



David-K2CO1 Patti-KC2PWO Ann-WA2KCU

OUR REPEATERS ARE BACK ON THE AIR! GIVE THEM A TRY. REPORTS ARE WELCOME!

aaaaaaaaaaaaaaa 2014 dues are \$25.00 per individ- **2** ual \$30.00 for family \$5.00 for students and active Military are free.

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2014 Dues

Mail to: Stan Engel, WA2UET PO Box 153 **Ghent, NY 12075** Or bring with you to meeting Make checks Payable to RVWARS























Please join us on the Tuesday night Roundtable on 147.210 at 7:00 PM. ALL are welcome! Use the EchoLink (K2RVW-R) if need be.

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OUR FEBRUARY MEETING WILL FEATURE A TALK BY JIM, WB2LKZ, ON MODULATION TECHNIOUES. PLEASE COME TO THE MEETING AND WELCOME JIM WITH HIS FIRST TALK TO OUR CLUB. HOPEFULLY NOT HIS LAST. JIM HAS CREDENTIALS WAY BEYOND WHAT I CAN PRINT HERE. ALL INTERESTED ARE WELCOME!

PLEASE PAY YOUR DUE

See photos and past **Newsletters and much** much more club information at: www.w2jsn.com

RVWARS WEB PAGE

The Web Page has been updated! We added some info on the main page to try to keep folks aware of events. Comments and suggestions are welcome. We will keep Dave Clappers design at least for now. Let me know what you think.

www.rvwars.com

Join our Yahoo Group at the bottom of the web page. Simply enter your email address.

N2LEN Repeaters

The N2LEN Repeater Network:

147.150 114.8hz East Windham, NY 449.025 114.8hz New Baltimore, NY 448.275 114.8hz Colonel's Chair Ridge 442.050 114.8hz Sam's Point, NY 2200'

Yahoo Groups

IRLP Node #4207

http://groups.yahoo.com/group/ N2LENREPEATER/

http://groups.yahoo.com/group/ ECHOLINK/

http://groups.yahoo.com/group/ GCNYARESRACES/ Echolink Node #6269

Election of Officers Results

New officers are: Tom, N2NZD President Don, W1SWM Vice President Carl, WB2TCV Secretary Stan, WA2UET Treasurer

We will have the usual coffee and soda and sub sandwiches at our meetings. The meeting hall is large and pleasant. Please join us.

wa2uet@taconic.net

RVWARS is a 501(c)(3) not-for-profit corporation. As such all monetary donations are tax deductible and donations of equipment are deductible. Please consider donating your idle equipment to the club for our use or for sale at the annual tag sale or auction.

Auction in March!

Get your old useable gear out and cleaned up for the Auction in March. You can claim the selling price as a donation!

FUNNY—I DON'T REMEMBER BEING **ABSENT MINDED!**

RVW WORK PARTY

We won't be working outside again till after winter! I don't like the cold!

SOME FUN 147.210 REPEATER DTMF CODES

Site Info: Daily High/Low **228-Outdoor Temp > 900** Resets at $\overline{229}$ -Indoor Temp $> \overline{910}$ 1:00 AM $\overline{230}$ -DC Volt Bat 1 > $\overline{930}$ Daily 231-AC Volt read > 920 232-DC Volt Bat 2 > 940

450-To check your input to the repeater. Key up and type 450, when it says "ready" QUICKLY key up and record your short message, un-key and it will play it back as it heard it.

WEATHER RADIO

310-ON 325-OFF

These codes will work on 449,925 as well as 2 Meters.

I would like to add a basic weather station sometime as well so we could access wind speed etc. up there.

Feel Free to try them!

Upcoming Events

RVWARS Semi Annual Election of Officers at 7:00 PM

ARES Meeting N2NZD-EC

Weekly Nets

EVERY TUESDAY at 7:00 p.m.

Informal Roundtable on the 147.210 repeater ALL are welcome.

1st Wednesday of the Month Columbia Greene-Emergency Net on the N2LEN 147.150 Repeater 7:00 PM

Repeaters

BACK ON THE AIR!!!

