



#### Points of Interest:

- Hoodview Amateur Radio Club can be found on the web at [www.wb7qiww.org](http://www.wb7qiww.org)
- HARC is a Special Service Club
- Email Cory with any information for the newsletter at [ka7iug@frontier.com](mailto: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 - March 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. Stay safe and healthy.



### From the President's Desk – Kenn Clulow K7ENN Happy March!

Spring is in the air and the weather is beginning to get better. Many hams will be looking to work on their stations as conditions continue to improve. If you have work on your station planned and need any form of assistance, please feel free to reach out for help. I'm sure there are many individuals within the Club who would be happy to assist. The club's Board can help put you in touch with those who are willing and able.

Our next meeting will be March 17 and will be the Hybrid format again. With 14 members online and another 14 or so members present in person, February's meeting was a success. This month's topic will be a group discussion to find out what kind of topics members would like to see presented at club meetings in the future. If you have a suggestion for a topic of interest, bring it to the club meeting and we will get it on a list. Ideas can range from simple overviews of available modes and technologies within ham radio to easy kit builds for equipment, and anywhere in between. All ideas are welcome.

We will be having our Spring Banquet. It will be held April 30 at Heidi's in Gresham. There will be a limit of 36 people. See details in newsletter.

### Upcoming contest:

April 10 – Rookie Roundup (Phone) <http://www.arrl.org/rookie-roundup>

73, Kenn – 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

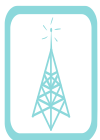
## Hoodview Happenings

### 2022 Hoodview Calendar

Mar 17-Gen Mtg: 7:30pm @ Hybrid  
 Mar 19-VE Testing: 9:00am, Troutdale Church  
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

### March Program

Program Ideas Survey



### 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

It is with deep sadness that we notify the club of the passing of former member John Barmore. W7SIR is now a Silent Key. John was president of the club in 1999. He was one of the founding members of HART (Hoodview Amateur Radio Travelers) and designed the logo with the heart, wagon wheels and antenna. He is proceeded in death by wives Patsy W7PAT and Sylvia K7SMB.



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)

### 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.



### Welcome to Our Newest Member

KW7ROB—G Robert Rose  
[robert@clanrose.net](mailto:robert@clanrose.net) 503-577-7812  
 15436 NE Andra Place, Portland, 97230  
 Birthday: 02/25

### Happy Birthday to our Members

KD7IXZ	Cindy Etlinger	03/07
KJ7HRA	Tommy Yeung	03/10
KC7W	Gene Strong	03/21
W7ELI	Eliza "Eli" Pride	03/23
KE7AOA	Richard Berney	04/02
K7JPX J	John Prescott	04/03
KA7WOF	Dave Gettman	04/07
W7LRM	Loren McCurdy	04/13
W7IDG	Dan H. Gaylord	04/14
WD0HUX	Kevin Bigler	04/15
KA7MFK	Dan Ekman	04/16
W7CBK	Brion Kidder	04/18
W7YJS	Jeff Sperley	04/22
KC7BJE	Tom Lambert	04/23
KA7IUG	Cory Schoch	04/23
KJ7KTG	Dan Martin	04/25
KI7IEA	Marv Trepanier	04/25

## **February HARC General Meeting Minutes**

Meeting was called to order at 7:31PM by President Kenn, K7ENN. All officers and board members present, except vacant Secretary position. This meeting was first HYBRID meeting with both In-Person and WebEx attendees. In-person meeting was held at Troutdale Community Church in Troutdale, OR.

A brief introduction of the officers and board members was made and guests present were recognized and welcomed. Kenn, K7ENN reminded general membership that a Secretary is needed and requested consideration to fill vacancy. Kenn also reminded membership that if help is needed with stations to please contact himself directly or make contact with a board member. Rob, K7MR requested assistance with relocating a tower over the weekend – tower is ready to load and transport. Volunteers made direct contact with Rob.

January General Minutes was noted as published in February newsletter. Cory, KA7IUG, made motion to accept minutes as published, Chris, KG7ADQ seconded. Motion passed.

January Treasurer Report. Chris, KG7ADQ made motion to accept Treasurer Report as posted in February Newsletter. Kirk, KG0INS, seconded. Motion passed.

### **Committee Reports:**

- Sunshine Committee: No items to report.
- Website: Shaun, N7TNP briefed that updates were recently made to WB7QIW website – no issues have been noted. Recently, 3 guests requested HARC info via website.

Main Program: Review of HARC Annual Calendar Events and Activities, moderated by Rob, K7MR.

