

**Points of Interest:**

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

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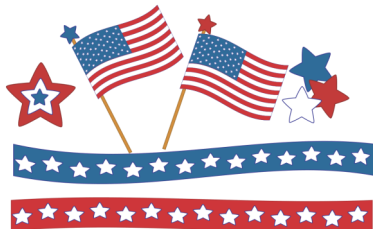
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HOODVIEW NEWS



General Club Meeting - July 15th at 7:30 PM. We will have a virtual meeting on WebEx. See newsletter, page 8 for details.

Greetings From the President –



I hope everyone had a wonderful and safe 4th of July in celebration of Independence. Since the governor recently opened the State there is a lot of good news for everybody. We can all get together and do things in groups again. This was a big discussion in the board meeting. The board has agreed to meet next month (August) in-person, which is great, we have already secured a location to have the meeting. Unfortunately, this does not mean that Mount Hood Community College is open yet. I have talked to Jeff Sperley and he informed me that the college has put together a committee to see what they are going to be doing about access to the College Campus. I have a location that I am looking into as a meeting location, after August, other than Mount Hood Community College so we can meet sooner than the College will let us.

Dust off your recipe of your favorite salads or desserts to share. The board has approved having a Club picnic for the August club meeting. There are a lot of things that need to get done before the picnic, any help that you are willing to give us please let me know. I have some positions to fill. Mr. Doolittle and Mr. Clulow volunteered to cook as they have done in the past years. As always, the club will supply burgers, hotdogs, condiments, and beverages.

Field Day 2021 is now past us. It provided major changes in life but always a unique experience. Once again, Joel put in hours of work to make Field Day happen for Hoodview Amateur Radio Club. The number of contacts does not really matter as much as having a good time, and a great learning experience. I enjoyed the conversation, the warm weather, good conversation, and a good group of club members. As some of you know I don't like the hot weather, but with a little breeze to keep things just right, sitting in the shade of Joel's trailer, it was bearable. Unfortunately, I didn't take provisions to spend the night up there. It would have been an awesome night to be out camping with the weather being perfect for an overnight camp out. But now we have next year to look forward to and we can work on planning a large campout for field day 2022. I will have to start working on my camp gear so that I can camp out the whole weekend.

I had a conversation with Cheri about our Winter Banquet at Sayler's Country Kitchen. Cheri talked to them, and they are no longer doing banquets at least for now, hopefully this will change. I always enjoy the Country Kitchen; I have been going there since I was just a baby watching the cows in the pasture on the west side of the restaurant. Hopefully, they will change their mind, until then if you would like to make some suggestions on a banquet location feel free to let me Cheri or I know your ideas.

73, Chris Jensen KG7ADQ

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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.

President: Chris Jensen KG7ADQ

Vice President: Kenn Clulow K7ENN

Secretary: Shaun Harteloo N7TNP

Treasurer: Jim Schoch KA7AGH

Board Members: Rob Remler K7MR; Tommy Yeung KJ7HRA; Larry Bishop W4OPA; Dennis Desper KI7SJY; Joel Harrington N7LF

2021 Club Calendar

July 15-Gen Mtg: 7:30pm @

July 17-VE Testing: 9:00am @

Aug 5-Brd Mtg: 7:30pm @

Aug 19-Annul Picnic Meeting

Sep 2-Brd Mtg: 7:30pm @

Sep 16-Gen Mtg: 7:30pm @

Sep 18-VE Testing: 9:00am @

Oct 7-Brd Mtg: 7:30pm @

Oct 21-Gen Mtg: 7:30pm @

Nov 4-Brd Mtg: 7:30pm @

Nov 6-Tech Class: 9:00 at

Nov 13-Tech Class: 9:00 at

Nov 18-Gen Mtg: 7:30pm @

Nov 20-VE Testing: 9:00am @

Dec 2-Brd Mtg: 7:30pm @

Dec 16-Gen Mtg: 7:30pm @

Dec 19—Santa Net on 147.28

New Roster Updates

Attached to this email is a updated roster. Feel free to download it or print it and keep it handy to contact other members.

Remember when you change your email address, drop a landline or make other changes, please send Cory KA7IUG an email so that the roster can be up-date.

Check into Two Hoodview Nets

The Hoodview Amateur Radio Club Information Net has been expanded to 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. Contact Art W7AUF to volunteer.

