

Algonquin Amateur Radio Club

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The Newsletter for AARC members

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President's Corner

Thanks to everyone who attended the September meeting. We accepted several new-member applications and had some good discussions. There is interest in hearing about members' ham shacks, which we will try to incorporate into meetings this year.

For our October meeting, AARC welcomes Andy (KB10IQ) Stewart, who will talk to us about using Linux in your hamshack. Andy is also the Affiliated Club Coordinator for the Eastern Massachusetts Section of the ARRL.

73 de Mike w1ku

AARC Sunday Night Net

Please join us every Sunday Night at 7pm on the 446.675 repeater (PL 88.5 / -5.0mhz Offset). You do not need to be a member of the club and all licensed amateur radio operators are welcome to check-in. Currently seeking additional net control operators on a rotating basis. Contact Joe, KA1GDQ, if interested.

Hazardous Waste Collection Day

AARC and the Marlborough Emergency Management Team supported another bi-annual joint Hudson-Marlborough Household Hazardous Waste Collection event. Volunteers verified residency and managed the flow of 437 cars during the event.

AARC Facebook Group

John, N1JPT, has create a Facebook Group for the AARC. Click the link below to join.

AARC Facebook Group

October Meeting

The next AARC meeting will be held on Oct. 10th at 7:30pm in the library of the 1st Lt. Charles W. Whitcomb Middle School, 25 Union Ave, Marlboro, MA / Door #1 at rear of building. See President's Corner for additional information on October meeting.

DX-Pediton by Club Member - KV1J

ST. PIERRE AND MIQUELON, FP. Eric, KV1J will be QRV as FP/KV1J from Miquelon, IOTA NA-032, from September 24 to October 8. Activity will be on 160 to 6 meters using primarily SSB, RTTY and FT8 with some CW. This includes some activity on the analog Satellites, as well as being an entry in the upcoming CQ Worldwide RTTY DX contest. QSL to home call.

MMRA VE Sessions

MMRA hosts VE sessions on the third Saturday (subject to changes) of each month. Exams are generally held at the Marlboro Public Library at 9:00 AM. This is an accredited ARRL/VEC Program. Dates in bold are confirmed.

- October 19, 2019
- November 19, 2019
- December 14, 2019

Additional or updated information available on the the MMRA website.

More Info

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 7pm.

2019-20 Club Officers / Appointments

Acting President Mike Powell W1KU Secretary Tim Ikeda KA1OS Treasurer Peter Hoover K1PLH

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