

## Algonquin Amateur Radio Club

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## The Newsletter for AARC members

#### March 2024 Issue

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#### **President's Corner**

Successful Flea Market

Thank you to all for making the Flea Market a huge success. 15 volunteered on Friday night to set up, especially moving tables. 25 volunteered during the event on Saturday. Volunteers included members, spouses, family children, grandchildren, members of Marlborough Emergency Management and a student from Hudson High School.

The club will be supporting the licensing classes at Hudson High School the next couple of months. Classes will be after school 1 day a week.

Looking forward to the speaker this month, Brian Gudzevich, WO1VES. Let all know speakers have been arranged for the April and May meetings.

Thank you again to all and see all at the meeting.

Ann, KA1PON

## Treasurer's Report - February

Income was \$475 from Flea Market table reservations, \$41 from club table sales and \$30 from membership dues.

Expenses were \$261.74 for Flea Market and \$236 for annual PO Box rental fee.

Ken, KA1GFN

## **March Meeting**

The next AARC meeting will be held on March 14<sup>th</sup> at 7:30pm in the library of the 1<sup>st</sup> Lt. Charles W. Whitcomb Middle School, 25 Union St, Marlboro, MA. Enter from Agoritsas Drive next to police station and use Door #1 at rear of building.

If the school is closed the day of the meeting then the meeting is canceled.

## March Speaker - WO1VES

Our March speaker is Brian Gudzevich, WO1VES, also known as "Wolf". He has been self-employed since 2008 and is known as a Technology Specialist.

He has several repeaters in operation or part of his Wolf Pack Net in Stoneham, 443.200 (D-Star, YSF, FM) and 147.075 (YSF, FM), Gloucester, 443.700 (YSF, FM), Pepperell, 446.525 (YSF, FM), Goffstown, 444.200 (YSF, FM) and Derry, 446.375 (YSF, FM) known as the Wolf Pack Repeater System.

He is exceptionally knowledgeable with digital amateur radio, including DMR, C4FM (Yeasu Fusion), D-STAR and hotspots.

If you have any interest in learning about Digital Amateur Radio, you will find this presentation useful and informative.

#### MMRA VE Session

On Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup> at 9:00am, the Minuteman Repeater Association (MMRA) will hold a VE session at the Marlborough Fire Station, 215 Maple Street, Marlborough, MA 01752.

More Info

#### Algonquin Amateur Radio Club, PO Box 258, Marlboro, MA 01752

The Algonquin Amateur Radio Club holds meetings the second Thursday of each month at 7:30pm. There is no meeting in July and August. Meetings are held at the 1<sup>st</sup> Lt. Charles W. Whitcomb Middle School, 25 Union St, Marlboro, MA, Door #1. Anyone with an interest in Amateur Radio is welcome to attend.

The AARC operates the N1EM/R 446.675- (PL 88.5) repeater in Marlboro. Access to the repeater is open to all licensed Amateur Radio operators. A controlled net is conducted on the N1EM repeater every Sunday evening at 7pm.

#### 2023-24 Club Officers / Appointments

President	Ann Weldon	KA1PON
Vice President	Glenn Ghidaleson	WA2KRS
Secretary	Adam Crossman	KC1RTI
Treasurer	Ken Horton	KA1GFN
Newsletter	Ken Horton	KA1GFN
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