The net is held every Wednesday night:
 HARC—2 M net on 147.28 MHz at 7:30pm.
 HARC—70cm net on 443.475 at 7:45 pm

July Program Scheduled

Field Day Recap & Simplex Net

Sunshine Committee Report



Please keep me, Cory KA7IUG in your thoughts and prayers since I stepped out of a utility trailer in a most graceful way and dislocated my knee cap and broken three bones in my left foot. I am home waiting for surgery soon. And not to feel left out Jim KA7AGH fell over a parking curb and sprained his wrist. He is also sporting a brace. We both hope everyone else in the club stays well.

If you know of any other members that need well wishes, please let Mary Taylor know at 541-425-0213 or marytaylor.portorford@gmail.com.



Hoodview's Facebook Page

Did you know that the club has a Facebook page that we share information about classes, activities, etc. for club members and interested hams? The page is Hoodview Amateur Radio Club—WB7QIW. To join just like the page and click join. You will be asked if you are a ham (call sign) or interested in ham radio. Check out <https://www.facebook.com/groups/709367785838462/>

Happy Birthday to our Members

W7IG	Armand Pilotte	07/01
K6PCO	Earle Conklin	07/05
K0INE	Gary Brumbelow	07/10
N7CVZ	Michael Welch	07/11
W7SIR	John Barmore	07/18
K7ENN	Kenn Clulow	07/25
KG7ZRA	Karlan Hutchinson	07/25
KJ7TPD	Mary Taylor	07/28
KI7SJY	Dennis Desper	07/31

Hoodview Simplex Frequency

Did you know that if our repeater goes down during an emergency or is being used by MCARES, that the members should check in on the 443.475 repeater or use 147.48 Simplex and 147.52 Simplex? We will monitor those frequencies to offer assistance if available.

HARC June 17th General Meeting Minutes

Chris, KG7ADQ called the meeting to order at 7:30 PM. Absent Board Members: W7OPA, KI7SJY
Guests: Josh K7OSH

Program: Chris turned the meeting over to Joel to talk about Field Day 2021.

Secretary's Report: Shaun reported that the May General meeting minutes were printed in the June newsletter. Cheri Harrington moves to accept the report as printed in the newsletter. Kirk Goins seconds the motion. Motion Passes

Treasurers Report: Jim reported that the treasurers report was printed in the June newsletter. Rob Remler moved to accept report as printed in the newsletter. Bernie seconds the motion. Motion passes

Committees:

- *Sunshine:* Mary Taylor joined the meeting and let us know that she is sending well wishes for birthdays and get well cards. Cory reported Dennis Desper's cancer is back, Mary will get a card to him.
- *Nominating Committee:* Kenn is chairing the nominations committee. Please see Kenn if you would like to be on the 2022 board.

Business:

Greg is activating Mount St Helens (Summits on the Air) 6/20 @ 12:30 PM. VHF on 146.58, 14.346 and 7.225 for HF.

Rob was appreciative that the club has listed simplex frequencies in the June newsletter. The frequencies are 147.480 and 147.520. These frequencies will be the publicized frequencies that the club uses for simplex. We are also talking about starting a simplex net using these frequencies.

Tree gatherings continue every Saturday morning at 8:00 am under the tree on Stark and Troutdale road. Bring a coat and a meal if you are hungry.

7/3/2021 Dinner at Lowes parking lot in Wood Village @ 6 PM. Bring your own dinner.

Cory reminded members to update their profiles and send her updates as she prepares the roster. Shaun will email Cory the roster from the database. Cory makes a motion to adjourn, Rob seconds, meeting adjourns at 8:38 PM

Respectfully Submitted, Shaun N7TNP



Gatherings at the "Tree"

We invite all members to meet under the tree on Saturday mornings at 8:00 am for coffee and conversation time. Bring your own chair, your own coffee and breakfast, if you want. We hope to see many of you there. The tree is located on the corner of SE Stark and SE Troutdale Road.

Check into the net on Wednesday night or check the Facebook page for these impromptu gatherings. They are always weather dependent (wind, rain, sunshine).