Some of the Ongoing Activities, with HARC costs, include:

- Monthly General Meeting at Troutdale Community Church, with Hybrid \$75.00
- Odd month VE Session at Troutdale Community Church \$25.00
- Simplex Net no cost
- Weekly Net no cost
- Heidi's Restaurant Weekly Saturday Breakfast

Discussion and rough notes of One-Off and Occasional Activities include (with POC);

- Training Sessions, normally Mar/May/Nov (Rob/Shawn) TBD
- Spring Banquet, no host (Chris) Approx.: \$40.00 for decorations
- Summer Meet at Tree (Rob) during May – Sept no cost
- Field Day (Field Day Chairperson) Approx.: \$500.00 for porta potties and Food
- SeaPac Flea Market Table (Cory) Approx.: \$80.00 for Flea Table
- August Picnic (Chairperson) Approx.: \$280.00 for permit and potluck
- August Hood to Coast Support (Denny) no cost
- December Winter Banquet (Chairperson) Approx.: \$40.00 for decorations
- Monthly Technical Classes, TBD and when MHCC opens for classroom use. No cost

Cory, KA7IUG, briefed that HARC support for March of Dimes (for Babies), typically last Saturday in April is TBD. This year a “production team” has been hired by local March of Dimes/Babies committee. Communications support be reviewed and committee with let Cory know, right now its TBD.

Kirk KG0INS, said Tillamook Ultra Marathon is Apr 30-May 1, 2022. Communicators may be needed.

Greg, KJ7EHA, reported that SOTA special event months are March/April/July.

Cory, KA7IUG, asked if there are other Public Service Events out there, if so, please let membership know and if HARC should reach out.

Rob, K7MR, reminded members of HARC Simplex net on February 22, 2022 at 7:30 pm on 147.48 (sx).

### **Unfinished Business.**

Kenn, K7ENN, reminded membership that Secretary position still vacant, please consider and let Kenn or one of the officers or board members know.

Kenn, K7ENN and Shaun, N7TNP discussed with membership to update website profile if needed, especially ARRL Membership Status.

Next month, March program scheduled to be “recapping last year’s field day”, this may change at last minute.

*(General minutes continued on Page 4.)*

## **February HARC General Meeting Minutes**

*(Continued)*

This Hybrid meeting was well balanced, about 15 on-line and 15 in-person. Appears that this first hybrid meeting was very successful. Thank you all for joining on-line and attending in-person.

### **New Business:**

Joel, N7LF briefed that Jeff, W7YJS, MHCC Liaison, working renewing access to MHCC classroom.

Cory, KA7IUG, motioned to adjourned at 8:38pm.

Respectfully Submitted, Larry, W4OPA, Vice-President in lieu of a Secretary

## **March HARC Board Meeting Minutes**

March 3, 2022. Meeting called to order at 7:31pm by president, Kenn, K7ENN at Elmer's Restaurant, Gresham, OR. Officers and Board members present: President, Kenn, K7ENN; Vice President, Larry, W4OPA; Treasurer, George, W7GEO; Board Members, Steve, N7LTC; Rob, K7MR; and, Shaun, N7TNP. Past President, Chris, KG7ADQ. Absent: Tommy, KJ7HRA and Secretary, vacant position. Guest, Denny, WB7UFJ.

Secretary Report: Chris, KG7ADQ, made motion to accept February Board Minutes as published in March Newsletter. Steve, N7LTC seconded. Motion Passed.

Treasurer's Report: George, W7GEO, reviewed February's treasurer's report and noted plan for a couple expenses for March, to include use of Troutdale Community Church and Oregon Dept. of Justice. Steve, N7LTC, made motion to accept Treasurer's Report as published and Briefed. Shaun, N7TNP, seconded. Motion passed.

### **Committee Reports.**

Sunshine: No items to report.

Policy and Procedures: No report.

Next General Meeting: On March 17, 2020. Again, plan for Hybrid online and In-person at Troutdale Community Church. From last month's hybrid meeting, a couple lesson's learned included an additional laptop to monitor chat and see online participants and a better screen would improve in-person viewing.

Program topic will be reviewing "HARC direction, needs and wants SURVEY" that will go out to membership via newsletter and be available on WB7QIW website. Some presentation topics to be considered: filter's, latest developments with PNWDIGITAL and DMR, station tour, developing HARC resource list (POC/ELMER), future Tech Meeting ideas (fabricating roll-up J-Pole, etc....), how do traveling HAMs work portable equipment, developing and building Go-Kits and/or Bug-out kits (to include gear, food, essential items, etc...). List not inclusive, bring your ideas and thoughts.

