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President's Report

Hello

Good to see some of you at Cave City ham fest, I helped with testing , so did not see some of you, had 30 to take test.

I was lucky and did win a nice door prize from Raffertys . The bands have been fair the last few days and were open for contest over the weekend. The xt2tt and tx5k have been very workable on almost all bands.

If anyone has some program they would like for club to have at meeting , please let Tim KJ4ARE or myself know. Also let me know if there is any thing you would like for the club do this year.

Neither Tim or myself will be able to make meeting, thank I will be able to make rest of meetings.

Gary K4UU agreed to conduct meeting, I should be at meetings the rest of year.

Ed N4HID

March 9 1900z March 10 1900z Idaho QSO Party Ph CW Dig
March 10 0000z March 10 0400z North American RTTY Sprint
March 10 1800z March 11 1800z Wisconsin QSO Party Ph CW Dig
March 16 0200z March 18 0200z BARTG HF RTTY Contest
March 16 1200z March 17 1200z Russian DX Contest Ph CW
March 16 1300z March 17 Oklahoma QSO Party Ph CW dIG
March 16 1400z March 17 Virginia QSO Party Ph CW Dig
March 17 0000z March 17 0400z North American Sprint Ph
March 23 0001z March 30 2359z Lighthouse Spring Lites Ph CW Dig
March 30 0000z March 31 2400z CQ WPX SSB Contest Ph

A good place to check these and other contest is KA9FOX then go to contest

Secretary – Treasurer Report

The Board members had a meeting 2/25/13 at the mall food court.

Board members present were Ed Gann, Hank Cantrell, Gary Hext, Ben Runner, Greg Lake, and Dottie Lake.

The board discussed changing the by- laws. The changes were to eliminate the position of President Elect. To change the board members from 9 to 8. We also move to change the “Outstanding Amateur” to “Ham of the Year” and eliminated the “Outstanding Novice/Technician. These are the changes for the by-laws.

According to the by laws there has to be 2 reading of the By Laws by the club membership before being voted on.

Hank will be sending the revised By Laws to all club members along with this issue of the HamCall.

Greg

The MCARC hamfest that was held by the Glasgow Club at Cave City Convention Center on March 2, 2013 was an excellent event. If you were not able to go, you missed a good event. The KCARC Club had two tables with most of the equipment was donated by KI4B Bill Feldkamp and KC4WFN Marshall Love. Thanks for the donations; we made \$82 for the club. Our Club had members that were on the testing team. There were about 30+ people that took the test. We had a very large group of members that attended the hamfest, looks good for our club to support a neighboring club.

Don't forget our hamfest coming up on October 5, 2013. We hope that everyone will attend.

Greg

The Amateur Television Network – Kentucky Chapter will be holding it's annual meeting March 24th. Besides a short business meeting, those interested in learning more about this mode of operation are invited. There will be equipment demonstrations and equipment available for sale. The Chapter is interested in getting more hams using the ATV repeater here in BG with the hope of going digital along with the present analog outputs. The meeting and info session should last approximately two hours. If you have any questions please contact Hank W4HTB or Ben W4WSM.

Up and Coming Events

March 12th KCARC Club meeting 7 pm BGPD community room 911 Kentucky St.

March 24th 2 pm Amateur Television Network KY Chapter Annual Meeting. Anyone interested is welcomed.

Location: BGPD Community Room 911 Kentucky St.

Hamfest

E-town Hamfest April 6th 2013

Dayton Hamvention May 16,17 &18

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Repeater Name	Frequency	Offset	Tone	Time
Bowling Green	147.165		None	
Bowling Green	147.330		107.2	
Bowling Green	444.100		None	
Glasgow	146.940		None	
Tompkinsville	146.775		151.4	
Russellville	145.450		77	
Franklin	147.135		136.5	
Campbellsville	146.640		None	
Short Mountian	146.910		None	
Morgantown	146.655		None	
Grayson Co.	146.625		141.3	
Grayson Co.	147.225		179.9	
Ohio Co.	146.715		None	
Muhlenburg Co.	146.820		107.2	

KY4TV	Amateur Television	Repeater	BG, KY
	Output 421.25mhz	(cable chan 57)	
	Input 439.25 mhz	(cable chan 60)	
	Input 1280mhz	fm mod	
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Country Cousins	3.970	8:00 PM CT
Sunbelt Service	3.990	7:00 PM CT
I Bank	3.970	6:00 PM CT
Tenn Phone Net	3.980	7:00 PM CT
Ky Phone Net	3.916	6:00 PM CT

ATTENTION CLUB MEMBERS

BatteriesPlus is offering 5% Discount to KCARC members

Just present your membership card when you make a purchase

Traders Net -
Each Monday 1900 cst
147.330 rpt. Tone 107.2

KCARC Net -
Each Tuesday 1900 cst
147.330 rprr (Tone 107.2)

4th ARES NET MEETS 7 NIGHTS A WEEK AT 9 PM LOCAL TIME.

Frequency: 147.165

MHz. W4WSM Repeater.

Secondary

Frequency: 147.330 MHz. PL Tone 107.2

KY4BG - KCARC Repeater

10 Meter Net

Sunday Night 8:30 p cdt 28.460 mhz KY3B net control

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