

**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.net](mailto:ka7iug@frontier.net)
- 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 — Scott Burrow, N7DOD

Vice President — Scott Etlinger KC7ZUH

Secretary — Cindy Etlinger, KD7IXZ

Treasurer — Jim Schoch KA7AGH

Board — Tommy Yeung KJ7HRA (1), Leslie Burrows KJ7EZO (1), Shaun Harteloo N7TNP (1), Deb Saunders KI7IDX (2), Joel Harrington N7LF (2)



**General Club Meeting**  
**on January 16th**  
**at 7:30 PM**  
**At Mt. Hood Community**  
**College, Room 1001.**  
**Hope to see you all there.**

## From The President — Scott Burrows, N7DOD

This year we conducted our first board meeting on January 2nd, 2020 at the M&M Restaurant in Gresham, Oregon. We talked about several topics, including future board meeting locations; inspiring presentations; committee chairperson enlistment; club documentation; and recruitment and retention efforts in CY2020.

I hope you will join the board members in suggesting ideas about improving the club experience. I firmly believe the board members and chairperson representatives are here to make club membership rewarding and useful. If you have any suggestions, please reach out to any board member with your comments.

We have Jim, KA7AGH presenting Digital Mobile Radio (DMR) at our first club meeting on January 16<sup>th</sup>, 2020 in room 1001 at the MHCC campus. Our club has been a leader in the deployment of DMR repeaters in the Portland Metropolitan area. We will have several DMR radios and hotspots displayed for those interested in this digital technology.

The club will be starting a technical group and will be meeting every 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday at the MHCC Fisheries 1 building. If you are interested in sharing your knowledge, learning a specific subject, or just have questions, stop by and meet with our group.

Finally, let's work together to make this year fun and rewarding for all members!!

Scott, N7DOD

## **Hoodview Amateur Radio Club**

### **General Minutes**

Meeting called to order on December 19th, 2019 at MHCC, Room 1001, 7:30 pm. Scott KC7ZUH Vice President ran the meeting due to Shaun/Laura's baby arrival. Attendance: 28

Guests: Marty and Susie, they are CB Radio people who have signed up for HARC Tech class, and a new ham Don KJ7KTF

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

Treasurer Report: Moved Bryan K7BAT, Seconded Jeff W7YJS, Motion Passed

Jim KA7AGH, notified the membership of an issue PayPal is doing through the club's website. When members signed up for the website, they had the option to check a box for PayPal to automatically charge their card to renew their club membership when theirs expired. However, what has happened is that the website sends out reminders to each club member when their membership will expire and our members are going on to the website and paying their dues. Then when the membership expires, PayPal is automatically taking that membership due amount. So, the member is paying twice. Jim has been refunding this money when he sees it happening. To fix this the member needs to go on the website and change their account settings. If you need help on doing this, please see Jim KA7AGH

#### **Business:**

**Elections:** Cory KA7IUG passed out the ballots for the 2020 Club Board Members. Each member at the meeting completed a ballot and the ballots were collected. Cory KA7IUG and Denny WB7UFJ counted and signed off on the ballot results. Scott KC7ZUH read the results of the 2020 HARC Board members and they are as follows:

**President:** Scott N7DOD

**Vice President:** Scott KC7ZUH

**Secretary:** Cindy KD7IXZ

**Treasurer:** Jim KA7AGH

**Board members:** Joel N7LF - 2-year term

Deb KI7IDX - 2-year term

Tommy KJ7HRA - 1-year term

Scott KC7ZUH asked if the incoming President wanted to say anything, and Scott N7DOD talked

about this Technical class that he will be starting up in January. This will be on the 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday of the month in the Fishery building where the Ham Classes are taught and the VE Testing is done. This meeting would be for classes on topics that club members would like to know more about, and/or for Elmer's to help out new members and/or answer questions of new members or current members who are having issues with radios/antenna/repeaters etc..... More info to come in January.