147.210/147.810 NO PL tone 449.925/444.925 NO PL tone 224.280/222.680 NO PL tone

Vital Statistics

President — Tom Gutierrez, N2NZD
Vice President — Don Peterson,W1SWM
Secretary — Carl Roby,WB2TCV
Treasurer — Stan Engel WA2UET
Historian — Carl Verderber WA2UJX
Safety Officer — Stan Engel WA2UET
Repeaters — 147.210 224.280 449.925
Club Call — K2RVW
Club Special Event Call—WD2K
Web Page — http://www.rvwars.com
NEWS E-mail — wa2uet@taconic.net
Yahoo Group

http://groups.yahoo.com/group/RVWARS/

January, 2014 meeting minutes.

The meeting was called to order at 7:12 pm by President Mike Alecksynas. Wb2tcv made a motion to dispense with reading of the minutes, seconded by W1SWM.

All officers were elected unanimously,

President - Tom Gutierrez, N2NZD Vice President - Don Peterson, W1SWM Secretary - Carl Roby, WB2TCV Treasurer - Stan Engel, WA2UET

There was a discussion about getting more attendance at meetings, getting speakers to talk about ham related subjects was discussed. We also discussed radio operations from the Hudson-Athens light house on light house weekend in August.

50/50 winner was the now wealthy Shelly AA2Y.

Meeting Adjourned at 7:50

The February Newsletter is going out to a much larger group! There are MANY hams that I think would enjoy at least knowing that the RVWARS club still exists. I think and hope that some of the Hams that have had no contact with the club in many years might renew their interest and maybe join us at meetings and other events.

If you would rather not receive the NL for any reason please just let me know and I will remove you from the list. wa2uet@taconic.net Otherwise please pass along your thoughts.

Rip Van Winkle Amateur Radio Society, Inc. Treasurers Report January 20, 2014

\$2498.72

Balance Fwd. Checking Acct			\$1799.76
Rcpts:Dues 50/50			\$85.00
		Total	\$85.00
Exp:	NYSEG		\$52.36
	Scalys Pizza	Į.	\$75.06
	Insurance		\$320.00
		Total	\$447.42
Checking Bal		\$1437.34	
Petty Cash		\$50.00	
Savings Acct Bal		\$1011.38	

Total RVWARS monies

MUSING OF A CURMUDGEON

It seems that every day you hear someone say "I only want to learn the code to get on voice on the low bands".

While it is a requirement to earn phone privileges it shouldn't be the only reason. There are many other advantages to acquiring this skill.

Many Amateurs in other countries have only CW as a means of communicating and not to use these skills means cuttins oneself off from making a contact with them. Not keeping up and using the code also means that one is making a conscious decision to give up the ability to operate when conditions are too poor for phone and losing their ability to work many countries with a modest station, basic wire antennas and low power. Before deciding not to operate CW everyone should take a look at the band allocations. It means giving up half of most bands and all of the 30 meter band.

Somehow this doesn't seem like a wise decision. Not everyone likes the code but to make this decision before giving it a try is a mistake. It is encouraging to hear that so many new Amateurs are upgrading and rebuts the cry that the no code license is the end of Amateur radio. After making the effort to learn the code and become one of the custodians of this traditional mode to deny one self the opportunity to enjoy another mode is unfortunate. We can only hope that like many of the "old timers" they will find CW a source of enjoyment.

Dave Watrous, WD2K-1/96

SAVING A PIECE OF HAM GEAR COULD CRIPPLE YOU!

Jan. 30, 2014

By: Carl J. Verderber WA2UJX

While driving some of the back roads of Rhinebeck I spied what looked to be an old but perfectly useable 20 foot tower lying on the ground in a yard of a house that needed a lot of care. The tower even had its base plate attached! Well as you can guess - I had to go back and try to retrieve this beautiful piece of HAM hardware for the good of the Amateur community. Letting a useful tower rot beside a yard fence, and where the owner didn't even have the consideration to put it up on blocks, made me determined to save it from its doom.



Today, after work about 5:15 PM I sent my car flying past my house and headed for the lonely tower. I got there just about dusk - a car was in the yard and I got up the courage to approach the front door and introduce myself. I knocked and knocked and knocked again - no answer but I knew someone was home. I had to try to get their attention so I started circling the house and as I reached the back corner I saw a baseball bat floating in the air. Attached to the bat was an arm and I got a glimpse of a shoe but not much more. Whoever it was startled me near out of my pants because the voice started screaming at me to leave them alone. I



couldn't tell if it was man or beast but it got my attention.

