



The Vox



President's Message

Fellow Hams,



I would like to thank Rodney Wolfe (N3XG) and all the club members who turned out to participate in the 2017 Field Day for a great effort. Field Day was a success! The weather cleared nicely and we had a smooth and efficient deployment to the Brickyard Road site. The HF bands were busy and we had Hams ready and willing to work both voice and digital modes. The 6 meter band was open and we were able to make a surprising number of 6 M QSO's. It was also nice to see a number of new faces come out to help and operate. Tear down and cleanup also went like clockwork. I am already looking forward to Field Day 2018. We would like to build on this years success and we are considering an expansion of our operation. If you did not make Field Day this year please put it on your to do list for 2018.



I hope everyone is having a safe and happy summer!

73!!!

John (AB3LZ)

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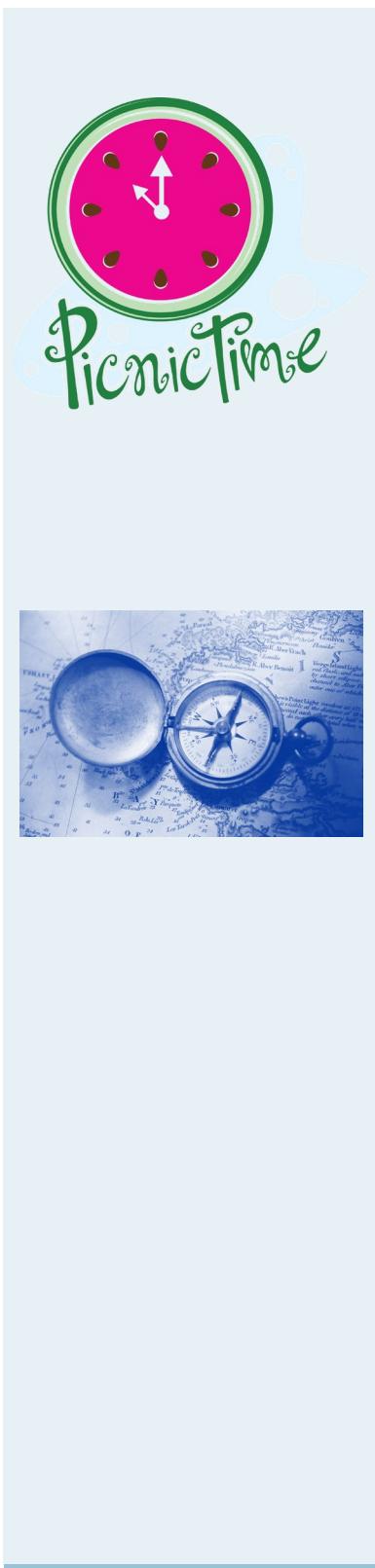
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LVARC Picnic



Greetings, fellow radio critters! The annual LVARC picnic is rapidly approaching, and I'd like to get a rough head count, plus a list of foodstuffs folks are bringing. Bring your family, bring your dog, bring your dog's family, but please reply not later than Wednesday, 19 July. If you forget, or just don't GAS, show up anyway, as there's always plenty of side dishes left over. (No promises re: hot dogs and burgers...) I'm bringing ice cream again, and this year I'll try to keep it frozen. Maybe a 12-pack of Moxie, too.