**50/50 tickets:** See Denny WB7UFJ for tickets.

#### **Break**

**Dues or Website help:** please see Jim KA7AGH and/or contact Bryan K7BAT

**Wednesday Net Event:** Kenn K7ENN was Net Control on this last Wednesday net, Kenn said it went well, and he believes there was about 28-30 check ins. THANK YOU, KENN, FOR BEING NET CONTROL.

Art W7AUF will not be available for the month of January to be Net Control, if anyone is available, please let Cory KA7IUG know.

Art W7AUF will also not be available for Net Control on Christmas December 25, 2019- if anyone can help out with net control, please let Cory KA7IUG know and she will pass the info on to Art.

**SANTA Net:** Santa Net will be happening this Saturday, December 21<sup>st</sup> at 3pm. On the club's VHF Repeater - Cory KA7IUG will be Net Control for this Special Santa Net. If you have any children who would like to talk to Santa, listen in on Saturday.

**DMR Net:** Jim KA7AGH wanted to let the club members know that Steve WA7HAA runs a DMR net at 8pm. Contact Steve for more information if you are interested.

**Sunshine: Sending BIG Get Well Wishes to Art's wife Rose, who recently had to have emergency Gal Bladder surgery.**

**Patches:** See Leslie KJ7EZO if you are interested in Patches, hats, or any club gear

**Christmas Banquet:** Christmas Banquet was a lot of fun, and we had a great turn out for it. Cory KA7IUG wanted to say **THANK YOU** to Cheri N7KOJ and Joel N7LF for being such gracious hosts.

**50/50 Winner:** Cindy KD7IXZ won 21.00 and donated it to the Training fund. Total 50/50 pool was 42.00.

Scott KC7ZUH adjourned the meeting at 8:22pm.

# Hoodview Happenings

## Club Calendar

Jan 2-Brd Mtg: 7:30pm @ M&M Restaurant  
 Jan 16- Gen Mtg: 7:30pm @ MHCC, RM 1001  
 Jan 18- VE Testing: 9:00am @ MHCC, HF1  
Jan 25-Technical Training @ MHCC, HF1, 9-12  
 Feb 6-Brd Mtg: 7:30pm @ M&M Restaurant  
 Feb 20-Gen Mtg: 7:30pm @ MHCC, RM 1001  
Feb 22-Technical Training @ MHCC, HF1, 9-12  
 Mar 5-Brd Mtg: 7:30pm @ M&M Restaurant  
 Mar 7-Technician Class, 9 am, MHCC HF1  
 Mar 14-Technician Class, 9 am, MHCC HF1  
 Mar 19 -Gen Mtg: 7:30pm @ MHCC, RM 1001  
 Mar 21 -VE Testing: 9:00am @ MHCC, HF1  
Mar 28-Technical Training @ MHCC, HF1, 9-12  
 Apr 2-Brd Mtg: 7:30pm @ M&M Restaurant  
 Apr 16-Gen Mtg: 7:30pm @ MHCC, RM 1001  
 Apr 25-March of Dimes: 7-11:00 am, Portland  
Apr 25-Technical Training @ MHCC, HF1, 9-12  
 May 2- General Class, 9 am, MHCC HF1  
 May 2-Spring Banquet  
 May 7- Brd Mtg: 7:30pm @ M&M Restaurant  
 May 9-General Class, 9 am, MHCC HF1  
 May 16-VE Testing: 9:00am @ MHCC, HF1  
 May 21-Gen Mtg: 7:30pm @ MHCC, RM 1001  
May 23-Technical Training @ MHCC, HF1, 9-12  
 Jun 5-7-SeaPac Convention, Seaside  
 June 11-Brd Mtg: 7:30pm @ M&M Restaurant  
 June 18-Gen Mtg: 7:30pm @ MHCC, RM 1001  
 June 26-28-Field Day, Larch Mt.  
No June Technical Training Class  
 July 2-Brd Mtg: 7:30pm @ M&M Restaurant  
 July 16-Gen Mtg: 7:30pm @ MHCC, RM 1001  
 July 18-VE Testing: 9:00am @ MHCC, HF1  
July 25-Technical Training @ MHCC, HF1, 9-12  
 Aug 6-Brd Mtg: 7:30pm @ M&M Restaurant  
 Aug 20-Gen Mtg: 7:30pm @ MHCC, RM 1001  
Aug 22-Technical Training @ MHCC, HF1, 9-12  
 Sep 3-Brd Mtg: 7:30pm @ M&M Restaurant  
 Sep 17-Gen Mtg: 7:30pm @ MHCC, RM 100  
 Sep 19-VE Testing: 9:00am @ MHCC, HF1  
Sep 26-Technical Training @ MHCC, HF1, 9-12  
 Oct 1-Brd Mtg: 7:30pm @ M&M Restaurant  
 Oct 15-Gen Mtg: 7:30pm @ MHCC, RM 1001  
Oct 24-Technical Training @ MHCC, HF1, 9-12  
 Nov 5-Brd Mtg: 7:30pm @ M&M Restaurant  
 Nov 7-Tech Class: 9:00 at MHCC, HF1  
 Nov 14-Tech Class: 9:00 at MHCC, RM HF1  
 Nov 19-Gen Mtg: 7:30pm @ MHCC, RM 1001  
Nov 21-VE Testing: 9:00am @ MHCC, HF1  
 Dec 3-Brd Mtg: 7:30pm @ M&M Restaurant  
 Dec 5-Christmas Banquet  
 Dec 17-Gen Mtg: 7:30pm @ MHCC, RM 1001

