



Points of Interest:

- 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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General Club Meeting - October 21st at 7:30 PM. We will have a virtual meeting on WebEx. Links and reminders will be sent out via email on Tuesday of that week.



Greetings From the President – Chris Jensen KG7ADQ

Wow, this year has gone by fast, at least for me. It has been an interesting year again, but at least things are settling down. Cherri Harrington N7KOJ has put a lot of work into getting a Winter Banquet put together for us this year, and I am thrilled to say that she found a place for us to have it during the first part of December. More details to follow in newsletter.

Also, I would like to let you know that we have made an agreement with the Church in Troutdale to have our December meeting in person. This is an important meeting as we have our elections. So, I would like to encourage everyone to attend this meeting.

Elections are coming, and I would like to encourage everyone to be a participant in the Club board; it is not as difficult as people might think. I thought it would be a nightmare to be a President. Now that I have experienced it, it has been fun, and not as challenging as I expected. I know that I have plenty of support behind me. With all the good club members, there will always be good support. If you are willing to help, if you are even somewhat interested, please contact me or any other board member. We will be happy to discuss with you where your interests lie and help you figure out what position fits your interest. As this is my ninth straight year being on the board, I have had the honor of serving in several positions. I look forward to seeing some fresh faces on the upcoming Board, along with those who will remain. During October's General Club Meeting, nominations from the floor will be opened. If you wish to nominate someone, we do ask that you have the individual's permission to give their name for a position. If they are not present at the meeting, we will do our best to confirm their consent to the nomination. Volunteers are always welcome.

73. Chris Jensen KG7ADO

Hoodview Amateur Radio Club WB7QIW PO Box 95I, 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.

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

Oct 21-Gen Mtg: 7:30pm @

Oct 26—Simplex Net on 147.48 at 7:30 pm

Nov 4-Brd Mtg: 7:30pm @ Nov 6-Tech Class: 9:00 at Nov 13-Tech Class: 9:00 at

Nov 16—Simplex Net on 147.48 @ 7:30 pm

Nov 18-Gen Mtg: 7:30pm @ Nov 20-VE Testing: 9:00am @ Dec 2-Brd Mtg: 7:30pm @

Dec 4-Winter Banquet: 6:00 @ Heidi's Dec 14—Simplex Net on 147.48 @ 7:30 pm

Dec 16-Gen Mtg: 7:30pm @ Dec 19—Santa Net on 147.28

Check into the 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.

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

Sunshine Committee Report

Harold Swenk, W7YOY SK. It is with a sad heart that we report that Harold has passed away this month. Harold was a past member of Hoodview and served on the board and as Vice President many times. He was a Sargent with Multnomah County Sheriff Deputy. His wife Judy is a member of the Red Hat group affiliated with the club. RIP Harold.

If you know of any members that need well wishes, please let Mary know at <u>marytay-lor.portorford@gmail.com</u> or 541-425-0213.

October Program

Summit on the Air (SOTA), Part Two by KJ7EHA-Greg Letendre

Happy Birthday to our Members

| N7LF | Joel Harrington | 10/02 |
|--------|-----------------|-------|
| KJ7CHL | Don Greer | 10/03 |
| K7GNR | Henry Lines | 10/15 |
| KJ7ANJ | Steven Stewart | 10/29 |
| KG7NFN | Ryan Welch | 11/01 |
| N7LTC | Stephen Norton | 11/03 |
| KJ7KTK | Keith Park | 11/09 |
| W7NTR | Bryce Davis | 11/10 |
| K8CSG | Sue Gary | 11/11 |
| K2MAX | Max Sabo | 11/15 |
| KC7PZW | Marty Fadness | 11/16 |
| N7QR | Russ Mickiewicz | 11/16 |
| K7CN | Carl Neilsen | 11/17 |
| N7TNP | Shaun Harteloo | 11/22 |
| KD7HHN | Dean Wright | 11/22 |
| WB7UFJ | Denny Doolittle | 11/24 |
| N7PFY | Cindy Hopkins | 11/29 |
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New Roster Updates

Remember when you change your email address, drop a landline or make other changes, please send Cory KA7IUG an email at ka7iug@frontier.com so that the roster can be update.

Gatherings at the "Tree"

Are canceled at this time. It is just too cold and rainy for our old bones.



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.

September HARC General Meeting Minutes September 16th, 2021

Chris, KG7ADQ called the meeting to order at 7:32 PM. Chris called roll through the board members. We had 1 guest, Jeff Mason KE7GKU

Program: Chris turned the meeting over to Rob K7MR to introduce our presenter this evening. Rob introduced Ken who will cover Military Radio Auxiliary Service (MARS). Ken presented about MARS. and had some audio clips sharing how their nets operate. He then turned the meeting back over to Chris.