Location: Upper Macungie Park, Fogelsville

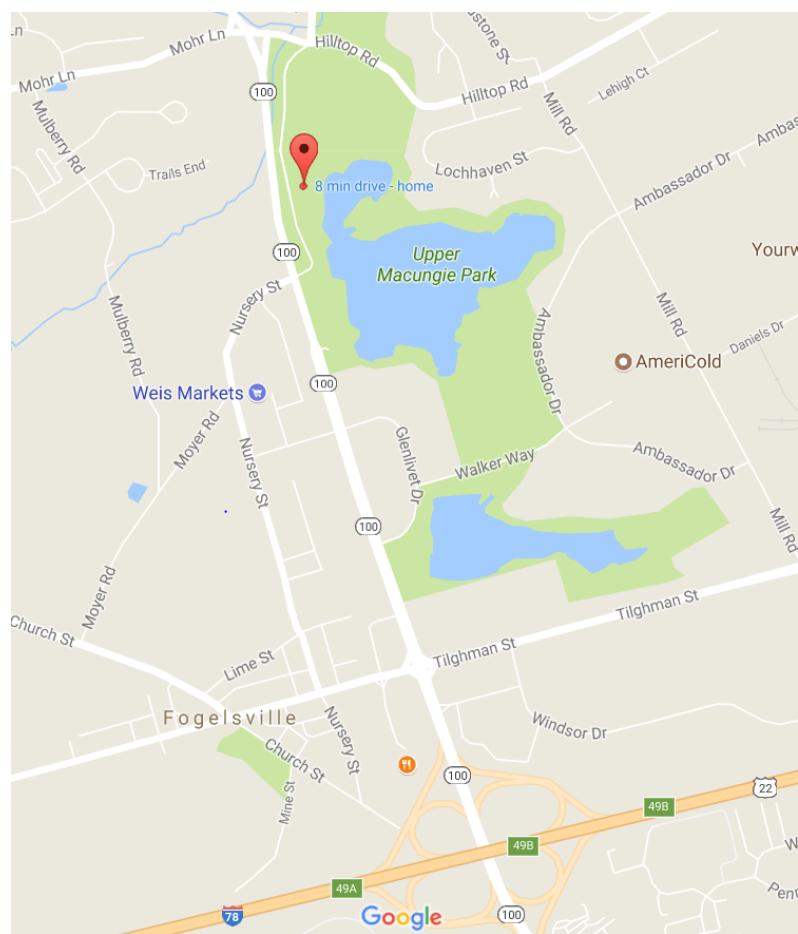
Date: Saturday, 22 July.

Directions: from Rte 22, take whichever ramp goes to 100N. Go ~1.0 mile, and turn RIGHT on Haasadahl Rd. Proceed to the upper pavilion.

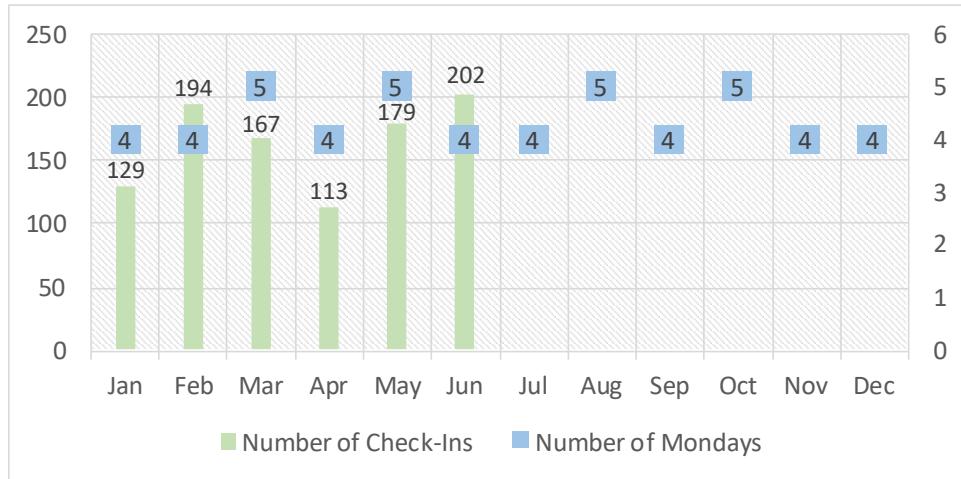
Co-ordinates: 40.596401 -75.630244

See ya' there!

Don Hoppes, NØVGA



Monday Night Traffic Net



On Monday nights at 7:30pm the club has a different kind of 'meeting' on the air called a traffic net. Members and non-members can check in and hone their emergency traffic handling skills as part of the net. The net takes place on the primary repeater used by the club on 146.94 Mhz. Messages, bulletins and traffic are handled by the net control station. Tune in for announcements of upcoming meetings and club events.



Check-Ins Every Monday Night
LC/LVARC/RACES Net on
146.94 (PL 71.9)

Alternate frequency on
147.735/147.135 (DCS 315)

The Net begins at 7:30 p.m. ET

LVARC Repeaters
146.34 / 146.94 (PL 71.9)
147.735/147.135 (DCS - 315)
Club Simplex Frequency - 147.420

2017 Monday Night Check-In Summary

Month	Count	Days
January	129	5
February	194	4
March	167	4
April	113	4
May	179	5
June	202	4
July		5
August		4
September		4
October		5
November		4
December		4

