
10519 SE Stark.

See Jim KA7AGH for reservations at the April Meeting  
or pay on the website.

#### **Menu Choices:**

8 oz Tenderloin, 12 oz Top Sirloin, or Chicken Breast \$33

6 oz Halibut Steak or Baked Salmon \$34

Includes Relish plate, tossed salad, bread, baked potato,  
beverage and sherbet.

## Hoodview Amateur Radio Club General Minutes

March 21st, 2019 at MHCC, Room 1001, 7:30 pm

Guests: Steve KJ7EHN / Ryan / Tyler / Diane – Passed Tech / Richard – Passed Tech / Roy – Passed Tech / Elaine – Passed Tech

Attendance: 41

**Program: WinLink by Eli W7ELI** – Eli showed the club a video about how Winlink works, the video was created by Rick Frost K4REF. Winlink is a way of transferring email via radio using RMA Express software. This communication can be sent and received at the city, state, national, International levels-used by HAMS among other agencies for Emergency communications. This video explained about the Types, Pathways and Modes of Winlink.

**Secretary Report:** Moved: Cory KA7IUG, Seconded Bryan K7BAT, Motion Passed

**Treasurer Report:** Moved Bryan K7BAT, Seconded Bob KG7JTT, Motion Passed

### Business:

- **50/50 tickets:** See Denny WB7UFJ for tickets.
- **Dues or Website help:** please see Jim KA7AGH and Bryan K7BAT
- **VE Report:** Denny WB7UFJ gave the report. At our last VE Session March 16, 2016 there were 16 people who took exams. All Passed, which included Tech's / General's / and 3 Extra's. Congratulations to all!!
- **VE Session:** May 18<sup>th</sup>, 2019 is our next scheduled testing -contact PAM KC7Q if you are able to be a VE
- **Net Control:** Denny WB7UFJ was Net Control this last Wednesday and had 30 check-ins. Art W7AUF is always looking for club members, who would like to be Net Control on any Wednesday, just let him know.
- **Refreshments:** Scott mentioned that we have not had anyone sponsor refreshments for the last few months, if you are interested in hosting refreshments for an upcoming club meeting, please let Scott KC7ZUH and/or Shaun N7TNP know.
- **March of Dimes: 4/27/19: 7am – 11am** - Let Cory KA7IUG know if can help with this event.

We need around 20 volunteers.

- **Patches:** See Leslie Burrows if you are interested in Patches, hats, or any club gear or now you can also, check them out on the club website [www.wb7qiwi.org](http://www.wb7qiwi.org)
- **Field Day:** Planning has begun – Field day is June 21-23, 2019. Club member John W7SIR has secured the special call W7Q for Field Day. If you are interested in becoming a Station Chair, please email Shaun N7TNP or Bryan K7BAT. Joel N7LF will be chairing the 20/80 station. More details to come in the next few meetings.
- **Spring Banquet:** Cory KA7IUG talked about the Spring Banquet coming up, it is May 4th, 2019 at Saylor's Country Kitchen. Come one, come all to this social event. The drawing for the shadow box with the club patches will take place at the banquet. You do not need to be in attendance to win. Cory is selling tickets \$1.00 a ticket or 6 tickets for \$5.00. At the Spring Banquet May 4<sup>th</sup>, 2019 the winning ticket will be drawn. The Shadow Box will be personalized with the winners callsign. You can pay for the banquet several ways, on the club website, or at club meeting with cash or check.
- **50/50 Winner:** \$60.00 was collected, Cindy KD7IXZ won \$30.00 and donated it back to the club for Training supplies.

Scott KC7ZUH adjourned the meeting at 8:45pm.

**Treasurer's Report** as reported at the April 2019 board meeting by treasurer, Jim KA7AGH. Jim reported that we received dues and renewals, sold some equipment, shadow box tickets, plus 50/50. We paid out the flea market table registration.



### CURRENT BALANCE

General Fund	\$ 5,372.74
Restricted Funds:	
Repeater	\$ 3,896.02
Training	\$ 76.97
Scholarship	\$ 2,219.87
<b>TOTAL FUNDS</b>	<b>\$11,565.60</b>