Secretary's Report:

- Shaun reported that there were no August minutes because the Picnic was held in place of our August meeting. Shaun also reported that the July minutes were printed in the August newsletter.
- Rob K7MR Moves to accept the July minutes as printed in the August newsletter.
- Larry W4OPA seconds the motion.
- Motion passes

Treasurers Report:

- Jim reported that the treasurers report was printed Committees: in the August newsletter.
- Cheri N7KOJ moved to accept report as printed in the newsletter.
- Steve WA7HAA seconds the motion.
- Motion passes

Committees:

- Sunshine: Nothing to report, everyone stay
- Website: We ask the members to check their contact info on wb7qiw.org and update if needed.
- Nominating Committee: Kenn K7ENN is chairing the nominations committee. Please see Kenn if you would like to be on the 2022 board. We need a Secretary, Treasurer, Vice President, President, and 2 board members.

Kenn K7ENN moves to adjourn the meeting, Rob K7MR seconds. Meeting adjourns at 8:29 PM

Respectfully Submitted, Shaun N7TNP

October HARC Board Meeting Minutes October 7th, 2021

Chris, KG7ADQ called the meeting to order at 7:30 PM. All board members were present. Tommy and Shaun were present via Webex.

Secretary's Report:

- Shaun reported that the September Board meeting minutes were printed in the September newsletter. Shaun appreciates the corrections from the August meeting minutes, a clerical error caused by reusing previous month as an ongoing template.
- Dennis moves to accept the report as printed in the newsletter.
- Jim seconds the motion
- **Motion Passes**

Treasurers Report:

- Jim emailed and covered the Treasurers Report.
- Kenn moved to accept as Jim covered.
- Tommy seconds the motion.
- Motion passes

- Sunshine: No Updates
- Policies and Procedures: No Updates
- Website: Wordpress upgrade was completed in September. We also had a site outage caused by an issue with the server. QTH seems to have resolved the problem. Shaun will add the roster query to the site to only have to publish a PDF once a vear.
- Nomination: We have 2 volunteers so far for 2022. Kirk Goins and Larry Bishop.
- Repeater: No major updates, voting receiver is still being worked on.

Meetings:

October meeting will continue to be virtual. Greg will do a SOTA follow up to cover how to use the SOTA platform to log contacts. We are looking at holding general meetings at the Church. The church is asking for \$50 per meeting held there, and they also want to see our insurance coverage. Jim will call the insurer to see if he can get a copy. Joel moved the board to authorize a \$50.00 payment to hold the December General meeting at the church.

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Banquet and Awards Ceremony

- Cheri has contacted Heidi's about having our awards ceremony there on December 4th. They require \$100 deposit to reserve the space, the deposit will go towards our bill at the close of the night.
- Jim made a motion to pay the \$100 deposit for December 4th Banquet.
- Dennis Seconds
- Motion passes

Simplex Net schedule for November and December will be the Tuesday prior to the meetings because both weeks after the meetings are holiday weeks.

With the weather changing we plan on restarting our breakfast gatherings at Heidi's on Saturdays at 7:00 AM for the winter season.

Dennis moves to adjourn, Kenn seconds. Meeting adjourns at 8:22 PM.

Respectfully Submitted Shaun N7TNP

<u>Treasurer's Report</u> as reported at the October Board Meeting by treasurer, Jim KA7AGH. Jim reported that our income for the month was one dues renewal and consignment and SeaPac



sales. We paid out the trailer, equipment, liability insurance and sent Linda Penland a consignment check. Bank and Checkbook balanced. Kenn K7ENN made a motion to accept the treasurer's report that was emailed out to all of the board members, Tommy KJ7HRA seconded the motion, Motion passed with a call of the board members.

CURRENT BALANCE

| General Fund | \$ 5,151.42 |
|--------------|-------------|
| Repeater | \$ 7,500.68 |
| Training | \$ 115.47 |
| Scholarship | \$ 2,239.87 |
| TOTAL FUNDS | \$15,007.44 |

2021 Board or Officer?

We will begin the process to nominate and elect the 2021 officers soon. Nominations will be opened at the club meeting in October.



The club will be looking for members to run for President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer and two board positions. Rob Remler K7MR and Tommy Yeung KJ7HRA have more year in their term of office while Larry Bishop W4OPA and Dennis Desper KI7SJY will be completing their term the end of December.

During the time before the October and November meeting, please take time to consider your roll in the Hoodview club. Is it your turn to step forward and help guide the club in 2020? Do you have some ideas to share with the board?

Hoodview's Facebook Page

Did you know that the club has a Face-book 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/

Fun and Friendship

Classy Radio Red Hatters are looking for fun new members. Have you seen women out and about wearing red hats or pink hats? They might belong to a Red Hat Society chapter. It is an world wide organization of ladies who want to have fun and friendship. If you have a YL/XYL and they would like to meet with other ladies (hams or wives of hams) contact Cory for details. We get together once a month to meet and share friendship. During Covid, we are trying to meet outdoors.