ARES Event Schedule



2017 ARES Events			
Location	Time	Date	
St. Luke's/Lehigh Valley	7:30am	Sunday, April 23 rd	✓
Palmerton 5K and 10K	TBD	Saturday, May, 13 th	✓
Hanover Township Spring 5K	TBD	Saturday, June, 3 rd	✓
VIA Marathon	TBD	Sunday, September 10 th	
Women's 5K Classic	TBD	Saturday, October 7 th	
Delaware & Lehigh Heritage Half	TBD	Sunday, November 5 th	
Penn State "Thon" 5K	TBD	Sunday, November 5 th	
D&L Rail Trail Half Marathon	TBD	November, TBD	

"Listen to the Monday Night Net, information at meetings and read the VOX for information as events near. To volunteer, contact Mark (AK3M) at AK3M@rcn.com except for the D&L Rail Trail. Contact Rod (N3XG) at n3xq.radio@gmail.com to volunteer for that event." Mark, AK3M

ARES Report



Hanover 5K was supported in June. Next ARES event is the Via Marathon in September. NTS training nets continue after the Monday net on the 135 repeater.

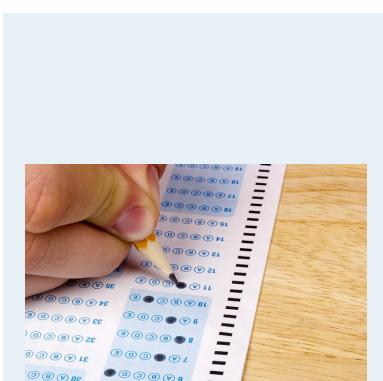
LVARC VE Schedule



2017 LVARC Test Sessions			
Location	Time	Date	
Hanover Elementary School	6:30 p.m.	Friday, January 20 th	✓
Hanover Elementary School	6:30 p.m.	Friday, February 17 th	✓
Hanover Elementary School	6:30 p.m.	Friday, March 17 th	✓
Hanover Elementary School	6:30 p.m.	Friday, April 21 st	✓
Hanover Elementary School	6:30 p.m.	Friday, May 19 th	✓
LVARC Field Day site	2:00 - 4:00 p.m.	Saturday, June 24 th	✓
Summer Break	6:30 p.m.	No Test Session	
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Hanover Elementary School	6:30 p.m.	Friday, September 15 th	
Hanover Elementary School	6:30 p.m.	Friday, October 20 th	
Hanover Elementary School	6:30 p.m.	Friday, November 17 th	
Hanover Elementary School	6:30 p.m.	Friday, December 15 th	

"There will be NO test session in July or August, 2017. The regular third Friday of the month test session at the school will resume on Friday September 15, 2017." Mark, AK3M

LVARC VE Report



LVARC VE Report
Mark, AK3M

Volunteer Examiners

Date: The next VE test session will be on September 15, 2017
Location: Hanover Elementary School at 6:30 pm.
Registration: Contact Mark (AK3M) at AK3M@rcn.com.
Enrollment: The deadline to register for the September 10, 2017.

Report:

Field Day testing yielded one upgrade to General, Chris KC3EXN and one new Technician, Doug, KC3JLK. No testing is scheduled until September.

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Congratulations:

Chris Costabile, [KC3EXN](#) - General
Doug George, [KC3JLK](#) - Technician



Communications



"I have a news item from Jeff Kelly (N3MFT). The Big Rock receiver for the 146.94 repeater voter has been replaced with a MTR2000 receiver. This completes the current upgrades to the 146.94 repeater. Jeff also reports that the DStar repeaters have been repaired by ICOM and are being shipped back to Jeff. The repaired DStar repeaters should be back in service in the near future." John (AB3LZ)

Club Station



Equipment Update

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LVARC Meeting and Club Station Schedule



LVARC Meeting and Club Station Schedule for 2017

Month	Business Meeting	Presenter	Club Station	
Jan	EMS Council of Eastern PA	Guest Speaker	Paul	✓
Feb	NTS	Rodney Wolfe	Beast Feast	✓
Mar	Digital Voice VHF/UHF HF	Jeff Bauer	Chuck/John	✓
Apr	SDR	Joe Reynick	Paul	✓
May	Contesting	Andy Koslap	TBD	✓
Jun	Field Day Prep	Rod (N3XG)	Field Day	✓
Jul	DSTAR	Dave Jenkins	Club Picnic	
Aug	Antennas, Tuners & SWR	Paul Ryan	Rod	
Sep	Hati Mission	Myles Bodisch	John	
Oct	NVIS Antennas	Mike Mandell	Paul	
Nov	EchoLink	Rodney Wolfe	Rod	
Dec	Club Elections	All Members	Christmas Party	

Please note that there are 4 months that the club station will not be open. They are months that we have other activities scheduled (i.e. Field Day).

