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- · Hoodview 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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HOODYEW NEWS

General Club Meeting - December 16th at 7:30 PM. We will meet in person at the Troutdale Community Church, 921 Buxton Rd, Troutdale, OR 97060.

Please come masked.



Greetings From the President – Chris Jensen KG7ADQ

Happy holidays to everyone. We had a wonderful banquet thanks to Cheri Harrington for all the wonderful work that she did to make the banquet happen. We enjoyed a great turnout, also we had a couple of wonderful hostesses that did an excellent job taking care of us for the evening. I was thrilled to present Joel Harrington with his 2020 presidential plaque. The wonderful job he did as president last year made my job a lot easier this year, thank you Joel.

It was a great honor to me to be able to present a beautiful plaque honoring Art Zehner W7AUF for all the work that he has done over the years for the club. His recent big achievement for the club was reorganizing the club weekly net, and his willingness to help anyone with radio. He invited me over one time so that I could do the net. Yes, I was nervous about it, and being a Mic shy person, he made it easy. I actually had a good time doing it. I would encourage anyone else interested just to do it one time, it can be fun. Art is a great guy and ever since I've known him, he's always been an uplifting and cheerful person. People like him are few and far between. So, thank you Art for everything you have done and will do in the future. I feel you're one of those awesome people that makes everyone else's life a little easier.

This is election time so if you do not plan to come to the meeting on the 16th, the meeting starts at 7:30 PM, make sure you get your ballot mailed off right away, or make arrangements to get them delivered to the meeting. We will be meeting in person at Troutdale Community Church, at 921 Buxton Road, Troutdale Oregon. We would like to see you there, as long as you feel comfortable. We still have a couple of open positions. If you would like to volunteer for one of the open positions, let one of the board members know or you can always call me.

73, Chris Jensen

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

Dec 14—Simplex Net on 147.48 @ 7:30 pm Dec 16-Gen Mtg: 7:30pm @ Troutdale Community Church at 7:30.

Dec 19—Santa Net on 147.28 at 5:15 PM

December Program

We will have elections, a short business meeting and socializing

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

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

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.



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.

Happy Birthday to our Members

KK7DEB	Deb Provo	12/05
W7AUF	Art Zehner	12/11
KG7BBI	Roland Beebe	12/15
N7HRG	Len Norby	12/27
N7ROD	Rod Ruffin	12/31

Hoodview Simplex Frequency

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

Salem Hamfair

The Salem Hamfair will be held on February 19, 2022. This event is organized by the Salem Repeater Association and the group is tentatively planning to operate it in the same manner that Swaptoberfest was operated, by Mid-Valley ARES, so tickets are unlikely to be sold in advance since we do not know what the status of the pandemic will be in February. Viruses tend to worsen during the winter. Masks are likely to be required because of state requirements.

The prizes will be purchased in the next week or two and the flyer will be produced as soon as they are purchased. I will send the link out as soon the flyer is available.

At the hamfair, I plan to celebrate the years of ARRL affiliation for Oregon clubs that will achieve milestone years. Coming up in January, that will be 75 years for Portland Amateur Radio Club, and 50 years for TERAC. In March, Southern Oregon ARC will reach 70 years. I will have a complete list posted in February. I hope to see you there.

Bonnie Altus, AB7ZQ

ARRL Oregon Section Affiliated Club Coordinator

November HARC General Meeting Minutes November 18, 2021

Chris, KG7ADQ called the meeting to order at 7:33 PM, and called roll through the board.

Chris turned the meeting over to Kenn who covered proposed bylaw changes related to transition of officers.

Cory KA7IUG moves to accept section 9 addition to the bylaws as read and presented by Kenn. Greg KJ7EHA seconds the motion. Motion Passes.

Nominations: Kenn received a nomination for Treasurer George, W7GEO Accepted the nomination.

Current Positions:

President: Kenn, K7ENN

VP: Larry, W4OPA

Treasurer: George, W7GEO

Secretary: Vacant

Board: Kirk, KG0INS & Steve, N7LTC

Kenn K7ENN moves to close nominations at the end of November Meeting. Rob, K7MR seconds the motion Metion Pagasa

tion. Motion Passes

Secretary's Report: Shaun N7TNP reports that the October General meeting minutes were posted in the November Newsletter. Steve, N7LTC moves to accept as published. Cory, KA7IUG seconds. Motion Passes.

Treasurers Report: Jim KA7AGH reports that the November treasurers report was published in the November Newsletter. Kirk KG0INS moves to accept as published. Shaun, N7TNP seconds, Motion Passes.

Chris KG7ADQ reports that the club is now having breakfast at Heidi's at 7 am on Saturdays.

Chris turns the meeting over to Larry, W4OPA to offer support for Digital Modes like DMR, YSF, DStar, APRS. Larry W4OPA turns the meeting back over to Chris.

Sunshine: Cory reports that Sylvia Barmore W7SMB YL to John Barmore W7SIR is an SK. Chuck W7HDF reported Don KJ7CHL, due for surgery for cancer.