While I was running toward the car and still thought "Maybe I could still save the situation!" so I yelled out who I was, why I was there and what club I was with. The voice said they didn't care who I was and they never heard of RVWARS but just screamed "If I ever find you back on my property - I'll break your legs". Well - I like my legs just the way God gave them to me so I started the car and drove home. Whew! What an experi-



So you see how trying to do a good deed - trying to save a bit of HAM hardware almost resulted in my being on crutches for months! So be careful you avid Amateurs, especially those of you who can't pass up saving ancient gear, you might meet up with a bat some day. END



RVWARS REPEATER CHATTER

Due to the extreme cold and wind and snow I have not been at the repeater site much this winter. I did finally get up there to turn the heat OFF because our last electric bill was \$160.00 compared to the normal bill of around \$50.00. So I installed the 60 watt bulb under the MTR2000 and that should keep us running just fine. I was very surprised to see that bill. I ran the AC at about 80 degrees all summer and the bill hardly changed.

I sure would be open to any questions or suggestions about the operation and construction of the site. Also I would be happy to show and tell to anyone that is interested in seeing the site. The site and the shelter are truly impressive (I think). It all belongs to the club and it would be great if the club would show some interest. Your money and some incredible donations have made it what it is.



I have contacted Arnie at NYAIR and we are going to try to schedule the spare antenna mounting on the next nice weather stretch we get. That will be on the lower bracket in the photo.

Stan, WA2UET

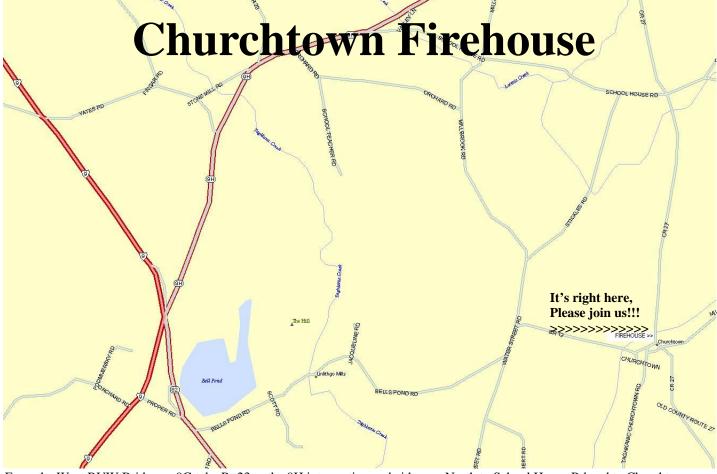
Join the RVWARS Yahoo Group. Go to the www.rvwars.com web site and scroll to the bottom of the page and simply enter your email address into the box.

SPRING TECH **CLASS** info on page 9-10

Please print the poster and distribute it to your stores and post office etc. Spread the word!

The Test session on May 3 PM will include all classes!





From the West RVW Bridge or 9G take Rt 23 to the 9H intersection and either go North to School House Rd and to Churchtown Firehouse or go through the light and take Bells Pond Road to the Firehouse. From the North or from Hudson go south on 9H, from the traffic light in Claverack, about 1 mile, to County Route 27 on the left then 2.4 miles to the Firehouse.

Park in the lot to the right of the Firehouse and enter through the Main Entrance. Someone will be listening to the repeater and will help you if need be. "FIREHOUSE" is indicated on the right side of the map.

Dayton Hamvention® 2014 Makers... The Future of Ham Radio

May 16-18 2014

Hamvention® is a premier Amateur Radio Convention & gathering of radio enthusiasts from around the world in May!

Since 1952, every year in the spring, Amateur Radio Operators from across not only North America, but from around the world gather for a few days. They are all there for the world's largest gathering showcasing hundreds of indoor commercial vendors. Indoor vendors at the Dayton Hamvention are typically the larger commercial vendors hailing from around the world. Some vendors also have booths in the outdoor flea market as well, sometimes offering the same products at slightly less cost.

Indoor and Outside Flea Market

Featuring thousands of outdoor flea market vendors over three days.

