

**Points of Interest:**

- Hoodview Amateur Radio Club can be found on the web at [www.wb7qiw.org](http://www.wb7qiw.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



## September 19th—General Club Meeting -

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

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

Welcome to September. I hope that the outside projects that you were wanting to accomplish this year are finished or nearing completion. It has been cooler and the good outside working weather is becoming less frequent as we move into fall.



It was nice to see many of you at the club picnic in August. The food was good and plentiful and it was nice to see the social side of our membership. It was nice to see the buddihex antenna system that was used at Field Day this year. It appears to be a good system and something that will give us a lot of options. Hopefully we will use it more often than once a year at Field Day.

I spent most of my summer in Alaska this year and found a number of ham radio operators on the air and using their radios quite often. When I was able to scan the bands, I usually found a couple of QSOs happening. It was nice to hear friends talking. There is a noontime net as well as an evening net called the "Sniper's net" on 3.920 and others on vhf/uhf as well. Ham Radio is alive and well in Alaska

I had some problems with 40 meters messing up some things in my truck so when I got home, I took some time to put toroids and ferrites on a lot of connections and I think I got it under control. I did some HF work on 20 and 80 on the drive but my oldest son flew up to do the drive back home so it was nice to have his company.

Elections are upon us again. We will be electing officers and 2 board members. Please consider helping out and put your name out there if you would like to help out the club. We will be reviewing our election processes and time lines at the General meeting and reviewing what the board positions entail.

This month I am planning a presentation about Ham Radio operation away from your home station. I'm looking for pictures of mobile or portable stations. It would be nice to have a picture of the radio and then the antenna that is being used. Handhelds are fine. I don't want to identify the owner if they don't want to advertise what they have unless they want to describe their set up at the meeting. I'll try to get everyone's picture(s) in the presentation. Email me if you would like to submit pictures.

Remember to do your checks outside so that your antennas etc. are ready for the change in weather. I hope to hear you on the air.

**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:** Rob Remler K7MR

**Vice President:** Josh Higgins K7OSH

**Secretary:** Peter Landon KE6JPM

**Treasurer:** Shaun Harteloo, N7TNP

**Board:** Paul Hanchett AI7JR; Joel Harrington N7LF; Steve Norton N7LTC; Kenn Clulow K7ENN, Alan Gordon N7AKG

## 2024 Hoodview Calendar

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

Nov 7-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:

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. lindi-goins@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.

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73, Denny WB7UFJ.



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## Welcome to Our New Members

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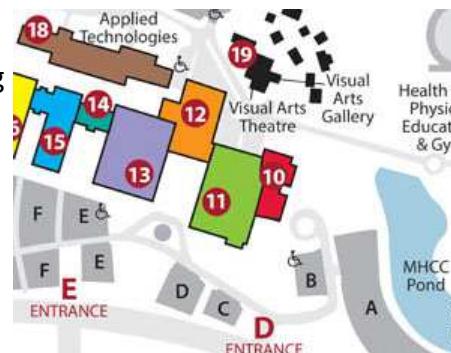
powerhouse5409@gmail.com BD: 03/13

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**General Club Meeting:** We will be meeting at Mt. Hood Community College for our September meeting. 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 1001. 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 September 19th at 7:30 PM.



**HARC General Meeting August 15th, 2024**

We had a great picnic meet and greet and delicious bar-b-que. It was nice to see everyone. No formal minutes were taken.

**HARC Board Meeting Minutes September 5, 2024**

The meeting was called to order 7:00 by President, Rob, K7MR. Present were Secretary, Peter, KE6JPM, and Board members Steve, N7LTC, Paul, AI7JR, Joel, N7LF and Alan, N7AKG. Kirk attended as an invited guest.

**Secretary Report:** The August Board minutes were not read.

**Treasurer Report:** Shaun, N7TNP presented the August report. A motion to approve the report was made by Steve, N7LTC, to accept the report; seconded by Alan and passed unanimously.

**Sunshine Report:** No report.

**Policies and Procedures:** Alan moved to amend the By-Laws to allow both in person or digital elections. The modification will read...

Online or virtual voting may be used for annual elections of officers and board members. The processes or digital programs to be used is to be approved by the board. Once nominations have been finalized the online voting will be available for a minimum of 15 days prior to the December General meeting. Voting will close one hour before the start of the December General meeting.

The motion was seconded by Joel and passed unanimously.

**Upcoming Activities:**

Fox Hunting – Denny will be leading a Club sponsored Fox Hunt on the next VE Testing date Sept. 21st at 11:00AM.

Tech Classes will be held in November. Anyone interested in assisting please contact Rob.

Winter Banquet – The Board is seeking a volunteer to head the committee.

**Programs:**

September – Introduce the upcoming elections. First reading of the By-Law change.

October – Open nominations. Second By-Law reading and approval

November – Close nominations and election procedures.

December – Elections results and Holiday social

**Old Business:** A motion was proposed by Alan

The Board approves the sale of the Club trailer and equipment due to non-use and the purchase of the new equipment.

The motion was seconded by Steve and passed unanimously.

**Announcements:** The next General Meeting will be held on September 19, 2024 at 7:30 pm at MHCC Room 1001.

The next Board meeting will be October 3, 2024 at Elmers's Gresham.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:05 PM

Respectfully submitted by Club Secretary Peter, KE6JPM.

**Treasurer's Report:** Shaun N7TNP presented the financial report to the board and it will be published in the September newsletter. Income was from dues. We paid expenses this month for Picnic supplies, the Hex Beams and PayPal fees.

**CURRENT BALANCES**

General	\$2,756.16
Repeater	\$6,691.08
Training	\$115.47
Scholarship	\$2,238.37
Bal end of 8/31	\$11,801.08

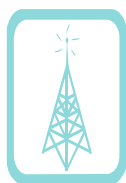
**Hoodview Needs You!**

We plan on holding a technician class in November so that attendees can take the VE exam on November 18th. We have been helping students one by one since Covid but it is now time to go back to our in classroom instruction. We need one person to act as education liaison and three or four people to help out with instruction. The study material will be divided out and based on your expertise. Please consider stepping forward to help newbies learn about this great hobby. Talk with Rob K7MR about volun-

### From the desk of K7MR

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Rob K7MR



### 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.

### 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.

### 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/>



### 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 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](mailto:license@gofish@hevanet.com) or contact Pamela Woods 503-956-7282.

### Happy Birthday to our Members

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	Daniel Solomonson	09/29
N7LF	Joel Harrington	10/02
KI7ZNA	Greg Biel	10/13

### Club Patches and Badges:

We will be taking orders for 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.

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).



Alan  
Gordon

N7AKG

GRESHAM, OR







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