If there appears to be a strong demand for station use we will add additional nights.

Right now we will see who shows up and people will have to share time on machines if we get more than 3 or 4 at a time.



august 2017

sunday	monday	tuesday	wednesday	thursday	friday	saturday
		1 LVARC Mtg 7:30 pm Paul Ryan Antennas, Tuners & SWR Meters	2	3	4	5
6	7 ARES/RACES Net 7:30 pm	8	9 District 2 RACES Net 7:30 pm 147.255	10	11	12
13	14 ARES/RACES Net 7:30 pm	15	16 District 2 RACES Net 7:30 pm 147.255	17	18	19
20	21 ARES/RACES Net 7:30 pm	22	23 District 2 RACES Net 7:30 pm 147.255	24	25	26
27	28 ARES/RACES Net 7:30 pm	29	30 District 2 RACES Net 7:30 pm 147.255	31		

notes There are no scheduled hands-on nights for 2017. However, the club station will be open for selected third Tuesday nights.

notes

LVARC Minutes July 2017

Tuesday, July 11, 2017

19:30

Tri-Clover Fire Company, Orefield, PA

7/11/2017

Opening:

The regular meeting of the Lehigh Valley Amateur Radio Club was called to order at 7:30 on July 11 by President Bartos.

There were a total of 21 members in attendance, and the club was joined by no guests.

Guests:

The following Board Members were present at the meeting: John Bartos, Chuck Ballard, Brian Snyder, Mike Mandell, Paul Ryan, Rick Pearce, Dave Jenkins, Rodney Wolfe, Phil Biggs

Approval of Minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting were unanimously approved as distributed.

Moved: Chuck, W3CDY

Second: Jerry, KC3FNB

Carried

Treasurer's Report (Brian-KB3QHA)

Treasurer's report was read and approved.

Brian also announced he is compiling a list of those who need member badges.

Committee Reports

Repeater:

Rod, N3XG reported the Dstar radios are repaired and awaiting shipment from Icom. The MTR 2000 receiver is installed at Big Rock.

Program:

Tonight is Dave, KC3BFO on Dstar. Next month will be antenna tuners and SWR meters by Paul, NOKIA

Volunteer Examiners:

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ARES:

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Communications:

Chuck, W3CDY reported the committee is awaiting suggestions from members. Some discussion on maintaining the membership database.

Club Station:

John, AB3LZ reported we used the Kenwood for Field Day and it worked fine. He would like to install our 80M OCF

on the roof and buy another for Field Day. We need an indoor work party (one or two people) for some floor work on water ingress. Richard, KC3FEZ reported there was an issue in wire routing on internet, so they need to meet with EPA EMS to resolve this. We are also going to need a roof work party this summer for installing the 80M OCF and the bracket support for the VHF antenna.

Old Business:

Club Picnic is July 22 around noon at the same site on Route 100.

Field Day was very good, with great weather. Our score was 746 as reported. Myles, KB3ZMA volunteered to help organize Field Day in the future.



New Business:

Rod, N3XG said we have the potential of a trailer donation from EPA EMS.

Moved to negotiate for donation

Chuck, W3CDY

Steve, K2OPA

Carried

Good of the Order:

Paul, NOKIA reported he has located the 160M coils for the vertical antenna. Doug reported the Sussex hamfest is this Sunday. Phil, KB3HMK mentioned a California ham who builds cables he has had excellent results with.

Sick Report:

None

New Member Applicants:

Julio Cesar Folhadell, KC3JCJ

Joseph Moskalski, KC2IRV

Motion to accept: Chuck, W3CDY

Second: Don, N0VGA

Carried

Adjournment:

Meeting was adjourned at 8:17

Moved: Rick, KC3EXO

Seconded: Chuck, W3CDY

Carried

Minutes submitted by: Mike, KC3BLF

2017 ARRL Hamfests and Conventions within 100 Miles of Tri-Clover Fire Company, Orefield, PA

North Jersey Hamfest

Start Date: 04/23/2017

End Date: 04/23/2017

Location: Roxbury Senior Center
72 Eylan Ave
Succasunna, NJ 07876

Website: <http://www.splitrockara.org>

Sponsor: Splitrock Amateur Radio Association

Type: ARRL Hamfest

Talk-In: 146.985 (PL 131.8)

