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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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# HOODYEW NEWS

August 15th—General Club Meeting In Lieu of the meeting we will be having the Annual
Club Potluck Picnic at Red Sunset Park.
Arrive after 5, dinner at 6.
See page one and page five for details.



#### From the President's Desk - Rob Remler

To those of you who have been struggling with the heat of the summer I will let you know that it has been in the upper 50's to low 60's for most of the summer here in Alaska. It's been in the 70's a couple of days but overall, I have had a light jacket on most of the summer.



I am hoping to make it back for the picnic on August 15 and I anticipate leaving my jacket at home. For those of you who have been traveling, I hope you have had a chance to get on the air somewhere new. I have found an 80-meter noontime net here in Alaska and been able to participate in the "Snipers Net" in the evenings when I've been near the radio. A lot of people use 146.52 up here as well. I spent some time with the group in the Palmer/Wasilla area during field day and met some people that I had talked with but had not met until then. I would encourage you to explore the bands and key the mic once in a while. While I have not had a lot of time to be on the radio, I've made quite a few QSOs.

We are planning our club picnic at Red Sunset Park (2403 NE Red Sunset Dr, Gresham, OR 97030) on August 15th. Most people begin to show up around 5 and food is served about 6:00. Burgers, dogs (??), buns and condiments are provided. You are invited to bring a side dish and/or drinks to share. While there is no business agenda (our club picnic is in place of our general meeting), I would invite some conversations around what we should do with the trailer, towers and other assets the club owns as we transition to some new equipment that will hopefully be as good if not more capable (and safer) than what we currently are using. I would also like to have input regarding the use of the new equipment and where/how it will be stored.

My understanding is that we are also setting up one of the new hex beams at the picnic to show members and guests. Bring a chair and your name badge if you have one. Sometimes I struggle with names when we don't see each other for a while. Also, reach out to members you know that we have not seen for a while and make sure they are aware and invited.

The picnic is also a great time to connect with others regarding any projects you have that may benefit from some extra help. Summer is not over but the good weather to get those outside projects finished is getting shorter. Hope to see you at the picnic.

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### 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: Rob Remler K7MR
Vice President: Josh Higgins K7OSH
Secretary: Peter Landon KE6JPM
Treasurer: Shaun Harteloo, N7TNP

Board: Paul Hanchett AI7JR; Joel Harrington N7LF; Steve Nor-

ton N7LTC; Kenn Clulow K7ENN, Alan Gordon N7AKG

#### **2024 Hoodview Calendar**

Aug 15-Gen Mtg: 5:00 – @ Picnic-Red Sunset Park Sep 5-Brd Mtg: 7:00pm @ Elmer's Gresham Sep 19-Gen Mtg: 7:30pm @ MHCC Rm 1001/WebEx Sep 21-VE Testing: 9:00am @ MHCC Fisheries Bldg. Oct 3-Brd Mtg: 7:00pm @ Elmer's Gresham Oct 17-Gen Mtg: 7:30pm @ MHCC Rm 1001/WebEx Nov7-Brd Mtg: 7:00pm @ Elmer's Gresham Nov 21-Gen Mtg: 7:30pm @ MHCC Rm 1001/WebEx Nov 16-VE Testing: 9:00am @ MHCC Fisheries Bldg. Dec 5-Brd Mtg: 7:00pm @ Elmer's Gresham Dec 19-Gen Mtg: 7:30pm @ MHCC Rm 1001/WebEx

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

#### **Sunshine Committee Report:**

Dean Wright KD7HHN SK passed away on Friday July 5, 2024. The potluck memorial for Dean will be held on August 18th from 1-4 at 2200 NE 202nd Ct, Fairview, OR 97024 -9712. Vicki and Matt would love to hear ham radio stories about Dean.



We also have a former member who is now a silent key. Bernie Sperley, W7DMC; (ex WA7IXZ). He is the father of Jeff Sperley who is a current member. He passed on August 5th. Berrnie was a critical care doctor at MHC.

Watch for your electronic birthday card in your email. E-cards sent to members with active email addresses and birthday provided to the club. Please let Lindi know anyone that need well wishes so the club can send a card. lindigoins@gmail.com or 503-939-5282. Thanks, Lindi

#### Fox Hunt Scheduled:

The next scheduled Fox Hunt will be held on September 21st.
This is co-sponsored between HARC and PARC. We will meet up at Mt. Hood Community College Fisheries Building #22 in the West Parking lot. I will be hiding several-



ish (2 meter) transmitters on the MHCC campus. The hunt will start at 11:00 am and continue until approximately 1:00 pm. This event will happen rain or shine.

Don't Forget—September 21st at 11:00. MHCC Fisheries Building. 45.51856—122.39172. 73, Denny WB7UFJ.