### **Unfinished Business.**

Secretary Position still vacant, need help from membership to fill. Please consider, contact any HARC officer or board member.

Tracking projects: 5 ghz links (Joel, N7LF); Repeater Power Supply Upgrade, Jim, KA7AGH; and, Voting Repeater, Joel, N7LF.

### **New Business.**

Continuing with WEBEX as platform for online participants and hybrid meetings. Shaun, N7TNP, made motion to sign up with WebEx Standard and annual fee. Chris, KG7ADQ, seconded. Motion passed. Kenn, K7ENN will take care of WebEx fee with HARC bank card.

MHCC Classroom access. MHCC paperwork reviewed, updated and submitted. MHCC reviewing.

MHCC Scholarship. HARC to submit \$1025.00 from scholarship budget. This will include (2) \$500.00 scholarships and (1) \$25.00 processing fee.

Spring Banquet. Location at Heidi's Restaurant, Gresham, OR., on April 30, 2022, at 6PM. Maximum attendees: 36. Ticket cost: plan on at or about \$35.00/ea.

### **Announcement (s).**

Sea-Pac. Online registration begins at 6pm on March 7, 2022.

Respectfully Submitted, Larry W4OPA, Vice-President in lieu of vacant Secretary.





**Treasurer's Report** as reported at the March Board Meeting by treasurer, George W7GEO. George reported that our income was dues. We paid out Paypal fees.



Steve N7LTC made motion to accept treasurer's report as written and provided. Shaun N7TNP seconded. Motion Passed.

### *CURRENT BALANCES*

General	\$6,717.65
Repeater	\$7,554.68
Training	\$115.47
Scholarship	<u>\$2,239.87</u>
Bal end of 2/28	\$16,627.67



### **2022 SeaPac Hamfair, June 3-5**

Online Registration opened at 6 PM, February 7, 2022.

You can find lots of information here. To subscribe or unsubscribe to SEA-PAC mail, send your name, call and preferred email address to [info@seapac.org](mailto:info@seapac.org)

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

### **Classy Radio Red Hatters-KE7LJC: Husbands—Please share with your wives.**

Open to women who like to have fun. You don't have to be a HAM to participate, however group membership currently consists of Hams or wives of Hams and friends of Hams. We just like to Ham it up. No regular meetings are scheduled, just opportunities to get together monthly and have fun. We are the women in the red & pink hats. Little girls grow up, but they are never too old to play dress-up and have tea parties. The spirit of the Red Hat Society forbids rules; however, there is ONE inflexible guideline that we must insist upon. You must be a woman of 50 or over (or you may be a Pink Hatter under 50) and you must attend functions in full colors – red hat and purple outfit or for women under 50 (pink hat and lavender outfit). Call Queen Cory Schoch KA7IUG 503-781-9095 or email at [ka7iug@frontier.com](mailto:ka7iug@frontier.com) for more information on activities or to join. We invite you to come and see what we are all about.

In February we had a snowball party with lunch and games. Pictured: Cory KA7IUG seated, Standing L-R: Vicki, xyl of Dean KD7HHN; MerryJo W7OGO; Cheryl; Marilyn KJ7HDW; BJ; Patty W7RED; and Jackie.



### **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/>



### **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:

### **3/19/2022—Troutdale OR**

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

### **3/19/2022—Vancouver, WA**

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

### **4/2/2022—Portland, OR**

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

### **4/3/2022—Milwaukie, OR**

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

### **Spring Banquet Scheduled**

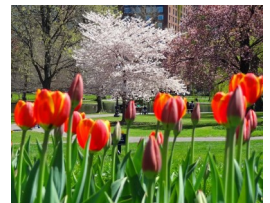
*Date will be April 30th. There are only 36 spots available for our annual Spring banquet!!*

*This year we will have our banquet at Heidi's in Gresham. There is only room for a total of 36 people so it will have to be a first paid – first served affair and the payment needs to be made when reservation are made.*

*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, ([n7koj@cascadeaccess.com](mailto:n7koj@cascadeaccess.com)) 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. We are sorry but there won't be any ticket sales at the door.*

*I look forward to seeing all and celebrating spring with brighter days ahead!*



### 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.



### **Bad Dad Joke**

What happens if someone slaps you at a high frequency?

It Hertz.

### 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

We still have not been requested to help with communications for the March for Babies. I will let everyone know as soon as we hear from them.



#### **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: \_\_\_\_\_