Public Contact: Michael Greenfeld , K8BQ

c/o SARA PO Box 610 Rockaway, NJ 07866

Phone: 866-457-6687

Email: hamfest2017@splitrockara.org

York Hamfest

Start Date: 04/29/2017

End Date: 04/29/2017

Location: Elcker's Grove Park
511 Roth Church Road
Spring Grove, PA 17362

Website: <http://www.yorkhamfest.org/>

Sponsor: York Hamfest Foundation

Type: ARRL Hamfest

Talk-In: 147.33 (PL 123)

Public Contact: Duane Sterner , KB3QLQ

7197 Hershey Road Spring Grove, PA 17362

Phone: 717-332-1385

Email: duane.sterner@yahoo.com

Orange County ARC Hamfest

Start Date: 04/30/2017

End Date: 04/30/2017

Location: Wallkill Community Center
8 West Warren Drive
Middletown, NY 10940

Website: <http://www.ocarc-ny.org>

Sponsor: Orange County Amateur Radio Club

Type: ARRL Hamfest

Talk-In: 146.76 (PL 100)

Public Contact: Bruce Baccaro , K2ULZ

4 Taffy Lane Newburgh, NY 12550

Phone: 845-562-4226

Email: k2ulz@arrl.net

Eastern Pennsylvania Section Convention

Start Date: 05/07/2017

End Date: 05/07/2017

Location: Bucks County Community College - Lower Bucks Campus
1304 Veterans Highway
Bristol, PA 19007

Website: <http://www.k3dn.org>

Sponsor: Warminster Amateur Radio Club

Type: ARRL Convention

Talk-In: 147.09 (PL 131.8)

Public Contact: George Brechmann , N3HBT

513 Cooper Drive Warminster, PA 18974

Phone: 215-443-5656

Email: n3hbt@arrl.net

BARA Spring Hamfest

Start Date: 05/27/2017

End Date: 05/27/2017

Location: Westwood Regional Jr./Sr. High School
701 Ridgewood Road

Township of Washington, NJ 07676

Website: <http://www.bara.org>

Sponsor: Bergen Amateur Radio Associaton

Type: ARRL Hamfest

Talk-In: 146.19, 146.79 (PL 141.3)

Public Contact: Jim Joyce , K2ZO

286 Ridgewood Blvd. Township of Washington, NJ 07676

Phone: 201-664-6725

Email: K2ZO@arrl.net

Memorial Weekend Hamfest

Start Date: 05/28/2017

End Date: 05/28/2017

Location: Howard County Fairgrounds
2210 Fairgrounds Road

West Friendship, MD 21794

Website: <http://www.marylandfm.org>

Sponsor: Maryland FM Association

Type: ARRL Hamfest

Talk-In: 146.76, 224.76, 444.0 (PL 107.2)

Public Contact: John Elgin , WA3MNN

518 Copley Lane Silver Spring, MD 20904

Phone: 301-641-5313

Email: marylandfm@verizon.net

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Ocean-Monmouth ARC Spring Hamfest

Start Date: 06/03/2017

End Date: 06/03/2017

Location: Spring Lake Heights Independent Fire Company No. 1
700 Sixth Avenue
Spring Lake Heights, NJ
Website: <http://www.n2mo.org>
Sponsor: Ocean-Monmouth Amateur Radio Club
Type: ARRL Hamfest
Talk-In: 145.110 (PL 127.3)
Public Contact: Joe Kruszewski , KC2SVS
1508 Essex Court Toms River, NJ 08755
Phone: 732-618-5328
Email: joekru1@hotmail.com

MBARC Spring into Summer Hamfest

Start Date: 06/04/2017

End Date: 06/04/2017

Location: Employees Recreation Center (near Downstate Correctional Facility)
83 Red Schoolhouse Road
Fishkill, NY 12524
Website: <http://www.wr2abb.org>
Sponsor: Mount Beacon ARC
Type: ARRL Hamfest
Talk-In: 146.970 (PL 100)
Public Contact: Adam Nowik Jr , KC2DAA
106 Boardman Road Poughkeepsie, NY 12603
Phone: 845-849-3666
Email: KC2DAA@aol.com

William H. Pouch Scout Camp Hamfest

Start Date: 06/04/2017

End Date: 06/04/2017

Location: William H. Pouch Scout Camp - Camporee Parking Lot
1465 Manor Road
Staten Island, NY 10301
Website: <http://www.wa2cp.org>
Sponsor: Camp Pouch Amateur Radio Association
Type: ARRL Hamfest
Talk-In: 147.315 (PL 118.8)
Public Contact: Gary Lindtner , KB2BSL
1465 Manor Road (Ham Radio) Staten Island, NY 10314
Phone: 718-504-0030
Email: hamfest@wa2cp.org