Technician, General and Extra Class Amateur license exams will be given at Hara Arena on Friday May 16 starting at 12:00 noon until 6 PM and Saturday May 17 starting at 9:30 AM until 12 noon and 1:30 PM until 5 PM. There is no fee for these exams.

Let's get a group together to represent our club in Dayton. Every ham should visit Hamvention at least once.

Email me at ddp2222@gmail.com if you're interested.

Don Peterson, W1SWM

GET YOUR OFFICIAL FCC AMATEUR RADIO LICENSE



FREE 2 DAY CLASS

Sponsored by the Rip Van Winkle Amateur Radio Society, Inc.

Saturday April 26—8 AM to 5 PM Saturday May 3—8 AM to 5 PM FREE Lunch and soda and coffee will be served

License exams given at the end of the class on the 3rd.

Held at the East Chatham Firehouse 14 Frisbee Street, East Chatham

You can register now, email: wayneg1231@fairpoint.net

Or wa2uet@taconic.net

The License Manual is required and available at:

http://www.arrl.org/shop/Ham-Radio-License-Manual-Revised-2nd-Edition/ (walk-ins are welcome)

Schedule on page 7

Spring Tech Class

Sessions will be held from 8 AM to 5 PM on Saturday April 26th and Saturday May 3rd at the East Chatham Fire House, 14 Frisbee Street, East Chatham.

Students need to pre-register and purchase the books before class begins so they can read Chapters 1 thru 5 before attending the first session. Cut off date for pre-registration will be April 10th so I can plan proper numbers of hand-outs and other materials and students will have time to do the reading before the first session.

Lesson plans as follows:

Saturday April 26, 2014: 8 AM to Noon

- 1. Welcome to Amateur Radio
- 2. Radio Signals, Waves and Modulation
- 3. Radio Equipment Basics
- 4. Math Review
- 5. Electricity
- 6. Electronic Components

Saturday April 26, 2014: 1 PM to 5 PM

- 1. Types of Radios and Radio Circuits
- 2. Propagation
- 3. Antennas and Feed Lines
- 5 4. Practical Antenna Systems
 - 5. Basic Amateur Radio station

Saturday May 3, 2014: 8 AM to Noon

- 1. Power Supplies and RF Interference
- 2. Communicating with Other Hams
- 3. License Terms and Working with the FCC
- 4. Bands and Privileges
- 5. International Rules and Call Signs

Saturday May 3, 2014: 1 PM to 5 PM

- 1. Operating Regulations
- 2. Electrical Safety
- 3. Radio Frequency Exposure
- 4. Mechanical Safety
- 5. Practice exam[s]
- 6. VE Session

VE session would begin at approximately 4 PM on May 3rd and will be open to anyone wanting to test for a new license or an upgrade.

Technician Manuals are available here at \$29.95:

http://www.arrl.org/shop/ham-radio-license-manual-revised-2nd-edition/

See page 4 for other details...



Empire State Performance Rally, Inc.



We are hosted by: The Rock Hill Fire Department – 61 Glen Wild Road – Rock Hill, NY 12755 Supported by: Rock Hill Business Association; Sullivan County Travel Bureau; Town Of Thompson & Town of Fallsburg

We at Empire State Performance Rally invite you to join us as a HAM Volunteer, Marshal Volunteer, Competitor or Spectator April 26 & 27th. 2014 as we start our second Annual Event ESPRally Tarmac Rally Event. Please sign up to volunteer on our web-site http://esprally.com_under Volunteers which will take you to the NASA nasarallysport.com web-site to sign up.

Empire State Performance Rally is currently the only Tarmac Rally Event in the United States. The event is the newest Tarmac event on the east coast. The Organizers have spent many years contributing and participating in events up and down the east coast and across the US. We are pleased to announce ESPR has over 100 miles of competitive and challenging stages. Rally Headquarters and stages are located just 80 miles northwest of New York City in Rock Hill. New York, With cooperation from local businesses, Rock Hill Ambulance Corp. and the Rock Hill Fire Department, some of the finest Tarmac Rally Stages have been assembled to test the skills of rally drivers and co drivers.

Sullivan County is famous for its ever changing spring weather; this rally may be considered similar to the Monte Carlo Rally with snow one day and a beautiful sunny day to follow. This truly puts teams to the test. ESPR offers a two pass reconnaissance and pace notes. As always NASA Rally Sport events love volunteers, hope to see you there!

