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The Newsletter for AARC members

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President's Corner

Welcome to Spring

Thank you to the 20 members who volunteered their time and talent to the club Flea Market success either on the Friday night or Saturday. The club had a very successful event with vendor count and attendees. A full accounting will be given at the meeting.

See all at the meeting.

Ann, KA1PON

Treasurer's Report - February

Income was \$330 from Flea Market advance table reservations and \$20 from dues. Expenses were \$248 for PO Box rental, \$400 for Flea Market Bus and \$206 for Flea Market food.

Ken, KA1GFN

Seacoast Amateur Radio Flea Market

The Seacoast Amateur Radio Flea Market will be held on April 5th at the St. James Masonic Lodge, 77 Tide Mill Rd, Hampton, NH 03842.

Sponsored by the Port City Amateur Radio Club.

[More Info](#)

NEAR-Fest

NEAR-Fest will be held on May 2 & 3, 2025.

[More Info](#)

March Meeting

The next AARC meeting will be held on March 13th at 7:30pm in the library of the 1st Lt. Charles W. Whitcomb School, 25 Union St, Marlborough, 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.

HamXposition 2025

HamXposition 2025 will be held on August 21-24 at the Best Western Hotel and Trade Center in Marlborough, MA 01752. Online ticketing is now open on the HamXposition website.

[More Info](#)

MMRA Elmer/Mentor Forum

The MMRA monthly Elmer/Mentor Forum on Zoom will be held on the second Wednesday of each month. The next forum will be held on March 12th. Anyone is welcome to join.

[More Info](#)

MMRA VE Session

On Saturday, March 22nd at 9:15am, the Minuteman Repeater Association (MMRA) will hold a VE session at the Marlborough Public Library, David Meeting Room, Marlborough, MA, 01752. Parking and entrance accessible from Witherbee St.

[More Info](#)

Algonquin Amateur Radio Club, PO Box 258, Marlborough, 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 1st Lt. Charles W. Whitcomb School, 25 Union St, Marlborough, 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 Marlborough. 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.

2024/25 Club Officers / Appointments

President	Ann Weldon	KA1PON
Vice President	Glenn Ghidaleson	WA2KRS
Secretary	Adam Crossman	KC1RTI
Treasurer	Ken Horton	KA1GFN
Newsletter	Ken Horton	KA1GFN
Website	Sandor Toth	NB1N