Club Patches

We have these beautiful patches in stock. You can request Jim KA7AGH to meet up with you to purchase either size. The cost of the patches will be \$5 (3.5 in) and \$20 (10 in). Two sizes: ten inch, two color (blue and white for jackets) and 3.5 inch, colored (white, green and blue for shirts and hats). If you are interested in getting a club name badge made with your call sign and the club's logo, he can also assist you with that. Or you can go to Crown Trophy, 811 N Main Ave, Gresham, OR 97030. They can make pin or magnet backs. Cost is under \$10.

Crown Trophy can customize stainless steel coffee mugs as pictured here.



HARC July 1st, 2021 Board Meeting Minutes

Chris, KG7ADQ called the meeting to order at 7:32 PM. Jim KA7AGH was absent.

Treasurers Report: Jim emailed the Treasurers Report, and Chris covered. Shaun moved to accept as Jim emailed. Tommy seconds the motion. Motion passes

Secretary's Report: Shaun reported that the June Board meeting minutes were printed in the June newsletter. Dennis moves to accept the report as printed in the newsletter. Rob seconds the motion. Motion Passes

Committees:

- *Sunshine:* Larry thanked the club for the card he received. Cory broke her foot, Jim hurt his wrist.
- *Policy And Procedures:* No Updates

Business:

Field Day: 20 Contacts on Voice up at Larch. Joel reported spending quite a bit of time training. Shaun reported under 100 contacts from FT8, 20 meters was difficult, but 40 was the better band.

Talked about using the technical classes, we hope to start back up after the pandemic restrictions lift, to train people prior to the next field day.

Meetings:

Webex is good to go for the July General Meeting, Shaun will send out the normal emails.

The July meeting program will be Field Day wrap up and Simplex Net Operating Procedures.

For August we discussed attempting to get the Picnic going now that restrictions on gatherings are lifting. Discussed the club providing burgers and we typically have members bring sides. We typically have the picnic at Red Sunset Park, but we need a permit, which Cory typically obtains. If we can't get in at Red Sunset, there are other parks we can look at. Rob made a motion to spend up to \$200.00 on the picnic. Shaun Seconds. Motion Passes

The September meeting will be Ken Owens presenting MARS.

Repeater: Joel reports that there has been progress on the repeater work that will allow us to activate a receiver at MHMC.

Simplex Net: Shaun and Rob talked about the Simplex net. Initial date picked was the 2nd and 4th Thursday of the month at 7:30 PM. Kenn mentioned that this date conflicts with other monthly events. Shaun and Rob then proposed the 2nd and 4th Tuesdays, which was accepted as good days for a net. There was discussion about the club officially endorsing the net as a club event. Shaun made a motion that the club officially recognize the simplex net as a Hoodview net. Kenn seconds. Motion passes.

Kenn makes a motion to adjourn, Rob seconds, meeting adjourns at 8:38 PM

Respectfully Submitted, Shaun N7TNP

Treasurer's Report as reported at the July 1st, 2021 Board meeting. Jim emailed the report to board members prior to the meeting. There were no deposits or debts paid from June 10th to July 1st. Balances are the same as last month.

**CURRENT BALANCE**

General Fund	\$ 5,688.04
Repeater	\$ 7,464.68
Training	\$ 115.47
Scholarship	\$ 2,239.87
<u>TOTAL FUNDS</u>	\$15,508.06

August Picnic-Club Meeting

We will hold our first in-person club meeting in August.

On August 19th, we will meet at Red Sunset Park for our annual club picnic. Arrive anytime after 5:00. Club furnished hamburgers and hotdogs will go on the grill at 6:00 pm. Red Sunset Park is located just off of Hogan and 23rd.

**DATELINE INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL**

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VE Testing for Ham Licenses

You are REQUIRED to register in the FCC CORES system and receive a FCC Registration Number (FRN) before exam day. Candidates could go directly to the FCC CORES User Account and Registration page: <https://apps.fcc.gov/cores/userLogin.do>. VECs are required by the FCC to submit your FRN with your license application form. New license applicants should create an FCC user account and register their Social Security Number (SSN) in the FCC Commission Registration System (CORES) before attending exam sessions. Registrants will be assigned an FRN which will be used in all license transactions with the FCC. Also, effective in June an amateur radio licensee must provide the FCC with an email address on all applications. If no email address is included, the FCC may dismiss the application as “defective.” Once an email address is provided, the FCC will email a link to an official electronic copy of the license grant. An official copy will also be available at any time by accessing the licensee’s password-protected Universal Licensing System account.