We are the only Tarmac Rally Event in the USA. Empire State Performance Rally, Inc. is in need of volunteer Marshals and Radio Operators for the event on April 26 & 27, 2014.

Volunteers for ESPR April 25, 26 & 27, 2014 will receive thanks to some very generous sponsors!!

- Marshal Training on site, Friday April 25 & 26 at Rally Headquarters at the Rock Hill Fire House.
- An Official ESPR Event T-shirt
- Hot Dogs, Chips & a drink served upon arrival Friday April 25, 2014. There will be a mandatory meeting (training) before the Event for all Marshals and Radio HAM Marshals at 8:00 to 10:00 PM at Rally Head Quarters (Rock Hill Fire House)
- 4) FREE Lodging in Bunk Room style cabins at Ten Mile River Boy Scout Camp and Forestburgh Boy Scout Camp, you must bring bedding (a sleeping bag, Pillow PLUS a towel toiletries). Cabins are heated and have showers you will need to bring bedding and a bath towel.
- We will again provide Breakfast and a bag Lunch on Saturday and Sunday, a sit down dinner with the Events Drivers and Co-Drivers for volunteers at the Rock Hill Fire House on Saturday, April 26, 8:00PM to 10:00 PM
- 6) Volunteers with No experience are needed for: Time Controls, Start, Finish, Corner & Road Marshals, HAM Radio control road marshals & Spectator areas.
- Volunteers with Experience are needed for: Sweep Cars. Course Cars. Service Park and HAM Radio's in Sweep Cars. We would like to thank you in advance for volunteering because ~ volunteering is what allows Rally Motor Sport competitions to happen ~ THANK YOU!!

If you have any questions please do not hesitate to call or email us at anytime Our best regards.

Fran Gager

ESPR Chairman Cell: 845-866-7995 Email: ESPRally@gmail.com

Micheal Cosgrove

Cell: 845-406-0726 Clerk of the Course

EASTERN NEW YORK ARRL AFFILIATED CLUBS WITH CONTACT AND MEETING INFORMATION

Compiled by Ron Fish, KX1W, Affiliated Club Coordinator, ENY Section, Hudson Division, ARRL Updated January 30, 2014

Albany ARA – K2CT SPECIAL SERVICE CLUB

Meets 2nd Friday at 1930 in Bethlehem Town Hall, 445 Delaware Avenue, Delmar, NY

Contact: David Galletly, KM2O, d4star@gmail.com, (518) 421-8324

Albany County ACES Radio Club – K2ALB

Meets 1st Tuesday at 1930 in Albany County EOC, Clarksville, NY Contact: John Fritze, K2QY, fritzejohn@gmail.com, (401) 261-4996

Crystal Radio Club - W2DMC

Meets 1st Wednesday at 1930 in Rockland County Fire Training Center, Pomona, NY (except July/August)

Contact: Paul Horenstein, K2PH, prh@aol.com, (845) 510-2998

East Greenbush ARA, Inc. – W2EGB

Meets 2nd Wednesday at 1900 in Masonic Temple, East Greenbush, NY Contact: Thomas Scorsone, KC2FCP, kc2fcp@aol.com, (518) 272-1494

Greene County Amateur Radio Club

Meets 2nd Tuesday at 1900 in Cairo Firehouse, Cairo, NY

Contact: James Carr, KC2USW, kc2usw@hotmail.com, (518) 622-3514

Hudson Valley Contesters & DX - K2UG

Meets 2nd Monday at 1930 in Hurley Reformed Church, Hurley, NY (date and place vary)

Contact: James Janack, N2JJ, n2jj@ix.netcom.com, (518) 882-9216

Mount Beacon ARC - WR2ABB

Meets Monday at 2000 on the air, KC2DAA repeater, 146.97 (-), optional PL 100Hz Contact: Andrew Dana Schmidt, W2BOS, andrewds@optonline.net, (845) 462-7539

