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#### **Points of Interest:**

- · 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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General Club Meeting - July 21st at 7:30 PM.

We will host a hybrid meeting: in-person and virtually on WebEx. In person at Mount Hood Community College, Room 1001 or1005 (south end of the main campus) and you will receive a link emailed to you next week.



#### From the President's Desk – Kenn Clulow K7ENN

Another year, another Field Day in the books. I would like to thank Kirk, KG0INS, and all those who made the journey to Larch Mountain to participate. Hopefully, Kirk will be available for the Club Meeting to give us a brief report on the activities up there.

Our next big event for the Club will be the upcoming Picnic in August. This will be August 18 in place of the usual monthly Club meeting at Red Sunset Park in Gresham. People will arrive between 5:00 and 5:30 with Hot Dogs and Burgers going on the grill at 6:00. Denny, WB7UFJ, and Steve, N7LTC, have graciously volunteered to serve as the grill-masters this year. Since there are still some concerns regarding Covid, people wishing to bring items to share are encouraged, however, we are requesting that members bring store bought, commercially prepared foods. The club will provide the Hot Dogs, Hamburgers, Condiments and Buns as we have in the past. For those wishing to contribute items to share, please see the list below for suggestions of what to bring.

Suggestions of items to bring based on the first letter of your last name:

A - I: Chips

J - R: Salads

S – Z: Desserts

This month's club meeting will be Thursday July 21 at 7:30 PM at Mt. Hood Community College in room AC-1001, as well as online via WebEx. The topic will be a discussion on encouraging younger people to look into Ham Radio. This will be a discussion led by Josh, K7OSH.

Lastly for this month, it is time to begin the search for next year's officers. We have several positions that will be available for people to help run the business side of the club. The positions available are: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Treasurer, and two Board Members. While we do have some officers who are eligible to stay another term in their respective positions, I would like to encourage anyone to join the Board. If you do not feel ready for the extra duties of being an officer, but are willing to help out, one of the Board positions is a fantastic way to become involved. Please contact one of the Board members directly or the Board as a whole at board@wb7qiw if you are interested. October and November meetings will have open nominations from the floor, with elections held at December's meeting.

Upcoming contests:

August 6 – 7: 222 MHz and up Distance Contest

Details on the contests can be found at <a href="http://www.arrl.org/contest-calendar">http://www.arrl.org/contest-calendar</a>



# 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: 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**

July 16-VE Testing: 9:00am @ TBA
July 21-Gen Mtg: 7:30pm @ MHCC, Rm 1001
July 26th—Simplex Net: 7:30 @ 147.48
Aug 4-Brd Mtg: 7:00pm @ Gresham Elmers
Aug 18-Annual Picnic: 6:00 PM @ Red Sunset
Sep 1-Brd Mtg: 7:00pm @ Gresham Elmers
Sep 15-Gen Mtg: 7:30pm @ MHCC, Rm 1001
Sep 17-VE Testing: 9:00am @ TBA
Oct 6-Brd Mtg: 7:00pm @ Gresham Elmers
Oct 20-Gen Mtg: 7:30pm @ MHCC, Rm 1001
Nov 3-Brd Mtg: 7:00pm @ Gresham Elmers

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

Dec 1-Brd Mtg: 7:00pm @ Gresham Elmers Dec 15-Gen Mtg: 7:30pm @ MHCC, Rm 1001

Nov 17-Gen Mtg: 7:30pm @ MHCC, Rm 1001

<u>July Program:</u> Young People Recruiting Discussion by Josh K7OSH

Sunshine Committee Report: Thinking good thoughts for everyone dealing with COVID as we hope they get better soon. Hopefully everyone can stay well.

If you know of any members that need well wishes, please let Mary know at 541-

425-0213 or 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.



New Roster Updates: In May 2022 a Roster was sent out with newsletter email. Please be sure to check it for corrections. 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 update.

