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Amateur Radio Club can be found on the web at
www.wb7qiw.org

• HARC is a Special Service Club

• Email Cory with any information for the newsletter at 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 95l, Gresham OR 97030

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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; Leslie Burrows KJ7EZO; Laura Standley K7LQT; Cory Schoch, KA7IUG

General Club Meeting on August 15th at 6:00 PM At Red Sunset Park, 23rd and NE Hogan. Hope to see you all there.



From The President — Shaun Harteloo, N7TNP

August is upon us, and I hope summer has been going well for all of you. Laura and I essentially just returned from a trip to Japan. We had a fantastic time, but did not allow much time for radio. This trip was on the bucket list, so we did more tourist type activities, over relaxation. I did however research the prospect of radio operation while in Japan. Japan is one of the more difficult parts of the world to get a reciprocal license. The primary thing you need to have is an address to ship your license to in Japan, once you apply. The fees are not inexpensive either, and they have far more restrictions than U.S. hams have. Their restrictions are more power related. I didn't get a license to operate, but our next adventure abroad we'll look for a radio opportunity.

We did however see many operators' antenna setups in our travels. I took many pictures of space restricted antenna setups. We also visited several radio 'candy' stores in Akihabara, Tokyo. Akihabara, also known as the 'electronic' mall, is really a place you should visit if you ever get the chance. There are vendors there that specialize in certain types of electronics, and components. The interesting thing is, that is all the individual vendor sells. One of them, that I saw, sold only RF chokes and Ferrite cores for transformers. Another one sold only relays and switches. It felt like a mall where you could find any electronic component, but each vendor specialized in their components they sold. We didn't allocate enough time to see everything there. You could spend a couple days in Akihabara and not see everything there.

While there, I found a very compelling limited space HF antenna, that I believe I can build. I wanted to buy it because it was inexpensive compared to our antennas. I however, didn't think it would be easy to get it home without damage. I do however think it would be a great antenna for portable operations, or stealthy operations at home. I plan on sharing pictures of our adventure soon.

Hope everyone's summer is going well, and we'll see everyone at the picnic. 88s and 73s from N7TNP and K7LQT, Shaun and Laura.

Hoodview Amateur Radio Club General Minutes

July 18th, 2019 at MHCC, Room 1001 at 7:30 pm

Guests: Theresa and Andy- Sister and Brother -inlaw of Cheri N7KOJ. Attendance: 36

Secretary Report: Moved Cory KA7IUG, Seconded Dennis KI7SJY, Motion Passed Treasurer Report: Moved Bob KG7JTT, Seconded Cheri N7KOJ, Motion Passed

Business:

- **<u>Program: Robotics "Team Steel Ridge"</u>** Bryan K7BAT Coach along with Mason K7RPG, Ethan, Eric and Tyler KJ7CHP. They went over the Robotics program in their school district, in Washington. First Robotics competition starts in Kindergarten and goes all the way through High School. This promotes students in the sciences. It was a very interesting talk about how the students are broken up into sub groups, like mechanical, electrical, design, business, and programming, but they all come together for one goal of creating the robot.
- 50/50 tickets: See Denny WB7UFJ for tickets.
- Break
- Field Day Report by Bryan K7BAT. This year went well. There was little interference between the stations. We also had a great number of volunteers, helping set-up the stations, run the stations, and take down on Sunday. Our hospitality tent was wonderful with plenty of snacks. Overall, the Field Day Points were up from last year. Thank you to everyone who participated in this year's Field Day and we are looking forward to next year.
- August 15th, Club Picnic at Red Sunset Park -Tina KJ7CHN is Picnic Chairperson.
 - * This takes place of the August meeting
 - * Show up anytime after 5pm
 - * Hot Dogs/Hamburgers will start to be cooking at 6pm
 - * Club will provide hamburgers/hot dogs, buns, condiments, chips, and bottled water
 - * Please bring an item to share like a Salad, Side Dish, or Dessert – please remember to bring a utensil or ice bowl for your side dish, as we do not know what the tempera ture will be in August.