27th Annual Bloomsburg Hamfest

Start Date: 06/10/2017

End Date: 06/10/2017

Location: Lime Ridge Community Center
6405 4th Street
Lime Ridge, PA
Website: <http://www.qsl.net/cm-arc/hamfest.htm>
Sponsor: Columbia-Montour ARC
Type: ARRL Hamfest
Talk-In: 147.225+ (PL 85.4)
Public Contact: Dave Schack , WC3A
1586 State Route 93 Berwick, PA 18603
Phone: 570-951-9694
Email: ten_speed_99@yahoo.com

Garden State Amateur Radio Association Spring Hamfest

Start Date: 06/11/2017

End Date: 06/11/2017

Location: MOESC
100 Tornillo Way
Tinton Falls, NJ
Website: <http://www.gardenstateara.org/hamfest>
Sponsor: Garden State Amateur Radio Association
Type: ARRL Hamfest
Talk-In: 147.045 (PL 67)
Public Contact: Rem Hunnewell , K2REM
160 Belmar Avenue Oakhurst, NJ 07755
Phone: 732-889-6692
Email: HAMFEST@GardenStateARA.Org

HOSARC Hamfest

Start Date: 06/11/2017

End Date: 06/11/2017

Location: New York Hall of Science Parking Lot
47-01 111th Street
Queens, NY
Website: <http://www.hosarc.org>
Sponsor: Hall of Science Amateur Radio Club
Type: ARRL Hamfest
Talk-In: 444.2 (PL 136.5)
Public Contact: Stephen Greenbaum , WB2KDG
85-10 34th Avenue, Apt. 323 Jackson Heights, NY 11372
Phone: 718-898-5599
Email: WB2KDG@arrl.net

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W2QW Hamfest

Start Date: 06/17/2017

End Date: 06/17/2017

Location: Piscataway High School

110 Behmer Road

Piscataway, NJ 08854

Website: <http://w2qw.org/hamfest.htm>

Sponsor: Raritan Valley Radio Club

Type: ARRL Hamfest

Talk-In: 146.625 (PL 103.5); 442.25 (PL 141.3), 146.52

Public Contact: E Drew Moore , W2OU

30 Ethel Road Piscataway, NJ 08854

Phone: 732-801-4654

Email: drumor@optonline.net

BARC's Father's Day Hamfest

Start Date: 06/18/2017

End Date: 06/18/2017

Location: Arcadia Volunteer Fire Company Carnival Grounds

16020 Carnival Avenue

Upperco, MD 21155

Website: <http://www.w3ft.com>

Sponsor: Baltimore Amateur Radio Club

Type: ARRL Hamfest

Talk-In: None

Public Contact: Dave Shadwell , AB3TE

PO Box 120 Reisterstown, MD 21136

Phone: 443-465-6583

Email: w3ft67@yahoo.com

Harrisburg Radio Amateurs Club Firecracker Hamfest

Start Date: 07/01/2017

End Date: 07/01/2017

Location: Harrisburg Area Community College

3599 Industrial Road

Harrisburg, PA 17101

Website: <http://www.w3uu.org>

Sponsor: Harrisburg Radio Amateurs' Club

Type: ARRL Hamfest

Talk-In: 146.76 (PL 100)

Public Contact: Tim Lehman , KB3OZA

PO Box 453 Hummelstown, PA 17036

Phone: 717 461-3398

Email: kb3oza@arrl.net

Murgas ARC Hamfest and Computerfest

Start Date: 07/02/2017

End Date: 07/02/2017

Location: Polish American Veterans Club

2 South Oak Street

Wilkes-Barre, PA

Website: <http://murgasarc.org>

Sponsor: Murgas Amateur Radio Club

Type: ARRL Hamfest

Talk-In: 146.61 (PL 82.5)

Public Contact: Herb Krumich , K2LNS

311 Meadow Run Road Wilkes-Barre, PA 18702

Phone: 570-829-2695

Email: murgasarc@gmail.com

Valley Forge Hamfest

Start Date: 07/08/2017

End Date: 07/08/2017

Location: Kimberton Fire Company Fairgrounds Route 113 and Firehouse Lane

Kimberton, PA 19442

Website: <http://www.marc-radio.org/hamfest2.htm>

Sponsor: Mid-Atlantic Amateur Radio Club

Type: ARRL Hamfest

Talk-In: 145.13, 147.06 (PL 131.8)