# Hoodview Happenings

## Club Calendar

Apr 18-Gen Mtg: 7:30pm @ MHCC, RM 1001  
Apr 27-March of Dimes: 7-11:00 am, Portland  
 May 2-Brd Mtg: 7:30pm @  
 May 4-General Class, 9 am, MHCC HF1  
 May 4-Spring Banquet  
 May 11-General Class, 9 am, MHCC HF1  
 May 16-Gen Mtg: 7:30pm @ MHCC, RM 1001  
May 18-VE Testing: 9:00am @ MHCC, HF1  
 May 31-Jun 2-SeaPac Convention, Seaside  
 June 6-Brd Mtg: 7:30pm @  
 June 20-Gen Mtg: 7:30pm @ MHCC, RM 1001  
June 21-23-Field Day, Larch Mt.  
 July 11-Brd Mtg: 7:30pm @  
 July 18-Gen Mtg: 7:30pm @ MHCC, RM 1001  
July 20-VE Testing: 9:00am @ MHCC, HF1  
 Aug 1-Brd Mtg: 7:30pm @  
Aug 15-Club Picnic, Red Sunset Park  
 Sep 5-Brd Mtg: 7:30pm @  
 Sep 19-Gen Mtg: 7:30pm @ MHCC, RM 100  
Sep 21-VE Testing: 9:00am @ MHCC, HF1  
 Oct 3-Brd Mtg: 7:30pm @  
Oct 17-Gen Mtg: 7:30pm @ MHCC, RM 1001  
 Nov 2-Tech Class: 9:00 at MHCC, HF1  
 Nov 7-Brd Mtg: 7:30pm @  
 Nov 9-Tech Class: 9:00 at MHCC, RM HF1  
 Nov 16-VE Testing: 9:00am @ MHCC, HF1  
Nov 21-Gen Mtg: 7:30pm @ MHCC, RM 1001  
 Dec 5-Brd Mtg: 7:30pm @  
 Dec 7-Christmas Banquet  
 Dec 19-Gen Mtg: 7:30pm @ MHCC, RM 1001

## Check into Two Hoodview Nets

The UHF Information Net will follow the VHF net at 7:45 PM or after the VHF net if it goes past 7:45 PM. This is an attempt to assist more local amateurs in checking in to our Club's Net and broaden our exposure. Club members are encouraged to volunteer to be net control of either net. Every Wednesday night:  
 2 Mtr net on 147.28 MHz, at 7:30pm.  
 70 cm net on 443.475 at 7:45 pm

## Sunshine Report

The club wishes everyone good health. If you know of someone that we should contact, please contact Pam KC7Q. She will send cards with the club's best wishes.

## April Program Scheduled

This month's program is going to be a surprise. Our scheduled program speaker is being sent out of town for work and is not available. It will be rescheduled.

## Refreshments Schedule

**April**—no one has signed up. If you would like to volunteer, please contact Shaun at kf7skb@gmail.com

## Weekly Breakfast Gathering

Join us for breakfast every Saturday morning at Heidi's, 1230 NE Cleveland, Gresham. Conversation and coffee starts around 7:00am with the breakfast orders taken at 7:30am.



## Happy Birthday to our Members

KE7AOA	Richard Berney	04/02
KA7WOF	Dave Gettman	04/07
KF7ZWX	John Bartlett	04/13
W7IDG	Dan H. Gaylord	04/14
KA7AUY	John Pilafian	04/14
KA7MFK	Dan Ekman	04/16
W7CBK	Brion Kidder	04/18
W7YJS	Jeff Sperley	04/22
KA7IUG	Cory Schoch	04/23
KC7BJE	Tom Lambert	04/23
KI7VTT	Gino Brumbelow	04/25
KI7IEA	Marv Trepanier	04/25
KG7LLM	Phillip Lund	05/15
KK7SR	Mel Hickman	05/15
KJ7FBU	Perry Le Doux	05/20
N7KOJ	Cheri Harrington	05/22

## Please Welcome Our Newest Members

WA7HAA	Steve LaValley
K7EZB	John Bowman
KJ7FBE	Elaine Wingren
KJ7FBF	Roy Barnes
KG7FBG	Deanne Englund
KJ7FBH	Richard Okita
KJ7FBJ	David Chaney
KJ7FBM	Gina Tallerino
KJ7FBO	Gene Frassetto
KJ7FBU	Perry Le Doux







SEA-PAC 2019 –

*“Solar Cycle 25” and “The Year of the Tech”*

[www.seapac.org](http://www.seapac.org)

**Early Bird Registration About to Close.** You only have a few days left for Early Bird registration for SEA-PAC, the largest Ham Radio Convention in the Pacific Northwest. Early Bird registration gets you a bonus entry in the prize drums and is only \$10 and good for admission Saturday and Sunday. Your online or by-mail registration, postmarked by April 15, will give you two chances for some really great prizes. Register online or by mail, postmarked by April 15, you will save \$5. Extra prize tickets are available for purchase at the convention.

This year’s SEA-PAC is Friday, May 31, and Saturday and Sunday, June 1 & 2 in beautiful Seaside Oregon, with most of the action happening on Saturday and Sunday. Registration and the convention schedule are available at the SEA-PAC website, <https://www.seapac.org>.

Don’t forget to register for the Friday Workshop, *“Power and Communication When Everything Goes Dark”* presented by Mark Breakey, KB7RHI. The workshop is filling up, but places are still available. The workshop runs from 9AM to 4PM and is \$18.

The Banquet, on Saturday evening, will feature keynote speaker Jeri Ellsworth, AI6TK. Saturday evening Banquet is \$30. She will also present *The Challenge of Doing* at the Saturday YL lunch.

The Saturday DX lunch will feature Joe Kelly N7BF, Russ Mickiewicz N7QR, Everett Curry W6ABM and Peter Moore ZL2HM presenting their 2018 DXpedition to *Norfolk Island*.

