

The Feedline.

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The April meeting of the Cary Amateur Radio Club will be held on Thursday, April 24, at the White Plains United Methodist Church, lower level in the Activities Building. The meeting will start on or after 7:31 pm. All are welcome. The presenter of the program will be Dr. Michael North, KK4EIB, on Global Position Systems: Satellites Perspective. Note: Dues are due!?!? \$10.00 USD

For those of you who have email capability, the Cary Amateur Radio Club will be sending meeting notices (and recent news items) in a PDF file called "The Feedline." This is a resurrection of the old Feedline that was sent out as hard copy via the USPS, years ago. Now, we are avoiding the printing and mailing costs of even the postcards we used in the interim. Some of you may be receiving this having not previously received a postcard. Now, we want to include as many as we can to enlarge the foot print of Amateur Radio.

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William Dedmond McMurray

William D. McMurray (Bill), 86, of Cary died on April 11, 2014. Bill was born on December 3, 1927, in Forest City, NC to Mary and Joshua McMurray. He served as an Electronics Technician Mate in the US Navy during WWII. Due to his life-long love of flying he went on to become an F-80 photo reconnaissance pilot in Korea with the USAF. He was awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross for "heroism or extraordinary achievement while participating in aerial flight" during a mission with the 45th Tactical Reconnaissance Squadron over the Shiuho Dam in North Korea.

On September 13, 1952, immediately following his graduation from Aviation Cadet School, he married Barbara Daniels, of Asheville, who predeceased him after 49 years of marriage. Bill received his BS degree in Electrical Engineering from NCSU and went on to establish Radio Communications of Cary, Inc.

His passion was Amateur Radio, obtaining his first license (W4JQO) as a teenager and later obtaining an Amateur Extra Class license (K4SG). Bill was a published author with articles on Amateur Radio or his flying experiences in magazines such as QST, Nuts and Volts, Recall (The NC Military Historical Society), and the Recce Reader.

He is survived by his four daughters: Barbara McMurray of Alexandria, VA; Lauren Kelley of Plano, TX; Allison McMurray, of Clayton; and Robin Haynes, of Holly Springs; and twin granddaughters, Abbie and Logan Haynes.

A memorial service will be held on May 10th, at 11:00 AM at the First United Methodist Church in Cary. The family will greet visitors immediately following the service.

In lieu of flowers the family suggests donations to Hospice of Wake County, 250 Hospice Circle, Raleigh, NC 27607.



42nd Annual RARSFest and ARRL Roanoke Division Convention

8:00 AM - 3:30 PM **Saturday April 19, 2014**

Jim Graham Building - NC State Fairgrounds, 1025 Blue Ridge Rd, Raleigh NC 27607

Latitude: 35.7936 Longitude: -78.71175

Admission: \$8 pre-registration (Payment must be received by April 12) \$10 if purchased after April 12, or at the door. A \$100 prize will be drawn from pre-registrations. Age 16 & under admitted **FREE** when accompanied by an adult. Pre-regs contact: Jeff Wittich, AC4ZO, (919) 362-4787 or jwittich@nc.rr.com **In observance of the ARRL 100th Anniversary, ARRL President, Kay Craigie, N3KN, is planning to attend.**



The 2014 DurHamFest will be held on Saturday, May 24, at the Little River Community Complex at Bahama, NC. Take Rt-15/501 North out of Durham, for a nice little drive in the country, to find the "Complex" on the left hand side of the road. There will be plenty of signs.

Pre-reg tickets may be obtained at the April CARC meeting.