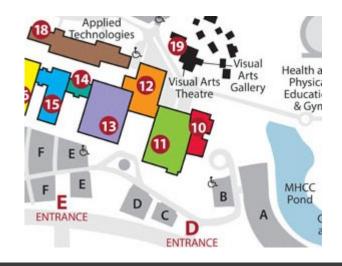
#### **Happy Birthday to our Members**

W7IG	Armand Pilotte	07/01
K6PCO	Earle Conklin	07/05
KOINE	<b>Gary Brumbelow</b>	07/10
N7CVZ	Michael Welch	07/11
K7WXW	Bill Hurley	07/21
K7ENN	Kenn Clulow	07/25
KG7ZRA	Karlan Hutchinson	07/25
KJ7TPD	Mary Taylor	07/28
KI7SJY	Dennis Desper	07/31
W7MIP	Millie Pilotte	08/09
KI7VTS	Valerie Brumbelow	08/15
K0CPA	Martin McMahon	08/15
KJ7IKA	Travis Henyon	08/31

#### **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.

July Meeting: We will be meeting at Mt. Hood Community College for the first time since February 2022. It will be a Hybrid Meeting; both in person and it will also be available on WebEx. A link will be sent out early next week for those that would like to join us from home. Our meeting room will be 1005 at this time. This is located in the #10 building, located on the south end of the main campus. Parking near the pond is recommended. Join us on July 18th at 7:30 PM.



### HARC General Meeting (Hybrid) June 16, 2022

In-person meeting held at MHCC, room 1001

President, Kenn, K7ENN, called General Meeting to order at 7:30pm. In-person Officers and Board members present: President, Kenn, K7ENN; Vice-President, Larry, W4OPA; Treasurer, George, W7GEO; Board Members: Shaun, N7TNP; Rob, K7MR; Past-President, Chris, KG7ADQ. Board Members present via Hybrid: Tommy, KJ7HRA and Steve, N7LTC. Secretary position is vacant.

Kenn, K7ENN, opened comments by introducing Officers and Board Members. No new and visitors to be introduced. Reminder to all that if technical assistance is needed, please contact board via "board@wb7qiw.org".

<u>Secretary Report</u>: No official May Minutes recorded. Request to members that may have attended inperson and taken notes in May General meeting to consider passing notes to Larry, W4OPA (or other board members) for HARC records. (May's General meeting had hybrid technical issue).

<u>Treasurer's Report</u>: George briefed Treasurer's Report as posted in June's newsletter. Motion to accept by Lenn, N7HRG. Seconded by Chris, KG7ADQ. Motion passed.

<u>Sunshine Committee:</u> As noted in June's Newsletter, please keep Scott, KC7ZUH and Cindy, KD7IXZ and Yoshi, KD7AM and Merilyn, KJ7HDW in thoughts to get well soon.

#### Main Program:

Chris, KG7ADQ and Kirk, KG0INS, facilitated Field Day planning and discussion. Highlites included: no HARC trailer present at Larch Mountain; attendees need to plan on being self-contained (including radios, etc...); Multnomah County ARES will be attending with ARES personnel and communications trailer; reminder to bring fire extinguisher, bucket and shovel if operating generator; Talk-In frequencies: 147.48 simplex, 147.28(+)/167.9 and 443.475(+)/167.9; reminder to bring warm clothes, water, comfortable chair and consider a pot luck dish.

HARC August Picnic. Kenn, K7ENN, briefed that HARC August 18, 2022, picnic will be in lieu of August General Meeting. More details forth-coming. If bringing food, please use "pre-packaged" items. HARC will provide charcoal, meats, etc... Location: Sunset Park, Gresham (Lake View Pavilion) at 6:00pm.

#### **Unfinished Business:**

Secretary Position is still vacant. Secretary maintains HARC historical records, checks HARC PO Box and records Board and General Meeting minutes.

Reminder to visit and login on WB7QIW.ORG website periodically to verify membership profile information (in particular if ARRL member).

#### **New Business:**

50/50 Raffle: Won by Marty, KJ7WOH. Donated to Repeater Fund. Thanks Marty!

July's Simplex Net – July 26 at 7:30pm. Shaun, N7TNP as Net Control.

July's Board meeting start time is adjusted to 7:00PM and located at Elmer's in Gresham on July 7, 2022.

Saturday morning gathering at "Summer Tree" around 8:00AM is back on - not to interfere with Saturday Gresham Heidi's breakfast at 7:00AM.

Motion to adjourn by Shaun, N7TNP at 8:14PM.

Respectfully Submitted by Larry, W4OPA in lieu of vacant Secretary.

Hoodview's Simplex Net: Our next simplex net will be held Tuesday July 26th at 7:30 PM on 147.480 MHz. If 147.480 MHz is in use, the alternate frequency 147.520 MHz will be used. 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 you.

#### **HARC Board Meeting Minutes July 8, 2022**

Meeting called to order by President, Kenn, K7ENN at 7:00PM at Elmer's Restaurant, Gresham, Oregon. Present: President, Kenn, K7ENN; Vice President, Larry, W4OPA; Treasurer, George, W7GEO; Board Members: Steve, N7LTC; and, Shaun, N7TNP. Absent: Rob, K7MR; Tommy, KJ7HRA and Chris, KG7ADQ (Past-President). Visitors: Denny, WB7UFJ; Joshua, K7OSH; Dennis, KI7SJY; and, Mike (no call, George's brother).

