



Short CIRCuits

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President Corner

by John Payne AC9TN

HO HO HO!

It's holiday time again! Let's enjoy our friends, family, and ham radio during this special time. Most of all, be safe and of GOOD CHEER!

Let's hope 2022 will be a great year full of happy possibilities for each of us, and for the Central Illinois Radio Club.

John AC9TN

I really enjoyed seeing many of you at our recent holiday dinner at Jim's Steakhouse.

Thanks to all who could attend. It was a very nice evening. Special thanks go to Jim and Becky for setting the evening up.

CIRC Happenings Club Holiday Dinner

Achievements of our members and club events

CIRC Happenings

December second came as a nice evening out for the club to dine at Jim's Steakhouse in Bloomington. I believe all that attended would agree it was a great evening and the food was good too!!







AREA NETS

Tuesday 8:30 P.M. 28.450
CIRC Open 10 meter Net

Tuesday 9:00 P.M. 146.640 (156.7PL)
CIRC Open Net

Wednesday 8:00pm 50.140mhz USB
6M net

Thursday 8:00 P.M. 28.450

Thursday 8:00pm 444.950 (97.4pl)

Sunday 08:15 A.M. 1.915
Open 160 meter AM net

AREA EXAM DATES

Following is the schedule for W5YI-VEC Amateur Radio exams for the year 2020. At the Community Room of the Bloomington Public Library located at the intersection of E. Olive St. and S. East St. Entrance off of S. East St.

Please bring two forms of identification. You must have an FCC issued FCC Registration Number (FRN) or Social Security Number. We cannot administer a test without your FRN or SSN. You will need a copy of your Current license plus any CSCE you want to apply.

PLEASE – Contact Keith AC9S at AC9S@Hotmail.com to sign up.

2022 dates
TBD

Exams' in Morton are held at the Morton Public Library, 315 West Pershing at 12:00 Noon the third Saturday of even numbered months and at the Peoria Superfest. ***This might be incorrect with changes due to COVID19.

CIRC Meeting
Fourth Wednesdays of the month at 7:00 p.m. at the American Red Cross
1 Westport Dr.
Bloomington, IL 61704
** Until further notice the meetings are virtual and only for members. We are sorry for any inconvenience. **

Calendar of Events

Daily Coffee Klatch Monday thru Friday

**** The weekly Coffee Klatch has been moved to the 146.64 repeater for the time being. Remember the new PL is 156.7hz *****

9:00 a.m. at Dairy Queen Veterans at Cub's
XYL's Join the OM's Monday and Friday

Weekly 10 Meter Net
Every Tuesday evening at 28.450 MHz- at 8:30 p.m.

Weekly 2 Meter Net
Every Tuesday evening on the 146.640-repeater at 9:00 p.m.

Weekly 6 Meter Net
Every Wednesday evening at 50.135 MHz at 8:00 P.M.

Weekly 160 Meter AM Net
Every Sunday morning at 1.915 MHz at 8:15 A.M.

75 Meter HF Traffic handling nets

NET / TIME	FREQ khz
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NORTH CENTRAL PHONE NET

M-F 7:00 A.M. central time	3912
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ILL. PHONE NET

M-F 4:45 P.M. central time	3857
SUN. 8:00 A.M. central time	3940

ILLINOIS SIDEBAND NET

M-SAT. 6:00 P.M. central time	3905
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75 METER INTERSTATE SIDEBAND NET

DAILY 0100 UTC	3985
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ITN INDIANA TRAFFIC NET	3910
DAILY 1230 UTC	OR
2200 UTC	3912

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The CIRC is a not-for-profit ARRL special service club whose purpose is to advance the service of Amateur Radio. Located in Central Illinois, the CIRC and its members welcome all to use the 146.64 and 444.950 repeaters to attend club meetings.

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