Public Contact: Brian Kelly , AA3BK

30 North Valentine Drive Garnet Valley, PA 19060

Phone: 240-498-1964

Email: AA3BK@marc-radio.org

SCARC 2017

Start Date: 07/16/2017

End Date: 07/16/2017

Location: Sussex County Fairgrounds

37 Plains Road

Augusta, NJ 07822

Website: <http://www.scarcnj.org>

Sponsor: Sussex County Amateur Radio Club

Type: ARRL Hamfest

Talk-In: 147.3 (PL 151.4)

Public Contact: Dan Carter , N2ERH

8 Carter Lane Branchville, NJ 07826

Phone: 973-862-8197

Email: Hamfest@scarcnj.org



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JSARS Hamfest by the Shore

Start Date: 08/27/2017

End Date: 08/27/2017

Location: Riverwood Park

100 Riverwood Drive

Toms River, NJ 08753

Website: <http://jsars.org>

Sponsor: Jersey Shore Amateur Radio Society

Type: ARRL Hamfest

Talk-In: 146.910 (PL 127.3)

Public Contact: Don McGlaughlin , K2HCW

PO Box 811 Ocean Gate, NJ 08740

Phone: 732-237-9448

Email: K2HCW@comcast.net

New Jersey State Convention

Start Date: 09/10/2017

End Date: 09/10/2017

Location: Gloucester County 4-H Fairgrounds

235 Bridgeton Pike (Route 77)

Mullica Hill, NJ 08062

Website: <http://w2mmd.org>

Sponsor: Gloucester County ARC

Type: ARRL Convention

Talk-In: 147.18+ (PL 131.8)

Public Contact: Sheldon Parker , K2MEN

643 Betty Rose Avenue Gibbstown, NJ 08027

Phone: 856-423-1767

Email: k2men@comcast.net

CARAFest

Start Date: 10/01/2017

End Date: 10/01/2017

Location: Howard County Fairgrounds

2210 Fairgrounds Road

West Friendship, MD 21794

Website: <http://www.carafest.org>

Sponsor: Columbia Amateur Radio Association

Type: ARRL Hamfest

Talk-In: 147.390+ (PL 156.7)

Public Contact: David Parkison , KB3VDY

1257 Stevens Avenue Arbutus, MD 21227

Phone: 410-977-1249

Email: info@carafest.org

Mid-Atlantic States VHF Conference

Start Date: 10/06/2017

End Date: 10/08/2017

Location: Holiday Inn Bensalem-Philadelphia

3327 Street Road

Bensalem, PA 19020

Website: <http://packratvhf.com>

Sponsor: Mt. Airy VHF Radio Club (Packrats)

Type: ARRL Convention

Talk-In:

Public Contact: Rick Rosen , K1DS

7676 Springwater Place, #101 Boynton Beach, FL 33437

Phone: 215-284-5517

Email: rick1ds@hotmail.com

HOSARC Hamfest

Start Date: 10/08/2017

End Date: 10/08/2017

Location: New York Hall of Science Parking Lot

47-01 111th Street Corona, NY 11368

Queens, NY

Website: <http://www.hosarc.org>

Sponsor: Hall of Science Amateur Radio Club

Type: ARRL Hamfest

Talk-In: 444.2 (PL 136.5)

Public Contact: Stephen Greenbaum , WB2KDG

85-10 34th Avenue, Apt. 323 Jackson Heights, NY 11372

Phone: 718-898-5599

Email: WB2KDG@arrl.net

LVARC Club Announcements



Your VOX input is needed!

Send any VOX submissions to:

John, WB3DX at radio.WB3DX@gmail.com

The VOX is your newsletter. Feel free to submit articles and pictures for inclusion of the VOX.

General Interest



Recommendation

I have attached a business card of a ham that I bought programming cables from. It's the front and back. I have had great service from this guy.

Phillip W. Bigg, KB3HMK

Mark V Dunkle, KJ6ZWL
BlueMax49ers eBay & Amazon seller
CERT Emergency Communications
ARES/RACES Campbell, CA



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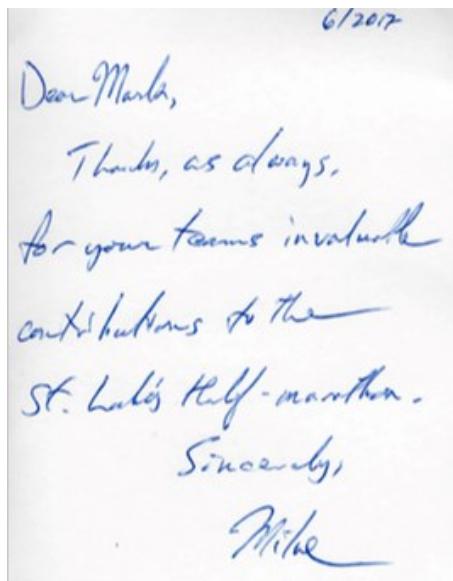
Thank You

Attached is a Thank You note from Dr. Mike Martinez who is the head of the Half-Marathon which we service in Spring.

