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President's Corner

Happy fall. Hopefully you are getting to enjoy some fall colors, fresh apples, or other gifts of the season.

It was great to see many members attending the September meeting. We are still looking for feedback on or interest in any club building projects or operating activities.

As discussed at the September meeting, the FCC is taking comments on a Notice of Proposed Rulemaking (NPRM) that would institute a \$50 fee for obtaining, renewing, or making major modifications to an amateur radio license. If you wish to submit a public comment on the proposal, you can still do so at <https://www.fcc.gov/ecfs/filings/express>, and entering "20-270" in the Proceeding(s) field.

Our speaker for the October meeting will be Frank Donovan, W3LPL, speaking on the history of transatlantic radio.

73 de Mike w1ku

Treasurer's Report for October 2020

Income : None

Expenses : Memorial donations of \$25 to each of the following : Berlin Food Pantry in memory of George Pendergast (KA1YFH), and the Alzheimers Association in memory of Yvonne Thurber.

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.

October Meeting (Online)

The next AARC meeting will be held on October 8th at 7:30pm [online](#). Information on joining this virtual meeting will be sent out in advance via email. See President's Corner for additional information.

SUNDAY NIGHT NET NEEDS OPERATORS

The AARC Sunday Night Net is looking for Net Control Operators. I would like to have 4-8 operators so we can rotate it around. This way I don't have to do everyone Sunday. My work schedule, for the next 6+ months, is going to be 12hrs on many Sundays (almost every other Sunday).

So please sign up. I will have a quick training session and everyone will get a copy of the script (if you haven't received one already).

Thank you

de Joe KA1GDQ

ARRL Contests

October 10-11 : EME - 50 to 1296 MHZ
[More info](#)

October 19-23 : School Club Roundup
[More info](#)

November 7-9 : November Sweepstakes (CW)
[More info](#)

November 21-23 : November Sweepstakes (Phone)
[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.

2020-21 Club Officers / Appointments

President	Mike Powell	W1KU
Vice President	Skip Youngberg	K1NKR
Secretary	Tim Ikeda	KA1OS
Treasurer	Ken Horton	KA1GFN
Activities	Joe Reynolds	KA1GDQ
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