- DRAWING FOR DOOR PRIZES AT THE PICNIC – Each member will get a ticket for the drawings. All door prizes have been donated to the club for this picnic.
- Dues or Website help: please see Jim KA7AGH and Bryan K7BAT
- VE Session: Saturday, July 20th, 2019 is our next scheduled testing—contact PAM KC7Q if you are able to be a VE
- Net Control: Art W7AUF, anyone who would like to be Net Control on any Wednesday, just let him know. Listen in on Wednesday nights in the month of August, as we have guest Net Control operators each week.
- **Patches**: See Leslie Burrows if you are interested in Patches, hats, or any club gear
- **50/50 Winner**: Cheri N7KOJ won 23.50 and donated it back to the club for the Repeater Fund. Total 50/50 amount was 47.00

Scott KC7ZUH adjourned the meeting at 8:37pm.

<u>**Treasurer's Report**</u> as reported at the August board meeting by treasurer, Jim



KA7AGH. Jim reported that we had three renewal memberships and took in the 50/50 drawing funds. Expenses for the month was the field day food/ snacks and some minor repeater parts like screws, nuts, and washers.

CURRENT BALANCE

General Fund	\$ 5,450.53
Restricted Funds:	
Repeater	\$ 8,321.02
Training	\$ 94.47
Scholarship	<u>\$ 2,219.87</u>
TOTAL FUNDS	\$16,085.89

We have some bills that will need to be paid when Shaun returns from vacation like the port-apotty and money to Multnomah Search and Rescue.

Hoodview Happenings

Club Calendar

Aug 1-Brd Mtg: 7:30pm @ Aug 15-Club Picnic, Red Sunset Park Sep 5-Brd Mtg: 7:30pm @ Chris' cabin Sep 19-Gen Mtg: 7:30pm @ MHCC, RM 100 Sep 21-VE Testing: 9:00am @ MHCC, HF1 Oct 3-Brd Mtg: 7:30pm @ Shaun's Oct 17-Gen Mtg: 7:30pm @ MHCC, RM 1001 Nov 2-Tech Class: 9:00 at MHCC, HF1 Nov 7-Brd Mtg: 7:30pm @ Cory's 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 @ TBA Dec 7-Christmas Banquet Dec 19-Gen Mtg: 7:30pm @ MHCC, RM 1001

August Program Scheduled

This month's program will be to have fun at the picnic.

VE Session

The next VE session is scheduled to be held on Saturday, September 21st at MHCC in the Fisheries building in the lower northeast 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.

Check into Two Hoodview Nets

The Hoodview Amateur Radio Club Information Net has been expanded to include the Club's 443.475 + UHF repeater.

The tone is the same as the 28 machine 167.9. 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 Esty Drive, Palmer, AK 99645 be net control of either net.

Every Wednesday night: HARC-2 M net on 147.28 MHz, at 7:30pm. HARC-70cm net on 443.475 at 7:45 pm

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



Sunshine Report

Cory KA7IUG had started treatment for the melanoma cancer. Everything seems to going well so far. Well wishes to Cory.

If you know of someone that we should contact, please let one of the board members know. She will send cards with the club's best wishes.

Patches, Hats, Badges

If you are interested in getting a club patch or having a name badge made with your call sign and the club's logo, then see our patch chairperson Leslie Burrows or contact her at leslieburrows 3agmail.com. She has 3.5 inch and 10 inch club patches for sale. The cost of the patches will be \$5.00(3.5 in)and \$25.00 (10 in) for each size type. Badges are under \$10 and have many options.



W7MIP Millie Pilotte 08/09 **KF7FWS** Debbie Magnuson 08/14K0CPA Martin McMahon 08/15KI7VTS Valerie Brumbelow 08/15 Doug Baldwin K7EWY 09/08 Merilyn Abe KJ7HDW 09/12KJ7FBM Gina Tallerino 09/19 KG7ADQ Chris Jensen 09/23W7SMB Sylvia Barmore 09/24Katherine Quinby KQ7TBR 09/28

Members Moved

W7LFK, Leonard Kirk and Debby moved to 1363 E

KG7VYO, Mike McAllister and Cathy moved to Mrytle Point, OR. Address unknown at the time.



Hoodview Amateur Radio Club's Annual Potluck Picnic On Thursday, August 15th In place of the August meeting

Come any time after 5:00, Hamburgers and Hotdogs will go on the grill at 6:00, then stay and visit with friends. The club will provide hamburgers, hot dogs, buns, condiments,

chips and bottled water. Please bring a Potluck item to share like Salads, Side Dishes, or Desserts.

Location will be at Red Sunset Park, 23rd and NE Hogan Road, Gresham, OR

<u>Paid Members</u> will have a chance to win some great donated door prizes this year. It will be worth it to come.

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