In case it can't be read, it says, "Dear Mark, Thanks as always for your team's invaluable contribution to the St. Luke's Half Marathon. Sincerely Mike."

This Thank You card belongs to all those who helped provide communications for this annual event.

Mark, AK3M



LVARC Classified



N3XG Items for sale:

Short Wave

GP5 Short Wave hand held receive with SSB. **\$50.00**

Grundig S450DXL. \$75.00

NooElec USB Dongle SDR in enclosure with Ham It Up upconverter. **\$60.00**

Scanners

HomePatrol (P-25 phase 1 with software upgrade). **\$75.00**

RadioShack digital i-scan (p-25 phase 1 and 2). **\$50.00**

Transceivers

Yaesu FT350. **\$150.00**

Yaesu FT8900R with program cable and software. **\$125.00**

Yaesu FTM 10RE (new in box with motorcycle mount). **\$250.00**

Icom id51 (1st edition with wall charger and two batteries). **\$150.00**

Alinco DJ-D29 (220 / 900 MHZ) with rapid charger and program cable. **\$150.00**

Baofeng GT3 with charger. **\$25.00**

Antennas

Alpha Antenna – (10-80 rapid deployment field antenna). **\$250.00**

Icom ah-703 – 10-40 QRP travel antenna. **\$100.00**

Contact Rodney N3XG.RADIO@gmail.com for availability and sales.

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I took early retirement from Talen Energy, previously part of PPL and now I am interested in getting back into the workforce. Please keep me in mind if you know of any opportunities.

Thanks

John Hilderbrand, WB3DX

As a forward-thinking business systems analyst, I blend technological and operational aptitudes to drive customized solutions yielding profitable results. I am respected for my proclivity to identify ever-changing market trends, and functional requirement development. I am also regarded as an innovative thought leader with success in leading business development, strategic planning, and process improvement initiatives. Known as a business process re-engineering expert, I drive companies to achieve competitive and sustainable growth.

I offer cutting-edge, advanced knowledge in sustainable energy solutions and leading technologies. I'm also strongly interested in outpacing competition and contributing to innovative solutions for our new energy economy.

Some highlights of my career-wide success include:

- * Salvaged a key client relationship following a misaligned MS SharePoint application by strategically managing defects and cultivating positive rapport until application replacement.
- * Proven record of career growth as a direct result of ability to continually improve processes in accordance with business needs.
- * Played a key role in strategic development efforts after deregulation of electricity industry by defining market segments, acquiring key customer lists, and driving sales goals.
- * Functioned as a core player in the formation of a thriving supply company in deregulated electricity marketplace.
- * Headed real-time data historian initiative, delivering OSIsoft PI system with connectivity to Alstom's Transmission Management System (TMS) to collect, archive time-series and event-based data from 450 substations.
- * Optimized cost benefit analysis through close collaboration with commercial/industrial clientele.

If you would like to learn more about my professional experience or wish to see my resume, please feel free to connect with me:



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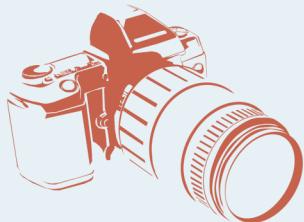


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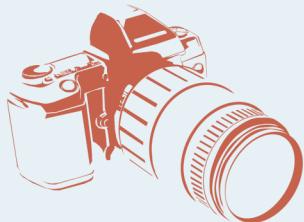
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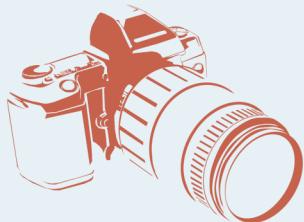


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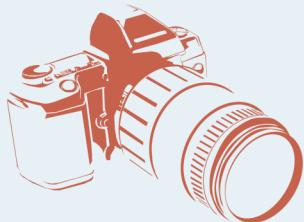


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