Here are a few of the upcoming local VE sessions:

7/17/2021—Troutdale OR

Time: 9:00 AM (No walk-ins/register or call ahead)
Contact: Pamela Woods Email: gofish@hevanet.com
Locations: Troutdale Community Church 921 Buxton Avenue, Troutdale, OR 97060

7/17/2021—Vancouver, WA

Time: 10:00 AM (No walk-ins/register or call ahead)
Contact: Wayne Schuler (360) 892-5580
Email: ai9q@arrl.net Location: Vancouver Stake Center, 10509 SE 5th St, Vancouver WA 98664-4617

8/7/2021—Portland, OR

Time: 1:00 PM (No walk-ins/register or call ahead)
Contact: John D. Bucsek (503) 803-6134
Email: ke7wnb@gmail.com
Location: Cedar Hills Baptist Church, 2470 SW Roxbury Ave, Portland OR 97225-4440

8/15/2021—Battle Ground, WA

Time: 10:00 AM (No walk-ins/register or call ahead)
Contact: Barry A. Wells bwells98629@gmail.com
Kiwaniis Park, 422 SW 2nd Ave, Battle Ground WA



Hoodview Holds VE Session

The next VE session is scheduled to be held on Saturday, July 17th at Troutdale Community Church, 921 Buxton Rd, Troutdale, OR 97060 at 9:00 with added safety protocols. Our session will be limited seating and pre-registration only. Contact either Pam KC7Q at gofish@hevanet.com or **503-956-7282**.

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). We hope to start VE testing in March at the church.

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 as participants are limited.

The club and the test takers would like to thank the Volunteer Examiners who volunteer their time to coordinate the VE sessions.

Renewing Your Dues

There are many ways to do renew your membership while we are still meeting virtually. We hope you will join us for another year. You can fill out the form on the last page and mail it in to the PO Box or you can renew using Paypal from the club website. If you have trouble logging in then reach out to Shaun or Cory for help. Remember if you use Paypal, please check for your auto renew status before renewing. Some members have auto-renew set up and by paying earlier than your renewal date, you may pay twice for your membership, which will cause us to return your second payment. You will find this in Paypal and not on the wb7qiw.org website. Here are the directions to find your Paypal status or leave it as it is.

- Login to Paypal and go to settings
- Click payments
- Go to Manage Automatic Payments
- Select Hoodview from the list
- Renewal Date Amount etc. will be presented
- Cancel on this screen



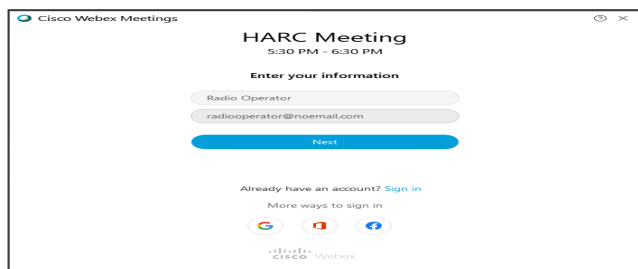
Virtual Meeting Information.

We are currently hosting our meetings online since we can not gather. Shaun N7TNP wrote up these simple directions for members to follow. If you need additional help. You may call/email him at kf7skb@gmail.com or 503-512-0199.

Joining a HARC WebEx Virtual Meeting

Click the 'Join Meeting' link in the email you received from Hoodview Amateur Radio Club. You will be prompted to download the WebEx Meeting Client, if you do not already have it. Once it is downloaded open the file.

You will get a new window that asks for your **Name and Email Address.** Please enter your name and an email address, as this allows us to track attendees.



Click on Next, and then select to disable video,

and mute your microphone. This is a best practice for HARC meetings to reduce background noise (mute TV, music, cell phones) and bandwidth usage. You can use your computer for audio, or dial in with a telephone. Select from the drop down in the middle what you plan on doing, and follow the instructions. The call in details will pop up once you click on join meeting.



Once you are in the meeting you can control meeting settings like mute, and other features with the 7 circles at the bottom center of the WebEx application. You might have to move your mouse over WebEx to see the options in the window.

HOODVIEW AMATEUR RADIO CLUB MEMBERSHIP FORM

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

DUES: SINGLE MEMBERSHIP \$20; FAMILY MEMBERSHIP \$25

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: _____