#### **Welcome to Our New Members**

N7ODN-T David Adams 971-235-7086 8565 SW Avery St. Tualatin, OR 97062

adamsda1980@gmail.com B'day: 06/06

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

K0CPA	Martin McMahon	08/15
W5DZG	Katt Green	08/29
KK7QAZ	David Hudson	08/30
KK7GFI	Steven Granmo	08/31
KJ7IKA	Travis Henyon	08/31
KG5ZIF	B'jaia Ben-Avari	09/03
NE7U	Lyle Sumner	09/06
K7EWY	Doug Baldwin	09/08
KK7NYC	Douglas Aden	09/11
KJ7HDW	Merilyn Abe	09/12
K7NWT	Darren Toy	09/19
KG7ADQ	Chris Jensen	09/23
KK7TRP	<b>Daniel Solomonson</b>	09/29

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#### HARC General Meeting June 20, 2024

WebEx meeting held due to Field Day departure the next day. Vice President, Josh called the meeting to order at 7:33pm. Officers and Board members present: Vice President, Josh, K7OSH, Secretary, Peter, KE6JPM, Treasurer, Shaun Harteloo, N7TNP, Steve, N7LTC, Alan, N7AKG, Rob, K7MR, and Joel, N7LF.

<u>Secretary Report</u>: Peter, KE6JPM, reported that the May General Meeting minutes were published in the June newsletter. Steve made a motion to accept the minutes as published. Shaun seconded and the motion passed.

<u>Treasurer Report</u>: Shaun, N7TNP, presented the financial report for review. B'jara made a motion to accept the report. Dennis, KI7SJY, seconded and the motion passed.

Sunshine Committee: No Report.

#### **Announcements:**

Please check/update your profile on the website. Also please be aware that you may see" Cookie" notices effective July 1 per the new Oregon laws taking effect that day.

The 2024 Club Picnic will be held on Thursday August 15<sup>th</sup>. All members and family are invited. Rob moved that the Club approve \$300.00 to cover the expenses. Seconded by Shaun. The motion passed unanimously.

<u>Program</u>: The program was presented by Josh with the topic Field Day and Harmonics.

The next General meeting will be held on July 18, 2024 at 7:30 in MHCC Room 1001.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:10. Respectfully submitted by Club Secretary, Peter, KE6JPM.

#### **HARC General Meeting JULY 18, 2024**

In person meeting held at MHCC, Rm AC1710. Vice President Josh, K7OSH called the meeting to order at 7:30pm. In-person Officers and Board members present: Secretary, Peter, KE6JPM, Treasurer, Shaun, N7TNP, Alan, N7AKG and Paul via WebEx.

**Secretary Report**: Peter, KE6JPM, presented the June 2024 General Meeting minutes. Alan made a motion to accept the minutes as presented. B'jara seconded and the motion passed.

<u>Treasurer Report</u>: Shaun, N7TNP advised that the July financial report will be presented in the August newsletter.

Sunshine Committee: No Report.

#### **Activities**:

Fox Hunt – Denny will be running a Fox Hunt on Sept. 19<sup>th</sup> at 11:00 at the Fisheries Building MHCC after the testing session.

HARC Annual Picnic will be held in place of the August meeting on August 15<sup>th</sup> at Red Sunset Park. The party starts at 5:00 with food at 6:00. There will be a demonstration of the new Buddihex at 5:30

If you need a Club name badge please see Cory.

One more Net Controller is needed for the Wednesday night weekly nets. Please see Alan.

The next General Membership meeting will be the picnic Aug 15<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 PM at Red Sunset Park.

**<u>Program:</u>** Field Day, a slide presentation and results from Field Day 2024.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:10. Respectfully submitted by Club Secretary, Peter, KE6JPM.

<u>Treasurer's Report</u>: Shaun N7TNP presented the financial report to the board and it will be published in the August newsletter. Income was from dues and SeaPac table sales. We paid expenses this month for Field Day snacks, buying the Hex Beams and PayPal fees.

#### **CURRENT BALANCES**

General	\$3,656.30
Repeater	\$6,673.08
Training	\$115.47
Scholarship	\$2,238.37
Bal end of 7/31	\$12,683.22



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#### **Board Meeting Minutes from August 1st.**

As of press time this newsletter editor had not received the minutes from the Board Meeting. They will be published next month in the September newsletter.



#### **Weekly Breakfast Gathering:**

Join us for breakfast every Saturday morning at Heidi's, 1230 NE Cleveland, Gresham. Conversation/coffee starts around 7:00am with breakfast orders taken at 7:30am.

#### **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/

## Hoodview ARC Offers Ham Radio Testing:

The next exam session for the Hoodview ARC VE team will be on September 21, 2024 at 9:00 AM at Mt Hood Community College Fisheries #1, Gresham, OR 97030. Reserve your seat by sending an email to license—gofish@hevanet.com or contact Pamela Woods 503-956-7282.

#### **Hoodview Simplex Frequency:**

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.



#### **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

Plus, on every Sunday, Hoodview has a Sunday Evening Social Net on 443.475 at 7:30. This is a good place to meet other members and say hi.

#### **Club Patches and Badges:**

We have these beautiful patches in stock. You can request Rob to meet up with you to purchase either size. The cost of the patches will be \$20 (10 in, two color blue and white) and \$5 (3.5 in, colored, white, green and blue for shirts and hats).

We will be taking orders for new club badges at the club meeting. The club is offering them for \$10 a piece. They are full color logo with you name, call sign and home location. You can get them in portrait or landscape format. Each one comes with a bulldog clip. We will have order forms at the club meeting for payment and ordering. Cash or Checks made out to HARC. Once the order is made the name tags will be available at the next meeting.





Alan Gordon N7AKG GRESHAM, OR



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## **Hoodview Annual Club Picnic**

#### **August 15th**

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.

Please bring a side dish, salad, dessert or chips to share.

## Come join us in fun and friendship! Hex Beam demo at 5:30

#### **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:
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