



Points of Interest:

- Hoodview Amateur Radio Club can be found on the web at www.wb7qi.w.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

General Club Meeting - February 17 at 7:30 PM.

We will host a hybrid in-person and virtually on WEBEX. In person at Troutdale Community Church, 921 Buxton Ave. Troutdale. You will receive a link emailed to you next week.



From the President's Desk – Kenn Clulow K7ENN

It's February, time for love to fill the air (and airwaves)

What a start to the new year. To start off, thank you to Shaun, N7TNP, for being willing to serve on the Board of Directors. I would also like to thank Cory, KA7IUG, for volunteering to help on the Policies and Procedures committee. We still have a board position that remains open: Secretary. If anyone is willing to step into this position, please contact me directly, inform one of the board members, or let us know at the General Club meeting.

We are planning to do the Hybrid meeting format this month, Troutdale Community Church has confirmed we do have access this month. The topic for this meeting will be looking forward to the typical events we, as a club or individually, participate in throughout the year. If you know of activities related Ham Radio that aren't mentioned during the meeting, please feel free to get them listed. One goal I have is to get more on-the-air activities set up for hams to have a chance to participate in. Any activity suggestions are welcome.

Upcoming contests members may be interested in:
ARRL – International DX – CW February 19-20
ARRL – International DX – Phone March 5-6

73,
Kenn Clulow, K7ENN

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.

President: Kenn Clulow K7ENN

Vice President: Larry Bishop W4OPA

Secretary: open

Treasurer: George Dover W7GEO

Board Members: Shaun Harteloo N7TNP;
Rob Remler K7MR; Tommy Yeung KJ7HRA;
Chris Jensen KG7ADQ; Steve Norton N7LTC

Hoodview Happenings

2022 Hoodview Calendar

Feb 17-Gen Mtg: 7:30pm; Hybrid-see pg 1

Feb 22-Simplex Net: 7:30 pm on 147.48

Mar 3-Brd Mtg: 7:30pm @ TBA

Mar 17-Gen Mtg: 7:30pm @ TBA

Mar 19-VE Testing: 9:00am @ TBA

Mar 22-Simplex Net: 7:30 pm on 147.48

Apr 7-Brd Mtg: 7:30pm @ TBA

Apr 21-Gen Mtg: 7:30pm @ TBA

Apr 26-Simplex Net: 7:30 pm on 147.48

Apr 20- March of Dimes maybe

May 6-Brd Mtg: 7:30pm @ TBA

May 15-VE Testing: 9:00am @ TBA

May 19-Gen Mtg: 7:30pm @ TBA

May 24-Simplex Net: 7:30 pm on 147.48

Jun 3-5-SeaPac Convention, Seaside

June 9-Brd Mtg: 7:30pm @ TBA

June 17-Gen Mtg: 7:30pm @ TBA

June 24-26-Field Day, Larch Mt

July 7-Brd Mtg: 7:30pm @ TBA

July 16-VE Testing: 9:00am @ TBA

July 21-Gen Mtg: 7:30pm @ TBA

Aug 4-Brd Mtg: 7:30pm @ TBA

Aug 18-Gen Mtg: 7:30pm @ TBA

Sep 1-Brd Mtg: 7:30pm @ TBA

Sep 15-Gen Mtg: 7:30pm @ TBA

Sep 17-VE Testing: 9:00am @ TBA

Oct 6-Brd Mtg: 7:30pm @ TBA

Oct 20-Gen Mtg: 7:30pm @ TBA

Nov 3-Brd Mtg: 7:30pm @ TBA

Nov 17-Gen Mtg: 7:30pm @ TBA

Nov 19-VE Testing: 9:00am @ TBA

Dec 1-Brd Mtg: 7:30pm @ TBA

Dec 15-Gen Mtg: 7:30pm @ TBA

Sunshine Committee Report

If you know of any members that need well wishes, please let Mary know at 541-425-0213 or [marytaylor-portorford@gmail.com](mailto:marytaylor.portorford@gmail.com)



Welcome to Our Newest Member

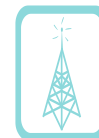
Erich Schneider No Call Yet
unicacher@gmail.com Birthday: 06/29
 503-888-5817 XYL: Heidi
 1000 SW Towle Avenue, Gresham, OR 97080

February Program

Club Programs and Activities for 2022

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



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.



