

#### Algonquin Amateur Radio Club

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# The Newsletter for AARC members

#### September 2024 Issue

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

Welcome Back to a new club year.

Hope all had a great summer. The club participated in a few activities.

A card sort was held in August, doing approximately 3 boxes from other countries being sorted by alpha order. Thanks for those joining in the fun.

HamXposition was a wonderful weekend, giving out membership forms, chatting with old friends, making new friends and showing folks what the club does for the community. Many of the club members attended, setting up, staffing the table and taking down the club table. Thanks to all.

The Labor Day Parade was enjoyed by all workers and attendees. Thank you to all who volunteered doing communications along the route, too numerous to name. Thanks to Dot and Skip for hosting the after party. Enjoyed by all.

The meeting this month will be discussion of upcoming speakers, events and activities. Please plan on sharing your activities from the summer.

Hope to see all next week at the meeting. If Door 1 is locked, please call on the repeater.

Ann, KA1PON

#### Treasurer's Report - July & August

Income from dues was \$260 and a donation of \$10. Expenses were \$144.32 for repeater, \$14.99 for HamXposition and \$5.74 for Labor Day parade.

Ken, KA1GFN

#### **September Meeting**

The next AARC meeting will be held on September 12<sup>th</sup> at 7:30pm in the library of the 1<sup>st</sup> 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.

If the school is closed the day of the meeting then the meeting is canceled.

#### **AARC Sunday Night Net**

Please join us every Sunday Night at 7:00pm on the N1EM/R 446.675- (PL 88.5) repeater. The first net will for the membership year will be on September 8<sup>th</sup>.

### 2024/25 Membership Dues

Reminder that the membership year starts on July 1st for all members. Membership dues can be paid at the meeting or mailed to the club's PO Box.

AARC PO Box 258 Marlborough, MA 01752

Ken, KA1GFN

## **MMRA VE Session**

On Saturday, September 21st at 9:15am, the Minuteman Repeater Association (MMRA) will hold a VE session at the Marlborough Public Library, Meeting Room 2, Marlborough, MA, 01752. Parking and entrance accessible from Witherbee St.

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.

#### 2024/25 Club Officers / Appointments

| President | Ann Weldon                        | KA1PON           |
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| Secretary | Glenn Ghidaleson<br>Adam Crossman | WAZKKS<br>KC1RTI |
| Treasurer | Ken Horton                        | KA1GFN           |
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