With your paid admission to SEA-PAC, you can attend any of dozens of seminars related to operating, radio equipment, antennas, digital modes, getting on the air and many other topics. There are sure to be seminars you’ll want to attend. A complete list is available on the SEA-PAC web site.

Your registration gets you access to dozens of Ham Radio related seminars, the Exhibitors’ midway with many manufacturers and retailers displaying and selling their wares and the ever popular Ham Radio Flea Market.

Hotels are filling up, so make your reservations soon and don’t forget to ask for the special SEA-PAC

rate. A list of Sponsor Lodging is available on the <https://www.seapac.org> web site.

Friday’s night special activity is *“Radios on the Beach”*. Bring your portable radios and enjoy the sunset with other hams. Also Friday evening local area Hams will be hosting their annual “all you can eat” Spaghetti dinner from 5PM to 8PM. \$1 off admission with ham license or SEA-PAC registration. Details are available at <https://www.qrz.com/db/WA7VE>.

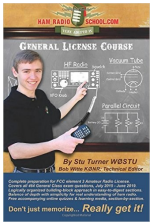
There will be VE testing for new licenses and upgrades at 9AM on Saturday, pre-registration is required. The 7<sup>th</sup> Area QSL Bureau will be on hand, throughout the convention, for QSL card checking.

The prizes in Saturday’s drawing includes a Yaesu FTDX-1200 HF, Icom IC-7100, IC7300, Kenwood TM-D710G and several HT’s. The Sunday drawing includes an Icom IC-7300 HF radio, Kenwood TS-480 HX, Yaesu FTM-400XDR and several other HT’s. Both drawings will include many other mobile and VHF/UHF transceivers and other ham related items. There will also be many outstanding hourly door prize drawings on both Saturday and Sunday, as well as early bird and banquet prizes. Register by April 15 to be entered in the early bird drawing.

The Seaside Convention Center construction continues at a rapid pace but unfortunately it will not be totally completed by the time of the convention, so we ask your indulgence as we work around the construction changes this year. The Flea Market area will be the most impacted and is already filled up.

SEA-PAC general registration is open. Remember, your \$10 online adult admission is valid for both Saturday and Sunday. (The Friday workshop is extra.) The student rate for ages 13-17 is only \$5. For children 12 and under, admission is FREE with a paid adult admission. Bring the family for a great vacation on the Oregon coast. The Pacific Ocean beach and many area hotels are only a short walk from the convention center. Make your hotel and convention reservations now!

Please pass this email to your friends and encourage them to attend. They can also sign up to receive these email updates by sending a request by email to [info@seapac.org](mailto:info@seapac.org) including your name and call sign. An informative SEA-PAC 2019 brochure is attached to this email or you may download a copy from the website. For SEA-PAC information and updates please visit our website at <https://www.seapac.org>.



## Ham Radio Classes

If you are a Technician and looking to upgrade your license, the General Class will start on May 4th and continue on May 11th with testing on May 18th at Mt. Hood Community College's Fisheries building. Classes are from 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM. We will have a VE session on the last day at 9:00 am. Classes are free, but the book is \$23 and the VE test is \$15. Textbook: "Ham Radio School" by Stu Turner is available online at Amazon or HRO, be sure to get the General book.

I am always looking for teachers who would like to give back to our hobby. All teaching materials are provided to you. If you are interested please contact Cory to volunteer.

To register call Cory@503-781-9095 or email ka7iug@frontier.com.

The next Technician Class will be held this fall.



## For Sale Items

Icom—IC735 (2) HF Rig

Icom—IC756 HF Rig

Icom—IC-AT500 Antenna Tuner (2)

Icom—IC2KL w/PS 500 Watt w/PS

## VE Session

The next VE session is scheduled to be held on Saturday, May 18th at MHCC in the Fisheries building in the lower north-east corner of the campus at 9:00. Please check out our website to see what you need to bring with you (photo identification, copy of license or CSCE, SSN or FRN, \$15). Pam is always looking for VE helpers. If you are available to help or would like to earn your VE accreditation, then contact Pam KC7Q for details.



## Field Day Planning

Will we be 3A, 4A, 5A or 27A? Be sure to mark your calendars for June 21-23 for a great weekend of playing radio.

We will start our planning for field day this month. If you plan to chair a station or if you would like to help us with the planning of biggest on-the-air event for Hoodview, then let Bryan or Shaun know your desired station.

We are still looking for a back-up location to Larch Mt. in case we can not get in there this year due to snow fall or tree fall. If you have any ideas, let Bryan know.

## HOODVIEW AMATEUR RADIO CLUB MEMBERSHIP FORM

Make checks payable to: HOODVIEW AMATEUR RADIO CLUB, PO BOX 951, GRESHAM OR 97030

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Call Sign: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ License Class: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Call Sign: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ License Class: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Addt. Family Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Call Sign: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ License Class: \_\_\_\_\_