

B.V.A.R.A. QRM

W3SGJ

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144.710/145.310 MHZ - 100 HZ PL

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THE NET LIST

WPA CW NET.....7:00 PM DAILY.....3.585
 TRADERS NET.....7:00 PM MON & FRI 3.898
 HOSS TRADERS.....8:00 PM WEDNESDAY.3.910
 CALLOUS BOTTOMS...11:00 PM DAILY...3.912.5
 WPA PHONE & TFC NET...6:00 PM DAILY...3.983
 PA TRAFFIC TRAINING NET..6:30 PM...3.610
 E-CARS.....8:00 AM DAILY...7.255
 EAN NET.....2:30 PM DAILY..7.243
 RIP VANWINKLE.....7:00 AM DAILY..145.31
 B.V.A.R.A. 2 METER.....8:30 PM WED....145.31
 B.V.A.R.A. 10 METER...9:00 PM WED...28.370
 WPA TRAFFIC.....8:00 PM DAILY..146.88
 QCWA NET.....8:30 AM SUNDAY.147.03

VISIT THE B.V.A.R.A.'s WEBSITE AT:

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Submit all articles for the B.V.A.R.A. QRM, to Debbie KB3EAQ at our monthly meeting or by phoning her at 724-758-4074 on details on how to get it to her. All articles must be typed in text format on floppy disk. Thank you.

==CLUB NEWS==

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CLUB MEETING

The August meeting will be held at the Corn Roast on Friday August 12th 2005 at Shelter # 12 (formerly Shelter # 6) in Brady's Run Park, at 6:00 PM.

CLUB T SHIRTS

We are still selling Club T Shirts, Hats, Golf shirts, and possibly Jackets. Just let N3KUG Phyllis, or KB3EAQ Debbie know what you would like to order. We have a book to look at, and we can take any order

RIGS FOR SALE

The B.V.A.R.A. still has a rig for sale donated by WB3FKB, Bob Wilcox. The radio for sale is a KLM MULTI-2700. It is an all-mode 2 meter rig. If anyone is interested, please contact N3SVM, Bob or KB3EAQ, Debbie at 724-758-4074.

PRESIDENT'S NOTES

Hello everyone, I would like to remind all of you that our annual corn roast is this month. Also I would like to let you why there was no newsletter last month the reason is because I went away for a week also no one gave us any information to put into the letter. If we don't have articles to put into the newsletter we will only publish it every other month. Fieldday this year was pretty good there was always someone operating the radios all afternoon and during the night even the picnic however we could of had a better turnout. I would like to thank all of you for your help with setup and throwing up the antennas plus all the other help you guys all gave with hauling generators and N3KUG Phyllis thanks again for all your help with the pop and food preparation. MY THANKS TO ALL OF YOU.

THANK YOU

KB3EAQ DEBBIE

FROM THE DESK OF THE VICE PRESIDENT

Our Vice President is on vacation this month so there will be no article available.

B.V.A.R.A. SPONSORED TEST SESSION

The Beaver Valley Amateur Radio Association will sponsor an ARRL VE examination on Saturday, August 6th 2005 at the Community College of Beaver County's Aviation Science building located at 125 Cessna Drive, (Chippewa Twp.) Beaver Falls, PA.

Testing will start promptly at 10:00 AM so please plan on arriving at least 15 - 30 minutes prior. Walk-ins are welcome. Talk-ins will be on the 145.310 (W3SGJ) repeater. Use minus offset and 100 Hz PL tone. Also you can see our exact location via APRS on 144.39 MHZ. Look for W3SGJ.

All candidates wishing to take a test should bring the following

1. Two (2) forms of identification.
2. A pencil and a blue or black pen.
3. Your original AND a photocopy of your current license, (if any).
4. Your original AND a photocopy of any C.S.C.E's (if any).
5. The test fee of \$14.00.

All classes of amateur radio license tests will be administered. CW tests will **NO LONGER** be multiple choice.

All Technician Plus operators licensed as such prior to March 21, 1987 should bring a copy and the original proof of this credit.

Candidates are welcome and encouraged to join us for breakfast at the Chippewa Brighton Hot Dog Shoppe at 8:00 AM. For more information contact Tony KE3ED at the following:

Repeater: 145.310 (W3SGJ) minus offset & 100 hz pl tone.
E-mail: ke3ed@arrl.net
Phone: (724) 774-4173

CORN ROAST

Our annual corn roast will be held on **AUGUST 12TH 2005 AT 6:00 PM AT BRADY'S RUN PARK, SHELTER #12 (WAS OLD #6 AS THEY RENUMBERED ALL THE SHELTERS).**

Drinks, hotdogs, and corn will be provided. Please bring a covered dish and Yourselfes! We hope to see You there