Happy Birthday to our Members

K7PN	Paul Nyland	02/04
KF7RBV	Ann Gaffke	02/06
KG7ZWS	Dean Di Pietrantonio	02/10
No Call	Kevin King	02/11
KJ7RZA	Kirk Goins	02/13
AI9Q	C. Wayne Schuler	02/15
KI7ZVH	Chris Arends	02/16
WA7HAA	Steve LaValley	02/25
K7LQT	Laura Standley	02/25
KD7IXZ	Cindy Etlinger	03/07
KJ7HRA	Tommy Yeung	03/10
KC7W	Gene Strong	03/21
W7ELI	Eliza "Eli" Pride	03/23

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/>



January HARC General Meeting Minutes

Meeting was called to order at 7:31 PM by President Kenn-K7ENN. All officers and Board members were in attendance with the exception of the vacant positions, Secretary and Board position.

A brief introduction of the officers and Board members was made and any guests were welcomed. Kenn-K7ENN told members present that if the need any help or suggestions with their stations to please either contact himself directly or make contact with a Board member.

The December General meeting minutes were listed as having been published in the newsletter. Paul moved to accept the minutes as posted in the newsletter, Tommy-KJ7HRA seconded. Motion passed.

The end of year Treasurer's report was also printed in the newsletter. A correction was requested for the end-of-year report to reflect the year 2021 instead of 2022. Steve-N7LTC moved to accept the end-of-year Treasurer's report as amended, Chris-KG7ADQ seconded the motion. Motion passed.

A presentation of a little of the history of Hoodview was given by Kenn-K7ENN with pictures of various activities the club has participated in as a group. Chuck-W7HDF and Denny-WB7UFJ added some videos and other pictures they had.

Sunshine Committee: Cory had no items to report. Chuck gave information on Don-N7CHL improving from health issues he has faced.

Website: Some updates to the website have been added, adjusted some menus, added a guest email list, and the version is up-to-date.

The Secretary's position is open currently, no nominations or volunteers were received.

The open Board position had one nomination for Shaun-N7TNP. Cory nominated Shaun-N7TNP and moved to close the nominations. The motion was seconded. Shaun was elected to the Board position.

The Policies and Procedures committee required a non-Board member as a member of the committee. The current members of the Committee are: Larry-W4OPA, Rob-K7MR and Shaun-N7TNP. With Shaun's election to the board, a non-board member of the committee was needed. Cory-KA7IUG volunteered to work with the committee.

The Nominating Committee had no volunteers from the floor. The Nominating Committee will be comprised of the Board. It was asked that if anyone is willing to help with this committee, they contact Kenn-K7ENN directly.

Announcements:

Rob-K7MR reminded everyone of the upcoming Simplex net.

Rob-K7MR stated he had several people interested in learning more about Ham Radio and asked if there are electronic copies available for the training materials.

Rob-K7MR announced the plan for the February General Club meeting program. The plan is to make a list of activities that the club and individuals have participated in throughout the year. This is to give the members ideas of activities they may wish to investigate and possibly participate in.

Rob-K7MR moved to adjourn. Meeting was adjourned at 8:37 PM. Respectfully submitted. Kenn-K7ENN

February HARC Board Meeting Minutes

February 3, 2022. Meeting held at Elmer's Restaurant, Gresham, Oregon. Called to order at 7:30pm by Kenn, K7ENN. Board members present: Kenn, K7ENN; Larry, W4OPA; George, W7GEO; Steve, N7LTC; and, Rob, K7MR. Guest present: Denny, WB7UFJ

Secretary Report: Larry, W4OPA made motion to accept January Board minutes as published in February 2022 HARC Newsletter. Steve, N7LTC seconded. Motion passed.

