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MEETINGS

Next Board Meeting: **Tues, September 14th at 7:30 PM via Zoom**

Next General Meeting: **Fri, September 17th, 2021 at 7:30 PM (Auditorium)**

Topic: To Be Determined

Location: Berks County Agricultural Center—Rear Entrance

1238 County Welfare Road, Leesport, PA 19533

All other Fridays, we have a **Meeting on the Air at 8 PM** on the W3BN Repeater.

2021 Board Of Directors & Officers

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The two-digit number, in brackets, to the right of the BOD member's email address, is the year that their term ends on December 31.

(A normal 3-year term runs from Jan. 1 to Dec. 31, three years later).

The four officers of the RRC are elected from the BOD by the NINE board members at the annual RRC Board of Directors Reorganization Meeting held in January of each year. Please note that ALL nine BOD members have voting power.

Please note: The Board of Director Minutes are available by written request or online at:

<http://www.readingradioclub.org>. Email Chris Schlegel, k3ada@arrl.net if you wish to participate in a board meeting.

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The W3BN Repeater is owned & operated by the Reading Radio Club and is located in Alsace Township up on the mountain.

146.91 MHZ (Input 146.31 MHZ) with a PL Tone of 131.8 hz.

It is available from 5:30 AM until midnight.

Drez Says

Taken from the ARRL website...<https://www.arrl.org/amateur-code>

The Radio Amateur is

CONSIDERATE...He/[She] never knowingly operates in such a way as to lessen the pleasure of others.

LOYAL...He/[She] offers loyalty, encouragement and support to other amateurs, local clubs, the IARU Radio Society in his/[her] country, through which Amateur Radio in his/[her] country is represented nationally and internationally.

PROGRESSIVE...He/[She] keeps his/[her] station up to date. It is well-built and efficient. His/[Her] operating practice is above reproach.

FRIENDLY...He/[She] operates slowly and patiently when requested; offers friendly advice and counsel to beginners; kind assistance, cooperation and consideration for the interests of others. These are the marks of the amateur spirit.

BALANCED...Radio is a hobby, never interfering with duties owed to family, job, school or community.

PATRIOTIC...His/[Her] station and skills are always ready for service to country and community.

- adapted from the original Amateur's Code, written by Paul M. Segal, W9EEA, in 1928

Over the past month (more so than usual) I have heard stories of new licensees being criticized and bullied on the air about their radios, knowledge, or operating habits. If the hobby is to survive and continue to honor it's roots, we as experienced Amateur Operators should be setting an example. The Amateur's Code above is something that we should all strive toward. Yes, we all have moments where we do things in error, but this code is something that should always be in the back of one's mind when dealing with new hams. Amateur Radio is not dead. Anyone who has been paying attention to the numbers can tell you, that there has been an influx of people getting into the hobby. Whether it be because of a desire or interest in emergency communications or just the attraction of tinkering that has developed with the "Maker" community, there are new hams nation wide that need the guidance of experience. All too often a new ham who is self taught or migrating to our hobby from another radio service, is simply not treated with the Amateur's Code in mind. The resulting effect on our hobby? We are turning away the future members who will help Amateur Radio live on. If we walked into a restaurant and were treated the way some new hams get treated, I can assure you, most of us would walk out and simply write the establishment off. This is certainly not a behavior that anyone interested in the proliferation of the hobby wants to see. Instead, I encourage all of us to temper that first reaction and contemplate what would benefit the hobby most before returning to a new ham. Other radio services? Think of them as "gateway drugs" to the best radio service one can get involved in. Encourage people to learn and pass the Amateur Radio exam. There are 959 active licensees in Berks County. How many of those licensees have been turned away unintentionally? What's the old saying..."You can catch more flies with honey than vinegar."

73,

Chris, K3ADA

Figures for the total licensees were pulled from <http://www.radioqth.net/ziplookup> and totalled for the county. There are many other sites including radio reference that will let you lookup the hams in a specific zip code. Try it and see if you recognize all the licensed hams around you!

The Reading Radio Club is an IRS-designated 501(c)(3) organization holding tax identification number 23-1660585. Contributions to the Reading Radio Club are tax-deductible to the extent allowed by law.