## Refreshments Schedule

If you would like to see refreshments (cookies and juice) at the monthly club meetings, please see Scott N7DOD. No one is signed up for 2020.



**January Program Scheduled**—Jim KA7AGH will present a program on local DMR.

## Check into Two Hoodview Nets

The Hoodview Amateur Radio Club Information Net has been expanded both repeaters. 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: HARC—2 M net on 147.28 MHz, at 7:30pm. HARC—70cm net on 443.475 at 7:45 pm



## Sunshine Committee Report

It is with a sad heart that we announce the passing of one of the club's founding members. Floyd Allen Loftis K7POS (previous WB7Big JumpingFrog). A memorial will be planned later in the month and details will be found on the Facebook page and the Information Nets once we learn more.

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

## Happy Birthday to our Members

W4OMA	Diane Bishop	01/02
W4OPA	Larry Bishop	01/09
KC7Q	Pam Woods	01/10
No call	Leslie Burrows	01/13
KI7VKM	Keith Bybee	01/18
KG7OTW	Rob Remler	01/18
KF7INQ	Richard Mohley	01/19
KA7AGH	Jim Schoch	01/19
KJ7FBH	Richard Okita	02/01
KJ7AUJ	Kanyon Reams	02/02
K7PN	Paul Nyland	02/04
KF7RBV	ANN Gaffke	02/06
KG7ZWS	Dean Di Pietrantonio	02/10
AI9Q	C. Wayne Schuler	02/15
WA7HAA	Steve LaValley	02/25







### Santa Claus Net

Queenie Sparkles (KA7IUG), Net Control would like to thank “Santa Claus” (WB7UFJ—Denny) for getting on the air with thirteen little ones from seven different locations on Saturday, December 21st. Santa was heard trying to pawn off a hippopotamus to one little tyke. A four-legged son asked for an Anytone Radio. Plus we were happy to hear that one 12 year-old wanted a ham license.

Santa was having as much fun talking to the kiddos as the they had talking with him. You could hear the excitement of the young voices as they listened to “his” voice on the radio. Santa assured all of the children that he had been watching and they were on the good girl or boy list. I believe this added to the sparkle and spirit of the season and maybe will increase the interest of young voices in ham radio. Our Santa Net is growing each year. Thanks again, Santa (rest up for next year).





