

## Algonquin Amateur Radio Club

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#### The Newsletter for AARC members

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

Thank you to all who volunteered for the Parade. The club's first meeting was excellent with discussions about future meetings. Please remember the Sunday night net at 7:00 and our next meeting.

de Ann, KA1PON

## **AARC Activity Suggestions?**

Have a suggestion for a club activity? Send an email to any one of the club officers. Links to email addresses can be found on the N1EM.org website under Officers.

#### **MMRA VE Exams**

MMRA hosts VE sessions around the third Saturday (subject to changes) of each month. Exams are generally held at the Marlboro Public Library at 9:00 AM. Please contact Bill Wade (617.699.3670) for the latest exam session information. This is an accredited ARRL/VEC Program.

- October 20, 2018
- November 17, 2018
- December 15, 2018

Additional or updated information available via the following link to the MMRA website.

http://www.mmra.org/exam.html

### **October Meeting**

The next AARC meeting will be held on October 11<sup>th</sup> at 7:30pm in the library of the 1<sup>st</sup> Lt. Charles W. Whitcomb Middle School, 25 Union Ave, Marlboro, MA/Door #1 at rear of building.

The speaker at the October meeting will be Greg Algieri, WA1JXR.

#### Build a Club Project and Learn CW too!

This presentation is a review of the Central Mass Amateur Radio Assoc. 2017/2018 club project of building a MCW interface that allows the user to operate CW with a FM radio and the "On the Air" Learn CW Training Class that was conducted on the club repeater in 2018. Come listen and see if this is something your club can do.

Greg, WA1JXR, has been a Ham for 51 years and is an Assistant Section Manager and Technical Specialist in the ARRL WMA section.

#### **Hamfests & Flea Markets**

New England Amateur Radio Festival (NEAR-Fest) Deerfield, New Hampshire October 12 & 13, 2018 http://www.near-fest.com/

Flea at MIT October 21, 2018 http://w1mx.mit.edu/flea-at-mit/

W1GSL New England Area Electronic / Ham Radio Flea Market Listings http://web.mit.edu/w1gsl/Public/ne-fleas

#### Algonquin Amateur Radio Club, P.O. 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 1st Lt. Charles W. Whitcomb Middle School, 25 Union Ave, 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 7:30pm.

## **Club Officers / Appointments**

President Ann Weldon KA1PON Vice President Jim Babish K1UUM Secretary Tim Ikeda KA1OS Treasurer Peter Hoover K1PLH

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