Repeater: No Updates

Christmas Banquet: Cory covers details about the

Christmas Banquet.

Santa Net: The club runs a Santa Net every December. This year's Santa net will be the 19th of December at 3 or 4 pm on 147.28.

MHMC In climate Weather Transportation: Cheri N7KOJ is looking for volunteers for in climate weather transportation coverage for MHMC (Mt Hood Medical Center). The club helped last year and it was greatly appreciated by the staff at the hospital.

Simplex Net: Next net will be Dec. 14th at 7:30 P

Denny announces the VE Session on Saturday the 20th.

Rob, K7MR moves to adjourn the meeting Kirk KG0INS seconds. Meeting Adjourned at 8:43 P

Respectfully Submitted, , Shaun Harteloo, N7TNP

December HARC Board Meeting Minutes December 2, 2021

Board meeting was held at Elmer's in Gresham. Following Board Members were present: President: Chris KG7ADQ; V-President: Kenn, K7ENN; Secretary-Shaun, N7TNP; Treasurer: Jim, KA7AGH; Board: Rob, K7MR; Dennis, KI7SJY; Joel, N7LF; . Visitors in attendance: Kirk, KG0INS Absent: Tommy, KJ7HRA and Larry, W4OPA

Chris, KG7ADQ called the meeting to order at 7:20 PM.

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

Treasurers Report: Jim shared a printout and covered the Treasurers Report. Shaun moved to accept as Jim covered. Kenn seconds the motion. Motion passes

Committees:

- Sunshine: No Updates
- Policies and Procedures: End of year handover updates were presented and approved by the membership at the general meeting in November
- Website: Shaun updated menus to make more sense.

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- Repeater: No major updates, all repeaters optional. Discussed the previously authorized purchase of redundant power supply to replace the Astron 50 A power supply on the hill. Kirk asked about requirements to keep repeaters operational, Jim brought up MOU agreements and alternative measures, such as simplex. A neighboring repeater site on Scott was sold, and the new owners have asked the ham stations be removed from the site.
- Nominations: Elections are in 2 weeks, at the general meeting. Nominees were obtained for 5 of 6 board positions. Still need a secretary. No new nominations for current ballot, if someone steps up a special election can be held at the December meeting for the position with attending members. The Secretary position is not required to operate as a club. The board will have to pick a substitute secretary for meetings that do not have one. The nomination committee will count ballots, Kenn stated himself and anyone on the ballot should recuse themselves from counting due to a conflict of interest. Shaun asked for the ballot to be finalized and ready for email on Friday 12/3/2021 to ensure enough time for absentee ballots to make their way to the PO Box. Once ready, Shaun will email the ballot to all members via Mailchimp. Ballots can be delivered to the mailbox by 12/16 or be brought in for absent members by those who are attending.

Meetings: December meeting will be held at Troutdale Community Church on 12/16/2021 @ 7:30P. Kenn brought new business to discuss the possibility of snacks and beverage at the general meeting this month. There was concerned with the location, extra clean up and covid-19. As such the board decided to forgo refreshments for the December meeting.

Rob reported that the Simplex net will be on 12/14/2021 at 7:30 PM.

Joel reported the ARRL is soliciting donations for the 2021 Spectrum Defense Fund. Jim moved that the club send 100.00 to the 2021 Spectrum Defense Fund. Shaun seconds the motion. Motion passes. Board discussed how to send funds, and it was decided the method of payment was to be decided by the treasurer.

The board discussed payment to the church for use of their facilities in December. Jim will pay via check.

Joel moves to adjourn the meeting, Rob Seconds, and the meeting is adjourned at 8:12 PM.

Respectfully Submitted, Shaun, N7TNP

Treasurer's Report as reported at the December Board Meeting by treasurer, Jim KA7AGH. Jim reported that our income for the month was banquet reservations and a SeaPac sale item sold. We paid nothing out this past month. Bank and Checkbook balanced. Shaun N7TNP made motion to accept treasurer's report as written and provided. Kenn K7ENN seconded. Motion Passed.

CURRENT BALANCE

General Fund	\$ 6,277.48
Repeater	\$ 7,554.68
Training	\$ 115.47
Scholarship	\$ 2,239.87
TOTAL FUNDS	\$16,187.50

Since the Board has already reviewed the treasurer's report at the board meeting, we prefer to have a member of the general membership make the motion and second it at the General meeting.

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. 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.

Our next one will be held on Tuesday December 14th at 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.

Club Officer Elections

The time is upon us once again to perform our annual election of Officers and Board Positions. Unfortunately this year, we do not have a full slate of can-

didates for all open positions. We have candidates for President, Vice President, Treasurer and one of the Board positions. With that said, we will need a Secretary and one more Board member to have a full slate of officers for the year. Since we are unable to take any nominations at the time of regular elections, we will be required to perform a special election or elections, as needed until the positions are filled. For those who are unfamiliar with the duties with which the Secretary is tasked, here is the definition as given by our Constitution:

"The Secretary shall keep a record of all meetings, keep a roster of members, carry on all correspondence, and read all pertinent communications at each meeting; and shall turn over all items belonging to the club to the next duly elected secretary."

