



# THE STANDING WAVE

June 2017

Joe (AJ8MH) and Pam (KD8KMN) at Hamcation.





MONTHLY MEETING: MQT County Health Dept. Bldg., Lower Level, Negaunee Twp.

Date: June 1 / July 6, 2017

Time: 7:00 PM

#### **CLUB OFFICERS, 2017**

Pres. Lou Gembolis, KG8NK VP. Jack Nelson, N8JRN ~Acting VP. Rich Schwenke~ Sec. Michael Beltz, KD8JIR Treas. Lucille Scotti, KD8PTE

Board Members: Greg Hanson, KI8AF Lee Rowe, KD8BJC Fred Mouser, KD8JIP

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HARA membership? New member or need to renew your membership?

Dues can be mailed to the Hiawatha Amateur Radio Association, PO

BX 1183, Marquette, MI 49855. Dues annual rate structure: Single

\$15.00, Family \$20.00, Associate \$10.00, Family associate \$15.00,

Student \$7.50. More information and an application form is available at

http://www.qsl.net/k8lod/membership.html



#### **VE Test Session** June 10<sup>th</sup>

Marquette: 8:30 A.M. EST, (arrive by 8:00am)

Marquette County Health Dept. Bldg, U.S. 41 just east of the Michigan State Police Post. You MUST preregister at least by the Tuesday evening preceding the Saturday test date. Contact Rich N8GBA at 249-3837, n8gba@att.net or Greg KI8AF 225-1594, ki8af@arrl.net.

The HARA website has been updated. The update mostly centers around HTML coding with some minor changes in the way the site's pages look.

http://www.qsl.net/k8lod/

Our radio communication streaming audio has also been changed to facilitate both Microsoft and Apple products using Broadcastify links. Every application has been checked, but if you notice a problem, contact me through the email link on the bottom right of each page. Thanks!

-- 73, Joe (AJ8MH-Radio) aj8mh-radio@charter.net

<u>Bruce Pierce</u>, KH6IK has been in and out of the hospital for the past several weeks. We wish Bruce strength in his long recovery process. He has been at Mayo and back to MQT. We are hoping for no complications and strength for what will be a long recovery process. ~Zach Pierce~

The monthly newsletter of the Hiawatha Amateur Radio Association of Marquette, MI. Comments and suggestions can be sent to the club at P.O. BX 1183, Marquette, MI 49855 Or to the Editor at <a href="mailto:jimsalzwedel@yahoo.com">jimsalzwedel@yahoo.com</a> Club info, membership, dues etc. can be found on our Website at <a href="www.qsl.net/k8lod">www.qsl.net/k8lod</a>. Annual membership dues can be sent to club address.

REPEATERS:



K8LOD, 147.27 / .87 - 100 Hz PL - Marquette IRLP (node number 8461) and Echolink (node number 420942/K8LOD-R) KC8BAN, 147.195 / .795 - 100 Hz PL - Grand Marais KE8IL, 146.97 / .37 - 100 Hz PL - Marquette (How To **Echolink** )

K8LOD, 146.91 / .31 - Ishpeming K8LOD, 146.82 / .22 - 100 Hz PL - Ely Township K8LOD, 146.64 / .04 - 100 Hz PL - Gwinn KC8BAN, 145.410 / 144.81 - 100 Hz PL - Wetmore KE8IL, 444.80 / 449.80 - Marquette KBØP, 443.50 / 448.50 - 100 Hz PL - 100W - Ishpeming K8LOD, 443.45 / 448.45 - 100 Hz PL - Marquette K8LOD-3, 144.39 - APRS Digi Marquette The linked system consists of (west to east) 146.820, 147.270, 443.450, 146.640, 145.410, and 147.195 repeaters.

If you have an article or something which you may Think will be of interest to the club membership please get it to me. Comments and suggestions are always welcome.

# HIAWATHA AMATEUR RADIO ASSOCIATION May 04, 2017 - Club Minutes

- Officers present were: President: Lou Gembolis KG8NK, Vice-President, Rich Schwenke N8GBA, Secretary: Mike Beltz KD8JIR, and Treasurer: Lucille Scotti KD8PTE.
- The meeting was called to order at 7:00pm by the Lou KG8N. A motion to approve the agenda as amended was made by Jim N8NAV and supported by Brandon N8PUM. The motion was approved.

President's Report: Lou KG8NK reported that Theresa called and borrowed our generator for the State Police as a backup for a few days. He needed to remove "80,000 tons of c\*\*p" in order to remove it from storage. We still need to clean out our storage units.

**Introduction and Attendance:** The Club had 21 members and 0 guests in attendance.

**Secretary's Report**: The minutes were submitted by Secretary Mike KD8JIR and printed in the Standing Wave. It was also printed on the back of the agenda. No corrections were noted and motion to approve the minutes was made Greg KI8AF and supported by Bill KC8EWD. The motion was approved.

**Treasurer's Report:** Treasurer Lucille KD8PTE gave the reports for April. A motion to accept the report was made by Bill KC8EWD and seconded by Fred KD8JIP. The motion was approved.

**Correspondence:** Lucille KD8PTE reported we received a letter from the Cadillac Amateur Radio Club on their Swap. Lou KG8NK reported that the State of Michigan terminated our Club. Lou was not entirely sure how or why it happened, but we will be refiling to reincorporate. We should know more next month.

# HIAWATHA AMATEUR RADIO ASSOCIATION May 04, 2017 - Club Minutes-Continued

### **Committee Report**

**A. Repeaters/Tech**.- Paul KB0P reported the .27 repeater is working good. The .91 repeater in Grand Marias is not working and may not be for some time to come. The antenna appears to be broke.

**B.** Ares/Races- Lou KG8NK reported nothing new happening.

C: PR – None

### **Old Business:**

A: .91 Repeater Damage – Discussed above in Repeater/Tech.

#### **New Business:**

A: Field Day – We need a chair person.

**B: Emergency Trailer** - Rich N8GBA stated we need to develop an emergency trailer. We will need to get a few grants and do some fund raisers. The trailer is a little over \$6,000. It will be a work in progress because we will need to do some modifications and get some equipment for it. Fred KD8JIP made a motion to pursue the purchase of a trailer. Seconded by Ralph N8HXG. The motion was approved. **C: Fund Raiser for Jack N8JRN** – Jim N8NAV reported that there will be a benefit dinner for Jack at St. Louis the King in Harvey on Sunday May 21. The funds will be used to fix an access for Jack to get in and out of his home.

**50/50 Drawing:** Congratulations to Rich N8GBA.

**Adjournment:** At 7:27pm, a motion to adjourn was made by Pete KC8YTX and supported by Fred KD8JIP. The motion passed.

**Post Meeting Program:** NOAA "Storm Spotters" program presented by Matt Zika KD8EFY.

# HIAWATHA AMATEUR RADIO ASSOCIATION

Please take photos and send in pictures of Ham events that you may be involved in this Summer! We could use the event photos in the Standing Wave.



If you missed the "Taco Fundraiser" for <u>Jack and Maxine</u>
<u>Nelson</u>. A small donation mailed to St. Louis the King Catholic
Church, 264 Silver Creek Rd, Marquette, MI 49855, would be
greatly appreciated. Greg, KI8AF.



And that's a wrap for another month. 73's until next month, Jim.