**Treasurer's Report** as reported at the January 2019 board meeting by treasurer, Jim KA7AGH. Jim reported that we received some dues, banquet monies, donations plus 50/50. We paid out banquet charges. *CURRENT BALANCE*



General Fund	\$ 4,618.03
Restricted Funds:	
Repeater	\$ 7,008.17
Training	\$ 115.47
Scholarship	\$ 2,219.87
<b>TOTAL FUNDS</b>	<b>\$13,961.54</b>

### **Congratulations to the 2020 Board**

Good luck to next year's officers.

- President: Scott N7DOD
- Vice President: Scott KC7ZUH
- Secretary: KD7IXZ
- Treasurer: Jim KA7AGH
- Board positions:
  - Tommy KJ7HRA
  - Leslie KJ7EZO
  - Deb KI7IDX
  - Joel N7LF
- Past President: Shaun N7TNP

The new officers will take over in January.



### **Patches, Hats, Badges**

Patches, name badges, and hats are now offered on our webpage. You can order and pay for them there and Leslie will bring them to the next club meeting. 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 [leslieburrows07@comcast.net](mailto:leslieburrows07@comcast.net). 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).

### **Roster Updates**

An updated roster will be posted soon to the website for our members only. If you would like credit for an upgrade, changed your email address or dropped your landline, please drop an email to Cory [ka7iug@frontier.com](mailto:ka7iug@frontier.com) so that the change can be corrected before the roster comes out.

### **VE Session**

The next VE session is scheduled to be held on Saturday, January 18th 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.



### **Classy Radio Red Hatters**

We got together to see the Nutcracker performed by Allergo Ballet Troupe in December. Pictured (L-R): Cheryl, Sandy, Cory KA7IUG, Merilyn KJ7HDW, and Leslie KJ7EZO.



### **DATELINE INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL**

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**Welcome New Member(s)**

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[donspok@gmail.com](mailto:donspok@gmail.com) XYL: Kathy

KG7ZWS (T) Dean Di Pietrantonio  
 16340 SE Scoria Lane, Damascus, OR 97089  
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 BD: 2/10

**For Sale Items**

Icom ID 5100— Mobile dual  
 band, 144-440, with touch  
 screen, remote head. All Manuals and packag-  
 es. New condition. Contact Art W7AUF 503 803  
 9249

Icom IC 7100—Base or mobile, remote head, 2 me-  
 ters, 440, 6 meters through 160, All modes. like  
 new includes all paper work and original packages.  
 Contact Art W7AUF 503-803-9249

Yaseu FT-1000MP Mark V. It has all of the filters  
 added to the rig. Come with external Power Supply.  
 Contact Cory KA7IUG 503-781-9095.

**Program Search**

The board is looking for interesting topics and  
 programs for the meetings. If you would like to pre-  
 sent a program please see one of the board members.  
 If you have an idea, also see one of them.

**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.

**Dues Can Be Paid**

Don't forget to pay your 2020 Dues! See Jim  
 KA7AGH at the meeting or use page six and mail  
 them in to the post office box. The other option is to  
 pay them online using Paypal. The roster will be  
 held up until the end of January or the first of Febru-  
 ary.

Membership dues entitle you to the  
 online newsletter, a roster, full website ac-  
 cess and voting privileges. Dues for 2020:  
 Regular Member—\$20 or  
 Family Membership—\$25

**HOODVIEW AMATEUR RADIO CLUB MEMBERSHIP FORM**

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

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Home Phone: _____	Cell Phone: _____	License Class: _____
Email: _____		Birth Date: _____
Address: _____		
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Spouse Name: _____		Call Sign: _____
Home Phone: _____	Cell Phone: _____	License Class: _____
Email: _____		Birth Date: _____
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