

# Algonquin Amateur Radio Club

# The Newsletter for AARC members

#### October 2023 Issue

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

Welcome to Fall..

The club had a very informative speaker last meeting, thanks Skip, presenting about Girl Scout Thinking Day in February. If anyone knows a troop that does this observance, please reach out to them, asking if this is an activity the club could participate in.

This month involves Hazmat Day in Marlborough on October 7th from 9am to noon at the Easterly Water Treatment plant. Then Halloween Public Building Watch, on the Tuesday, October 31st. If you are available for either event or both, please let me know.

Net controls are needed for the Sunday evening net, probably only do one per month.

A reminder for 2023-2024 dues are due now.

The next club is meeting is October 12th at 7:30. There will be a presentation on a recent trip to Italy for WRTC competition by Dennis, W1UE.

We have asked for the door at the school be left open until 8pm. If you arrive after please call on the repeater to let us know you need admitting to the school.

Thank you for supporting the club and see you at the meeting.

73. Ann, KA1PON

### Treasurer's Report - June, July, August

Income was \$90 from dues. Expenses were \$234 for storage rental for three months (October, November and December) and \$29.25 for bank check order.

Ken, KA1GFN

# **October Meeting**

The next AARC meeting will be held on October12<sup>th</sup> at 7:30pm in the library of the 1st 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.

## Membership Dues 2023/24

Dues for the 2023/24 membership year are due starting July 1st. Dues may be paid at the meeting or by mailing them to the club's PO Box. Dues are \$10 for individuals and \$20 for family.

Download Membership Form

### **AARC Sunday Night Net**

Please join us every Sunday Night at 7:00pm on the N1EM/R 446.675- (PL 88.5) repeater. You do not need to be a member of the club. All licensed amateur radio operators are welcome and encouraged to check-in.

#### MMRA VE Session

On Saturday, October 21th at 9:00am, the Minuteman Repeater Association (MMRA) will hold a VE session at the City Church, 72 Jefferson Street, Second Floor, (Shoe Box Building), 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 1st 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

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