TAKE NOTE

Heritage Park Open House Sunday Sept 19, 2021 (1 PM to 4 PM) Museum and Buildings open (1872 passenger train station and 1858 freight house) Sinking Spring Area Historical Society in Heritage Park. This is the site for the RRC Field Day, Picnic, and Hamfest

73 Harry W3VBY

ANNOUNCEMENT - RRC VE TEST SESSION

The Reading Radio Club has scheduled a **VE Test Session** on Friday evening **November 12, 2021** to be held at the **Berks County Agricultural Center main auditorium starting at 6:00 PM.**

The **Berks County Agricultural Center** is located at 1238 County Welfare Road, **Leesport, PA.**

NOTE: MASKS MUST BE WORN

We would prefer **pre-registration** for the test session. We would like to have the following information: **Full name**, Address, telephone number, **e-mail address**, call letters if any, **FRN Number**, and test elements you wish to take. **The FCC now requires everyone to have an e-mail address.**

Please give your information to Harry Hoffman, W3VBY. My e-mail is harryhoffmanjr@juno.com or telephone 610-678-8976.

You will need one form of identification or copy of license. The cost for taking the test is \$15 and we prefer **payment by check made out to ARRL/VEC.** Exact cash payment is also acceptable.

The RRC General Meeting follows the test session at 7:30 PM, and **everyone is invited to stay for the RRC General Meeting.**

73 Harry W3VBY

IS THERE A TOPIC OR PRESENTATION YOU'D LIKE TO SEE AT A CLUB MEETING?
ARE YOU WILLING TO PUT ON A PRESENTATION?

PLEASE CONTACT CHRIS SCHLEGEL, K3ADA AT K3ADA@ARRL.NET WITH YOUR SUGGESTIONS OR VOLUNTEER TODAY.

Reading Radio Club 2021 Hamfest

Jim Nicholas, W3ITH

The Reading Radio Club held its 2021 Hamfest on Saturday, August 7 at Heritage Park in Sinking Spring. The Hamfest really started months before when planning began and RRC members stepped forward to take on various responsibilities.

By the time the Friday prior to the event arrived, a schedule of duties was devised and members were ready to execute the plan of action. The Friday crew (see below)

met at Heritage Park on Friday at 9:30 a.m. to prepare the site for parking, cleaning the area, especially the kitchen and restrooms, and distributing direction signs on major roadways leading to the event.

We decided not to use wooden stakes to hold the yellow caution tape that delineated the rows for parking. Instead, fiberglass poles that are less than one inch in diameter were used. This made the tedious job of driving wooden stakes into the ground obsolete. The use of the fiberglass poles that went into the ground really easily was a great time and labor-saver.

Saturday began very early. Although the event opens for vendors at seven a.m. and for buyers at eight a.m., people were at the park at 6:05 a.m. when I arrived. Surprisingly, this is a trend. Every year, people arrive earlier than the previous year. This must show how eager they are to attend the RRC Hamfest!

A Lebanon-based vendor, Souder Electronics, set up at their location adjacent to the train station building that we do not use. Across from them was Gene Niemiec, K2JKI and KJI Electronics, from Cedar Grove, New Jersey, another vendor who attends each year. Another vendor, Craig Buck, K4IA, from Virginia, mailed us door prizes to be given away at intervals during the morning. Craig sells a neat line of Ham Radio license exam and how-to books that are easy to read. Souder Electronics and KJI Electronics gave us door prizes as well.

Visiting us also was the American Radio Relay League Eastern Pennsylvania Director, George W. Miller, W3GWM. George and his XYL were positioned in the freight station and greeted hams entering the station on their way to dropping their door prize ticket stubs into a container. George brought along various ARRL books to give out as door prizes and included \$150 in ARRL gift certificates.

Thank you to these generous people for traveling to our hamfest and also for supplying us with door prizes! The RRC made some hams happy as well. Four Beofeng UV5R 2-meter/440 handhelds were handed out as door prizes as well as LED flashlights.

VE exams were administered by Harry Hoffman, W3VBY and his VE Team, starting at a bit before 8:30 a.m. By this time, it was evident that Dave Wiley, K3MXS and the gate and parking crew literally had their hands full as the parking area began to fill up with vehicles. Inside the freight station, Rich Ahrens, W3WJC was busy greeting hams and directing them to the ticket stub container. He was selling RRC baseball caps and shirts, as well as hamfest carry bags with the RRC logo on the side. The carry bags were donated to the RRC by Rick Rhoads, W3ALG.

The RRC Café workers (Mary Anne Nicholas, N3TVT, Alex Nicholas, Vickie Peiffer, Mike Peiffer and Janine Galiyano, K4AJZ) were busy selling breakfast items and coffee and later, lunch items, sodas and ice cream. The hot dogs with sauer kraut (optional) and other toppings and Jimmy Dean breakfast sandwiches were a hit. A big thank you goes out to the Scheirer Family, who donated most of the food items to the RRC. Very nice!