Treasurer's Report: George, W7GEO reported \$425.00 in Income from dues and Expenses of \$178.95 (Paypal and Postal Box fees). Steve, N7LTC made motion to accept Treasurer's Report as provided and briefed. Larry, W4OPA seconded. Motion passed.

Committee Reports:

- Sunshine Committee: No report
- Policy and Procedures: No report

Programs:

February: "Hybrid" In person and WEBEX meeting, on February 17, 2022 at Troutdale Community Church, 921 Buxton Avenue, Troutdale, Oregon 97060 at 7:30pm. Review and Open discussion on upcoming Year 2022 HARC Meeting and Social Events.

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Programs:

- March: Pending time sensitive arrangements, presentation on AREDN, by Brett, KG7GBD.
- April – December: Reviewed in February's Club Meeting.

Unfinished Business:

- 5 ghz microwave project for repeater's, noted for tracking. No report.
- Repeater Power Supply upgrade project, noted for tracking. No report.
- Voting repeater project, noted for tracking. No report.

New Business:

WEBEX current subscription expires end of February, 2022. Discussed "personal" verse "corporate" subscription costs. February's Hybrid meeting will be evaluated as a possible way forward for Webex (or like) web conference application. Rob, K7MR made motion that for March, HARC subscribe to a "web conference" corporate account, on a month-to-month basis. Steve, N7LTC seconded. Motion passed.

Steve, N7LTC made motion to adjourn. Adjourned at 8:40pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Larry W4OPA Vice-President in lieu of a Secretary.

Treasurer's Report as reported at the February Board Meeting by treasurer, George W7GEO. George reported that our income was dues and repeater. We paid out Paypal fees and Post Office Box Rental.

Steve N7LTC made motion to accept treasurer's report as written and provided. Larry W4OPA seconded. Motion Passed.

CURRENT BALANCE

General	\$4,570.47
Repeater	\$7,260.68
Training	\$115.47
Scholarship	<u>\$2,239.87</u>

Bal end of 1/31 \$14,186.49



2022 SeaPac Hamfair, June 3-5

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 at SEAPAC.org website
 - Or at the Registration Desk at the convention
 - All convention tickets 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
- To subscribe or unsubscribe to SEA-PAC mail, send your name, call and preferred email address to info@seapac.org*

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





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:

2/19/2022—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

2/20/2022—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

3/5/2022—Portland, OR

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

3/6/2022—Milwaukie, OR

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

3/19/2022—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

New Technician Question Pool Released

The National Conference of Volunteer Examiner Coordinators Question Pool Committee has released the **2022 – 2026 Technician Class FCC Element 2 NCVEC Question Pool Syllabus & Question Pool** into the public domain. It's available as a *Word* document or PDF. The three graphics required for the new Technician question pool are available within the documents, or separately as PDF or JPG files.

The new pool incorporates some significant changes compared to the 2018 – 2022 pool. Its 257 questions were modified slightly to improve wording or to replace distractors; 51 new questions were generated, and 62 questions were eliminated. This resulted in a reduction of 11 questions, bringing the total number of questions in the pool from 423 to 412. The difficulty level of the questions is now more balanced, and the techniques and practices addressed have been updated. The new 2022 – 2026 question pool is effective July 1, 2022 – June 30, 2026, and *must* be used for Technician-class license exams administered on or after July 1, 2022.

