

Ham Campout Sept 25-27 2013



Lone Pine CA

This annual Ham Radio Campout has two differences this year. It is in September, not hot July, and it is at an inexpensive BLM tent and RV campground with no hookups, like our old campouts. All Hams, families, and friends are welcome to participate. It will be Mon Sept 23 through Fri Sept 27, or any time you can come, at Tuttle Creek Campground, 5 miles West of Lone Pine near the foot of Mt. Whitney. No reservations, but we want to know if you are interested. A few Sam's Radio Hams (Good Sam RVs) will be there waiting for the Whitney Classic. We know many interesting day trips.

Join Mobileer for campout discussion: <http://mailman.qth.net/mailman/listinfo/mobileer>

Ham frequencies: Use repeaters like 147.00- 136.5 PL or 147.555 simplex Sacramento side. Use SRH 147.51 simplex East side and Lone Pine. Strong signals block 147.51 on Sacramento side. SSB nets 8 PM 3.9185 MHz - SRH net Mon-Fri - Mt Vaca net Sat,

Directions: From Hwy 395 in Lone Pine, at the only traffic light, drive 3.5 miles west on Whitney Portal Road (Ignore Tuttle Creek Rd at edge of town!), then 1.5 miles south on Horseshoe Meadow Road. Follow signs. Latitude 36.565, Longitude -118.127 There are 83 RV/tent sites at \$5/night, ½ off with a Federal card, tables, campfire rings, water faucets, vault toilets, dump station \$5.

Lone Pine: Three gas stations, well stocked market, drug store, excellent hardware, restaurants, pizza, McDonald's, Carl's Jr., several motels.

An optional Ham Radio activity is the annual Whitney Classic 135 mile charity bike ride from Death Valley to Whitney Portal. Hams meet in Lone Pine Fri evening Sept 27 to organize. The ride is overnight, 3 PM Sat to Sun Sept 29 AM. RVs used at rest stops but not required. Details available. Sam's Radio Hams then have an RV campout, Sept 29-Oct 2 at nearby Boulder Creek RV Park with hookups and shade trees.

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This invitation is only with the understanding that any trips are taken as friends and equals and no responsibility or liability is assumed by anyone.