At the front table were the two cashiers and order-takers, Lori Scheirer and Jessica Landis, KC3PIG. On the side porch, Ron Waszk, K3RJW and Craig Wanner, W3CRG were handling the talk-in duties on the Reading Radio Club's own W3BN,

146.91/.31, tone 131.8 repeater. John Engle, AB3SR, provided the public address system.

It was fun to see all of the buying and selling taking place. In recent years, many clubs have decided to not hold hamfests, which makes the RRC Hamfest that much more desirable. Interestingly, many of the hams from outside of the area are repeat attendees who have come to our hamfest many times. Some are always looking for the same items, like tubes, boat anchor receivers or whatever. The ham who traveled the farthest was from the sunny state of Florida, Steve Carey, KD4SPC. Over 230 people attended, making this a record RRC event.

We enjoyed the nice weather which was in the 80s but very comfortable. The morning flew by and in no time at all it was noontime and things were beginning to wrap up. The VE Team finished testing, with 9 candidates out of 10 passing their tests. Two passed the Technician test and seven passed the General test.

Stuart Higgins, W2SLH and son Cameron Higgins, W2CMH, removed all of the fiberglass parking poles (about 60 in number) and took down all of the yellow parking

caution tape (too many yards to count). Trash and recycle bottles and cans were removed from the site by Harry Hoffman, W3VBY. Kitchen, restrooms and the interior of the train station were cleaned. The outside areas were also cleaned up. Highway signs were collected from area roadsides.

I'd like to speak for Harry Hoffman, W3VBY, Scott Scheirer, KC3PCS, and Dave Wiley, K3MXS and thank all the RRC members and guests who attended. We had a great time. As you may know, our hamfest is getting to be known as "The Friendly Hamfest". See you there next year!

Friday, August 6 Crew

Walt Grube, WD8MNE
Cameron Higgins, W2CMH
Stuart Higgins, W2SLH
Harry Hoffman, W3VBY
Jessica Landis, KC3PIG
Don McKinney, W3FCT
Alan Melnyk, K3AJM
Jim Nicholas, W3ITH

Mary Anne Nicholas, N3TVT
Joe Pietrusznski, AC3DI
Lori Scheirer
Scott Scheirer, KC3PCS
Tyler Scheirer, KC3LVS
Craig Wanner, K3CRG
Ron Waszk, K3RJW
Dave Wiley, K3MXS

Saturday, August 7 Crew

Rich Ahrens, W3WJC
John Engle, AB3SR
Janine Galiyano, K4AJZ
Dennis Goodling, N3JRW
Nate Gravius, KC3NJG
Walt Grube, WD8MNE
Allen Hewitt, KC3EWJ
Cameron Higgins, W2CMH
Stuart Higgins, W2SLH
Harry Hoffman, W3VBY
Blair Hogg, WB3AWL
Jessica Landis, KC3PIG
Al Melnyk, K3AJM
Joe Morrissey, KZ3OWL
Alex Nicholas

Jim Nicholas, W3ITH
Mary Anne Nicholas, N3TVT
Mike Peiffer
Vickie Peiffer
Joe Pietruszynski, AC3DI
Stan Pugh, K3STP
Nate Rosenthal, N2ADD
Lori Scheirer
Scott Scheirer, KC3PCS
Aidan Schlegel, KA1DAN
Hank Schott, KA3BMS
Craig Wanner, K3CRG
Ron Waszk, K3RJW
Dave Wiley, K3MXS



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RRC MEETING ON THE AIR (RRCMOTA)

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By: Rich Ahrens, W3WJC (08.21.2021)

Check into the **RRC MEETING ON THE AIR** on the Friday evenings that we do not have an in-person meeting. The net, on 146.910 MHz, starts at 8:00 p.m. with the latest AMATEUR RADIO NEWSLINE REPORT from the West Coast.

We then have an exchange of information that may be of interest to the members of the Reading Radio Club as well as those that are not RRC members.

The last part of the net is a roll call where we usually have 13 to 56 stations check-in and test their two-meter FM analog equipment. The roll call is last, so that late comers are not missed.

NOTE: The **C**ontinuous **T**one **C**oded **S**quelch **S**ystem, (CTCSS) frequency is 131.8 Hertz (3B). The CTCSS is often referred to as "PL" (Motorola's trade name).

The net has been in operation since Friday January 21, 1994, when we had 13 check-ins during that first session, over 27 years ago.