#### Secretary Report:

Larry, W4OPA reported June's Board Minutes was published in June's newsletter. Shaun, N7TNP, made motion to accept minutes as published in newsletter. Steve, N7LTC, seconded. Motion passed.

#### **Treasurer Report:**

George, W7GEO briefed June's Treasurer Report to board. Shaun, N7TNP made motion to accept Treasurer Report for June as briefed by George. Steve, N7LTC, seconded. Motion passed.

#### **Committee Report:**

Sunshine: Keep thoughts for speedy recovery month. for Chris, KG7ADQ – at home, not feeling well. Larry

Policies and Procedures: No issues pending, no report.

#### Upcoming (Hybrid) General Meeting:

Location: MHCC, Room 1001 at 7:30PM, on July 21, 2022. Brief "post-Field Day" remarks (Kirk, KG0INS). Also, Joshua, K7OSH, will have brief presentation/comments regarding encouraging "Youth Growth into HAM Hobby". Webex email invite to be sent out prior to meeting date.

Additionally, HARC membership may be formally voting on vacant Secretary position.

Board will be reviewing HARC topic list (listed in March 2022 newsletter) for upcoming monthly presentations.

#### Nominating Committee:

Time to start thinking about upcoming HARC Elections. Open Officer positions include: President, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer. And, two (2) Board Members (2yr).

#### **Upcoming Event:**

August HARC picnic on August 18, 2022, in lieu of General Meeting. Location at Sunset Park, Lake View Pavilion. Showtime: around 5:30pm, eats ready around 6:00pm. Steve, N7LTC and Denny, WB7UFJ have offered their BBQ cooking skills!

Motion to adjourn at 7:53pm by Shaun, N7TNP.

Respectfully submitted by Larry, W4OPA, in lieu of vacant Secretary position.

#### **Treasurer's Report**

As reported at the July Board
Meeting by treasurer, George
W7GEO. George reported that our
income was dues and Sea Pac
Swap Tables. We Didn't have any bills to pay this

Larry W4OPA made a motion to accept treasurer's report as written and provided. Rob K7MR seconded. Motion Passed.

#### **CURRENT BALANCES**

General	\$6,180.50
Repeater	\$8961.93
Training	\$115.47
Scholarship	\$1,214.87
Bal end of 6/30	\$16,472.77

#### **Picnic Trivia**

What year was the first picnic held? Where was it held? Who was the chairperson?





Club Patches: We have these beautiful patches in stock. You can request George W7GEO to meet up with you to purchase either size. There are two sizes: ten inch, two color (blue and white ored (white, green and blue for shirts and hats) for \$5. Crown Trophy, 811 N Main Ave, Gresham, OR 97030 can make name badges (pin or magnet back) with the club logo for under \$10. Crown Trophy can customize stainless coffee mugs as pictured here.

#### **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/

#### **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



#### **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 for jackets) for \$20 and the 3.5 inch, col- 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. 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. The current cost for taking a test is \$15 at the examination time. Plus you will be assessed a \$35 from the FCC which must be paid within ten days.

Here are a few of the upcoming local VE sessions:

#### 7/16/2022—Gresham, OR

Time: 9:00 AM (No walk-ins/register or call ahead) Contact: Pamela Woods 503-956-7282 or email: gofish@hevanet.com Location: Mount Hood Community College Fisheries #1, Gresham, OR 97030

#### 7/16/2022& 8/20/2022—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

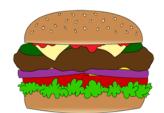
#### 8/6/2022—Portland, OR

Time: 1:00 PM (No walk-ins/register or call ahead) Contact: John D. Bucsek (503) 803-6134 or Email: ke7wnb@gmail.com Location: Cedar Hills Baptist Church, 2470 SW Roxbury Ave, Portland OR 97225 8/7/2022—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

#### 8/21/2022—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



# Hoodview Annual Club Picnic August 18th Red Sunset Park,



# 23rd and Hogan in Gresham

Arrive anytime after 5:00, Coals will be ready at 6:00

Hoodview will provide hamburgers, hot dogs,

buns, drinks, condiments.

Any items brought to share should be store bought.

Please come join us!

Picnic Trivia: WB7RAQ, Donna Mowery planned the club picnic at Blue Lake

Park in 1977.

#### **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:
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