

VICTOR CURTIS

WA3YUV (WA3YUV@ARRL.NET)

EXPERIENCE: Over 28 years of challenging, in-depth, hands on experience with amateur radio operations, functions, teachings and publications. Southern Maryland Amateur Radio Club (SMARC) past president, vice president and public service coordinator. Performing RADAR cross section measurements for 15 years.

EDUCATION: Bachelors degree in Electronic Engineering

PUBLICATIONS: Researched, compiled, wrote and published the following:

ARRL Proceedings articles on teaching (twice).
<http://www2.arrl.org/catalog/proc01.html>

The "Lost and Found" article concerning Mr. Fessenden, July 2001 QST

Op Ed piece On No Code Operators, May 2000 QST

FUNCTIONS: Operation Top Off for Prince George's County
www.arrl.org/FandES/field/optopoff.html

I've taught Amateur Radio classes for 20 years

Deeply involved with the Pentagon 911 disaster recovery
http://larcmd.org/feedback/2001/2001_10.doc

Operated and Maintained packet and Automatic Packet Reporting System (APRS) "digi-peaters" for the last 12 years

Provided on-site emergency communications support during Hurricane Andrew

Installed antennas on the Southern MD Hospital install for ARES. Manned the ARES station during hospital wide telephone outage (twice).

Perform pro-bono repairs for any ham for over 25 years

CERTIFICATIONS: Volunteer Examiner (VE) for Federal Communications Commission amateur radio licensing

Certified American Red Cross emergency communications provider

Earned a First Class Radiotelephone license at the age of 21 (later converted to a General Radio Telephone Operators License)

STRENGTHS: Ability to quickly adapt to new environments. Possess strong inter-personal and communication skills.

PERSONAL: Married, two children.