Anyone willing to fill the office of Secretary, or Board Member, would be a welcome addition to the Executive Board. Please let any member of the board know of your willingness to help.

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/

2022 Hoodview Mail-in Ballot

Below is the ballot for those members who wish to vote for Hoodview's officers for the year 2022. Please place a check next to the name you wish to vote for. All mail in ballots must be received at the Club's post office box by Thursday 12/16/21. Ballots will be collected prior to the club meeting and counted at the meeting.

The positions of Secretary and one Board Position are currently vacant. A special election will need to be held to fill those positions.

Mailing Address is HARC, PO BOX 951, Gresham, OR 97030

MAIL-IN BALLOT	
Vote for one in each:	Vote for two:
President:	Board Member:
☐ Kenn Clulow – K7ENN	☐ Steve Norton – N7LTC
	Vacant
Vice President:	
☐ Larry Bishop – W4OPA	
Secretary:	
Vacant	
Treasurer:	
☐ George Dover – W7GEO	

VE Testing for Ham Licenses

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. The FCC will email a link to an official electronic copy of the license grant. An official copy will be available by accessing the licensee's password-protected Universal Licensing System account. You must also register in the FCC CORES system and receive a FCC Registration Number 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 to submit your FRN with your license application form. New license applicants should create an FCC user account and register their social security number in the FCC Commission Registration System before attending exams. Registrants will be assigned an FRN which will be used in all license transactions with the FCC.

Here are a few of the upcoming local VE sessions: 12/18/2021—Vancouver, WA

Time: 10:00 AM (No walk-ins/register or call ahead) Contact: Wayne Schuler (360) 892-5580

Email: <u>ai9q@arrl.net</u> Location: Vancouver Stake Center, 10509 SE 5th St, Vancouver WA 98664-4617

12/19/2021—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 1/1/2022—Portland, OR

Time: 1:00 PM (No walk-ins/register or call ahead) Contact: John D. Bucsek Email: <u>ke7wnb@gmail.com</u> or (503) 803-6134 Location: Cedar Hills Baptist Church, 2470 SW Roxbury Ave, Portland OR 97225 1/2/22—Milwaukie, OR

Time: 7:00 PM (No walk-ins/register or call ahead) Contact Richard Edwards, raedw1@gmail or 503-774 -6384 Location Round Table Pizza, 10389 SE 82nd Ave & King Road, Milwaukie, OR

1/15/2022—Troutdale OR

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

1/15/2022—Vancouver, WA

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

Dues are Renewing

Most of us will be renewing our dues soon. Over 50% of our members have a January 1st renewal date. There are many ways to do this and we hope you will join us for another year. You can fill out the form on the last page and mail it to the PO Box or renew using Paypal from the club website. If you have trouble logging in then reach out to Shaun 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. 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

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.





Christmas Banquet

We had a wonderful evening with twenty-four members and guests. Cheri N7KOJ decorated our banquet room with the cutest handmade candy-cane decorations. And of course we had great food

from Heidi's. After dinner, Chris presented Joel Harrington N7LF with his presidential plaque for 2020 and for leading the club during Covid and board turmoil. Then Art Zehner W7AUF received a plaque of appreciation for his many years of service to the club as net control manager. He was also the first President for the club and very deserving of this award.



Santa Claus Net

CQ Santa, CQ Santa, Are you listening? We are standing by.

Gather your kids, grandkids, nephews/nieces, etc to talk with Santa. Or check in yourself and ask Santa for the new radio you want.

There will be a Santa Claus Net on Sunday, December 19th at 5:15 PM. The net will be on

the club repeater, 147.28. Queenie Sparkles (Cory) KA7IUG will be net control.

I have heard from the "Big Guy" that he is very busy but not too busy to talk with good boys and girls. So gather your kids, grandkids and those that are kids at heart to talk with Santa.

2022 SeaPac Hamfair

Online Registration Will Open at 12:01AM, February 15, 2022

As we restart the SEA-PAC website, there will be a few changes to the registration process:

- •There will only be online and in-person registration
- •Mail-in registration will no longer be available
- •You can register online through the SEA-PAC website
- •Or at the Registration Desk at the convention
- •All convention document packets will be "Will Call"
- •Convention documents (badge, tickets, etc.) will not be mailed
- •Your convention documents will be waiting for you at the Registration "Will Call" Desk at the convention



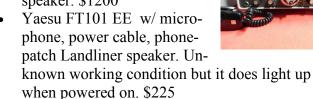


For Sale Items

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.

- Yaesu FT-857D HF 100 W/ VHF 50 W/ UHF 20 W Ultra-compact Transceiver \$750
- Mirage B108 Amplifier for 2 Mtr \$60
- Icom IC735, no microphone, broken hinge on door front \$225

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



- MFJ-949 D Antenna Tuner. \$90.
- MFJ-994 B 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 pick-up. \$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

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Home Phone:	Cell Phone:	License Class:
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