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 find your Paypal status or leave it as it is. 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: 10/16/2021—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

10/17/2021—Battle Ground, WA

Time: 10:00 AM (No walk-ins/register or call ahead) Contact: Barry A. Wells bwells98629@gmail.com Kiwanis Park, 422 SW 2nd Ave, Battle Ground WA 11/6/2021—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 Rox-

bury Ave, Portland OR 97225-4440

11/20/2021—Troutdale OR

Time: 9:00 AM (No walk-ins/register or call ahead) Contact: Pamela Woods Email: gofish@hevanet.com or 503-956-7282Locations: Troutdale Community Church 921 Buxton Avenue, Troutdale, OR 97060

11/20/2021—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

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

- 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

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 coffee mugs as pictured here.





Happy Holidays Ahead

Well HARC family....after over a year of shutdowns and shut-outs...it looks like we will be able to celebrate the upcoming holidays with our annual Christmas banquet!!

There will be a couple changes, but I'm sure we have all grown accustomed to adapting.

This year we will have our banquet at Heidi's in Gresham. There is only room for a total of 30 people so it will have to be a first paidfirst served affair and the payment needs to be made when reservation are made. The restaurant will also expect us to wear masks as we walk to the banquet room but once there we will be in a private room with access to a private outside patio....weather permitting.

Here are the details as of now....
No-Host Cocktails at 6:00 pm with dinner served at 6:30 pm. There will be three dinner entrée choices, Chicken, Prime Rib or Salmon, served with salad, potato and desert. Coffee, Tea, Iced Tea and Soda are included in the price.

The price will be \$35.00 per person which covers the gratuity. Please make reservations through Cheri Harrington,

(<u>n7koj@cascadeaccess.com</u>) and payment through the paypal link on the club website or mail a check to Hoodview ARC, PO Box 951, Gresham, OR 97030. Please indicate if you want Prime Rib, Salmon or Chicken.

I look forward to seeing all and celebrating the 2021 Holidays and brighter days ahead!



Please Welcome Our New Members



K7LVL—T Eric Young BD:06/19 14934 SE Regner Terrace, Damascus, OR 97089ericm.young@comcast.net 503-913-4992

AI7JR—E Paul Hanchett BD:06/14 555 SW Viewcrest Drive, Gresham, OR 97080 Paul.hanchett@gmail.com 503-502-9989

Hoodview Simplex Frequency

Did you know that if our repeater goes down during an emergency or is being used by MCARES, that the members of Hoodview Amateur Radio Club 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.

Hoodview's Simplex Net

Once a month we are trying out a simplex net. This is a fun way to prepare for no repeater coverage just in case we are without the added help of our repeaters. Participation fluctuates each time but the hams who are checking in are getting better at this form of communication. It is great test of our gear and see who we could hear. We would like to encourage more people to check in to the simplex net.

Our next one will be held on Tuesday October 26tht 7:30 PM on 147.480 MHz If 147.480 MHz is in use, the alternate frequency of 147.520 MHz will be used. Monitor the repeater, if possible, for any announcements of frequency changes.

We look forward to hearing from as many people as possible who would like to test out their equipment and learn a fascinating method for communication in a net format.

We have the following dates for future Simplex Nets scheduled:

October 26 November 16 December 14

Frequencies:

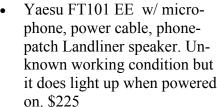
147.480 MHz (Primary) & 147.520 (Alternate)

For Sale Items

Did you know that you can list items in the newsletter that are radio related for free if you are a member? Or you can list them on the club webpage. These areas are reserved for members to list items. You also have the option of donating the item to the club since we are a 501(c)3 non-profit. Another idea would be to give the item to the club as a consignment. The club will receive 10% for each item sold. In the past these items were cleaned, tested and taken to Sea-Pac for sale on the swap tables. Currently we have not signed up for any other swap meets. We have quite a few radios and tuners for sale. Here is a list of current items: All items are located in Gresham, OR. Local pickup or some meet up available.

- <u>NEW LISTING</u>—Yaesu FT-8800 R VHF/UHF Dual Band FM Tranceiver 50/35 Watts \$225
- <u>NEW LISITING</u>—Yaesu FT-857D HF 100 W/ VHF 50 W/ UHF 20 W Ultra-compact Transceiver \$750
- NEW LISTING—Mirage B108 Amplifier for 2 Mtr \$60
- Yaesu FT1000 HF rig. 200 watt, nice looking and clean HF Radio. Loaded with lots of filters.

Comes with cable, DVS2 Digital Memory Recorder, Heil desk microphone HM10, Cat Din Plug, external speaker. \$1200







- Icom IC735, no microphone, broken hinge on door front \$225
- MFJ- 949 D Antenna Tuner, \$90.
- MFJ-994B Automatic Antenna Tuner \$175
- Woaxaun KG-UV3 Dual Band Hand talkie.
 Comes w/ charger and programming cable. \$50
- KA7AGH-TH6 HF Antenna. 10-15-20 Meters. All aluminum pieces are bundled for easy pickup. \$65
- KA7AGH-Woaxaun KG-UV3 Dual Band Hand talkie. Comes w/ charger and programming cable. \$50 each

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

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

| Name: | | Call Sign: |
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| 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: |
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