On Friday August 27, 2021, we had session number 1170. Rich Ahrens, W3WJC, was the Net Control.

The next RRCMOTA will be on Friday September 3, 2021, starting at 8:00 p.m., on the Reading Radio Club's 146.910 MHz, W3BN analog repeater. Art Becker, KB3LDI, will be the Net Control for session number 1171.

NOTE: The next in-person RRC meeting is scheduled for Friday September 17, 2021, (**THE THIRD FRIDAY**), starting at 7:30 p.m., at the Berks County Agricultural Center, in Bern Township. Put the following address in your GPS device or GOOGLE MAPS:

1238 County Welfare Road Leesport PA

FYI: AMATEUR RADIO NEWSLINE is the "Amateur Radio's independent on the air news and bulletin service" and is not a service of the American Radio Relay League.

BRING MASKS BE PREPARED BERKS COUNTY COULD CHANGE THE GUIDELINES

Everyone, RRC Members and those that are not members,
are invited to tune in and check into the,

READING RADIO CLUB MEETING ON THE AIR

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Tune in Weekday mornings to the W3BN Repeater from 6 am until about 7 am for our in-formal morning group. We've been dubbed the "Sunrise Crew". Everyone is welcome to join in. No net control. We just have a nice roundtable discussion of different topics.

Be sure to also tune in to the ARES/RACES net on Monday night on 147.18 at 8 pm and QCWA net on the W3BN Repeater at 9 pm.

Don't Forget the 3/7/10 Initiative started by Rich Ahrens. Hop on the repeater at those times and see who is on. No net control, just friendly chat.

RON'S RAWINGS

by Ron Waszk, K3RJW

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Wow its time for a newsletter already. Well here's my input for all of you that read it.

I know we haven't had a fox hunt, or a SMOTA for a while and for good reason. It's been too hot, too wet, and other circumstances beyond my control which have shut down both of them. Don't forget that we had the picnic, Field day, and the Ham Fest that kinda wore us out too.

Well, the new month is upon us, and there are no major items happening that will allow us to hold maybe one or both this month. With cooler weather upon us, the fox hunt looks to be a go for September. I really would like to see more guys hunt the fox especially with all the new guys that passed the tests this summer. It's a fun project that rolls over into possibly needing it someday and if you have fun and practice, then it will become second nature when we really DO need to use it to find that rogue out there causing problems on all the frequencies. It could possibly be just a noise that others cannot find.

Secondly, the SMOTA is in coming. Joe and I will be working on a site to hold it, and with time enough for the word to get out for those to check in.

Thanks for a great summer, with attendances above what we thought would happen due to the circumstances.

Last item, I received a request for a Pagoda award this month and it will be awarded at the next face to face meeting. Way to go Tyler.

RON 73

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From the Fundraising Committee

Please be sure to sign up for the 100 for 100. We thank all those that have returned their forms and donations. Forms are available at any meeting or by contacting Scott at kc3pcs@gmail.com.

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ARES/RACES Meeting

On August 24th, 2021, Al Melnyck, K3AJM held a reorganizational meeting for the Berks County ARES/RACES group. This meeting was held to bring members up to speed.

Among the topics discussed were What ARES/RACES is and the differences, the Limerick Drill, FLDigi, and even Winlink.

With the Limerick Drill coming up, Al spent quite a bit a time on this topic. He is still looking for volunteers. A big difference this year is that every station will be setup with a FLDIGI station comprised of a computer, radio, small printer, Signalink (the interface between the radio and the computer). In years past, we have used primary voice and maybe 1 or 2 digital stations. If your interested in volunteering, please contact Al by email at k3ajm@ptd.net. He reminded everyone that FLDIGI is a free program and that we have practice Monday on the .18 Repeater and Thursday on the .91 Repeater.

The Berks Alert System was also discussed.

The highlight of the night though was near the beginning when Al presented Don Boulanger, WA1ELA with a plaque for all his years of service to ARES/RACES and as the local coordinator. Thank you Don.



Photo Credits: Janine Galiyano, K4AJZ

VE Test Session Results August 7th, 2021

RRC VE TEST SESSION August 7, 2021

On Saturday morning, August 7, 2021 the Reading Radio Club sponsored its 104rd Volunteer Examiner Amateur Radio Test Session. The Test Session was held at the RRC Hamfest site at Heritage Park in Sinking Spring, PA. starting at 8:30 a.m. There were ten candidates in attendance.