Dues are Renewing

Most of us will be renewing our dues soon. Over 50% of our members have a January 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



ANNOUNCING THE 40th ANNUAL MIKE AND KEY ELECTRONICS SHOW & SWAP MEET

March 12, 2022

Pavilion Exhibition Hall Washington State Fairgrounds

110 9th Avenue SW, Puyallup, WA

ADMISSION \$10 (under 16 free with adult)

TWO FLOORS WITH 44,000 Sq FEET OF EXHIBITION SPACE

TALKIN 146.82/22 (PL 103.5)

ARRL LICENSE EXAMS

RADIO GEAR * COMPUTERS * PARTS * CLUB TABLES * SNACK BAR

FREE PARKING * CONSIGNMENTS * OVERNIGHT SC/RV Available



Table Reservation Information: (253) 631-3756, n7wa@arrrl.net
VE Exam Information: (425) 788 0452, ag7t@arrrl.net

Full Event Info at: <http://www.mikeandkey.org/SwapMeet.php> Fill out both sides of card.

CONTACT NAME: _____

CALL: _____ BUSINESS NAME (IF ANY): _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

eMAIL: _____ PHONE: _____

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: MIKE & KEY ARC
MAIL FORM AND PAYMENT TO MICHAEL DINKELMAN 22222 148TH AVE SE, KENT, WA 98042
RESERVATIONS CONFIRMED BY RETURN MAIL
SECOND FLOOR INFO TABLE REGISTRATION PACKETS WILL BE AT THE WALK-IN GOLD GATE UNLESS OTHERWISE REQUESTED

REGISTRATION TIPS
REGISTER EARLY AS TABLES ARE ASSIGNED ON A FIRST COME, FIRST SERVE BASIS AS DETERMINED BY POSTMARK. SPECIFIC LOCATION REQUESTS ARE HONORED ONLY IF THE SPACE IS AVAILABLE. BE FLEXIBLE AND GET GROUP REQUESTS IN EARLY.

COMMON ORDERS: 1 TABLE & 1 SELLER = \$34
1 TABLE & 1 SELLER & 1 HELPER = \$45
1 TABLE & 1 SELLER & 2 HELPERS = \$56
2 TABLES & 2 SELLER = \$68
1 BOOTH & 2 SELLERS = \$130

LOCATION REQUESTS, SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS

Contact Name:

QTY	Description	\$
	COMMERCIAL BOOTHS @ \$112 EACH SELLER/HELPER Registrations NOT included, purchase below (200 SQ FEET, Four 8'X30" Tables included)	
	SELLER TABLES 8'X30" @ \$25 EACH SELLER/HELPERS Registrations NOT included, purchase below (Includes access to electricity, bring minimum 50' UL listed extension cord)	
	SELLER REGISTRATIONS @ \$9 EACH (Limit of ONE per table purchased)	
	HELPER REGISTRATIONS @ \$11 EACH (Limit of TWO per table purchased) (Limit of ONE per Info table)	
	DAY OF EVENT BUYER ADMISSIONS @ \$10 (HONORED @ 9AM, March 12th-SENT BY RETURN MAIL NO ORDERS AFTER 02/19/22)	
	TOTAL ENCLOSED->	

Hoodview's Simplex Net

Check out this fun way to prepare for no repeater coverage just in case we are without the added help of our repeaters. We would like to encourage more people to check in to the simplex net. Those who are participating are getting better at this form of communication. It is great test of our gear and see who we could hear. 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 February 22nd at 7:30 PM on 147.480 MHz. If 147.480 MHz is in use, the alternate frequency 147.520 MHz will be used.

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.

March of Dimes: March for Babies?

For the last two years this event which we have participated by handling their communication needs has been held virtually and we have not been asked to help. This year the event will be held on April 30th. At this time it hasn't been determined if it will be held in person or virtually. So we will wait until we are asked to help. Once we have been asked to help I will put out a call for communication volunteers. It will only require three or four hours on that Saturday morning, but I will need about 15-20 hams.

I personally have volunteered with this organization for 41 years. I think my last count was two years while I was in high school a long, long time ago and 39 years while holding my ham license.

Stay tuned for the all-hands-on-deck call.
Cory KA7IUG

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: _____