The Rest results were as follows:

2- Technician

7- General Class

The candidates came from Downingtown, Elkton MD, Millersville, Morgantown, Phoenixville, Reading, and West Reading. The candidates were invited to attend future RRC meetings and events.

Our Volunteer Examiners for this test session were: Stuart Higgins, W2SLH; Harry Hoffman, W3VBY; Joe Pietruszynski, AC3DI; Nate Rosentlal, N2ADD; Scott Scheirer, KC3PCS; and Ron Waszk, K3RJW.

Thanks to our VE Team for a job well done. The test session started early at 8:15 a.m. and was completed by about 10:40 a.m. The test materials were packaged and delivered to the Sinking Spring Post Office on Monday morning August 9th for shipment by Priority Mail to the ARRL/VEC.

The next VE Test Session will be announced at a later date.

If you need more information on Amateur Radio testing or wish to register for an exam call the VE Team Liaison, Harry Hoffman, W3VBY at 610-678-8976 or send an E-mail to harryhoffmanjr@juno.com. The cost for participating in a test session this year is \$15 payable by check to the ARRL/VEC.

73 Harry Hoffman, W3VBY



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Membership Statistics

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 Please let us know if you upgrade your license. Email to Scott, KC3PCS, and Lori at
 KC3PCS@gmail.com with updates.

By: Rich Ahrens, W3WJC - RRC Historian

(08.21.2021)

STATS AS OF SEP. 1, 2021

Full Voting Members: 70

Associate (Non Voting) Members: 16

Supporting (Non Voting) Members: 3

Total: 89

1/4 of Full Voting Members
 required for a quorum. (17)

41 RRC voting Full members, are members of the ARRL (59%).

To be a "Local Amateur Radio Club" affiliate of the ARRL, 51% of the voting members must be Full or Associate members of the ARRL. Note: This is the club's voting members, (Full Members). Not necessarily the total membership.

"Life Member"

Harry Hoffman, W3VBY

By RRC BOD action on November 10, 2020.

"Honorary Membership for Life"

Jim Nicholas, W3ITH

By RRC BOD action on December 8, 2009.

"Life Member"

Rich Ahrens, W3WJC

By RRC BOD action on June 6, 2006.

89 = Total RRC membership as of Sep. 1, 2021

89 = Sep. 2020	100 = Sep. 2009
90 = Sep. 2019	105 = Sep. 2008
92 = Sep. 2018	116 = Sep. 2007
85 = Sep. 2017	115 = Sep. 2006
75 = Sep. 2016	124 = Sep. 2005
81 = Sep. 2015	126 = Sep. 2004
85 = Sep. 2014	136 = Sep. 2003
86 = Sep. 2013	132 = Sep. 2002
87 = Sep. 2012	129 = Sep. 2001
89 = Sep. 2011	124 = Sep. 2000
97 = Sep. 2010	123 = Sep. 1999

There were 193 Members in 1978

Extra Class: 34 38 %

Advanced: 5 6 %

General: 23 26 %

Technician: 24 27 %

Novice: 0 0 %

No License: 3 3 %

May not total 100% due to rounding.

Data may not be up to date.

Checked FCC for upgrades Sep. 22, 2020,
 by Rich Ahrens, W3WJC.

RRC Calendar of Events

September 2021

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 QCWA Breakfast	3 Digi Net 146.91 7:30 PM	3 MOTA (8 pm)	4
5	6 ARES/RACES (8 pm.) 147.18	7	8	9 Digi Net 146.91 7:30 PM	10 MOTA (8 pm)	11
12	13 ARES/RACES (8 pm.) 147.18	14 RRC BOD Meeting ZOOM 7:30 PM	15	16 Digi Net 146.91 7:30 PM	17 RRC Meeting AG Center 7:30 PM	18
19	20 ARES/RACES (8 pm.) 147.18	21	22	23 Digi Net 146.91 7:30 PM	24 MOTA (8 pm)	25
26	27 ARES/RACES (8 pm.) 147.18	28	29	30		

PLEASE NOTE:

Sept. 1st, 2021— QCWA Breakfast at Berkshire Family Rstrnt. (1714 State Hill Rd, Wyomissing)

Sept 14th, 2021—7:30 PM — Board Meeting— ZOOM

Sept 17th, 2021—7:30 PM — Club Meeting— AG CENTER (and streaming online)

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September Birthdays: Edward Tatham, KC3GLL; Stan Pugh, K3STP;
Mary Anne Nicholas, N3TVT; George Martin Jr, (NO Call); Dennis Goodling, N3JRW;
Michael Cholewa, N3YQG; Scott Scheirer, KC3PCS

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