Mount Greylock Expeditionary Force

Meets usually by teleconference

Contact: Scott Krone, N2YCA, okrone@nycap.rr.com, (518) 273-1610

Orange County ARC, Inc. - W2HO SPECIAL SERVICE CLUB

Meets 3rd Friday at 1930 in Munger Cottage, Cornwall, NY

Contact: Tom Ray, W2TRR, w2trr@ocarc-ny.org, (845) 391-3620

Overlook Mountain ARC - WA2MJM

Meets 3rd Wednesday at 1900 in 721 Media Center, 721 Broadway, Kingston, NY

Contact: Frank Tomesch, AB2ZO, ab2zo@ab2zo.net, (845) 454-7177

Peekskill/Cortlandt ARA - W2NYW

Meets 1st Sunday at 1500 in Hudson Valley Hospital Center, Dining Room B

Contact: Gregory Appleyard, KB2CQE, kb2cqe@optonline.net, (914) 736-2765

Putnam Emergency and Amateur Repeater League – K2PUT

Meets 3rd Wednesday at 1900 in TOPS Center, 112 Old Route 6, Camel, NY Contact: Lauretta Petriello, KC2VMH, kc2vmh@gmail.com, (845) 661-7991

QSY Society - K2QS

Meets 1st Tuesday (Apr-Nov) at 1900 in East Fishkill Community Library, 348 Route 376, Hopewell Jct, NY

Contact: Shirley Dahlgren, N2SKP, shirleyjean@optonline.net, (914) 582-3744

R.E.C.W.A./Metro 70 Communications - WR2MSN

Meets at 1900, 28 Wells Avenue, Bldg 5, 5th Floor, Yonkers OEM, Yonkers, NY

Contact: Carl Everts, N2VQP, ceve914@aol.com, (914) 760-1984

Rensselaer County ARES Club - K2REN

Meets 3rd Thursday at 1930 in Rensselaer County – North Greenbush Town Offices, Wynantskill, NY

Contact: Randy Stein, KL7TJZ, rstein02@gmail.com, (518) 605-6372

Rip Van Winkle ARS – K2RVW

Meets 3rd Monday at 1900 in Churchtown Firehouse, Hudson, NY Contact: Stan Engel, WA2UET, wa2uet@taconic.net, (518) 392-4554

Rockland Satellite and DX Association – W2LGB

Meets Last Friday on the air at 2000, 443.200 (+), PL 114.8 Hz

Contact: Larry Berkowitz, W2LGB, lberk26@gmail.com, (845) 521-1317

RZS Amateur Radio Club – W2RZS

Meets Mondays at 1700, 40 Saw Mill River Road, Hawthorne, NY

Contact: Robert Schaps, WB2NVR, wb2nvr@optonline.net, (914) 262-3535

SS Seward Institute Amateur Radio Club [School Club] - K2SWD

Meets Wednesdays at 1430, SS Seward Institute Technology Lab

Contact: Christopher Golodich, KA2MGI, ka2mgi@hotmail.com, (845) 355-1963

Saratoga County ARA - K2DLL

Meets 2nd Monday (Sept-Jun) at 1930 in Wilton Emergency Corps, Saratoga Springs, NY

Contact: Peter Miller, W2BEW, petermil@aol.com, (518) 893-7484

Schenectady ARA Inc. – K2AE

Meets 1st Monday (non-holidays) at 1900 in Niskayuna Sr. High School, Little Theater, Niskayuna, NY

Contact: Daniel Fiorillo, KC2MER, fiorillo.dan@verizon.net, (518) 356-3595

Troy ARA - N2TY

Meets 3rd Tuesday at 1830 in Green Island Municipal Center, Green Island, NY

Contact: Karen Smith, KS2O, ks2o@n2ty.org, (518) 273-6594

United States Military Academy ARC [School Club] – W2KGY

Meets TBD (building under renovation)

Contact: Roy Spells, KC2NDQ, roy.spells@usma.edu, (845) 494-3155

Warren County Radio Club – W2WCR

Meets Last Monday (non-holiday) at 1900 in UNO Chicago Grill, 900 Route 9, Queensbury, NY

Contact: Donald James, N2VU, studionyc@earthlink.net, (212) 787-2300

Westchester Emergency Communications Association – WB2ZII SPECIAL SERVICE CLUB

Meets 2nd Monday at 1900 in Westchester County Center, White Plains, NY

Contact: R. E. Stevenson, N2AMP, n2amp@weca.org, (914) 725-2376

Yonkers Amateur Radio and Computer Kidz - N2PAL

Meets Saturdays at 1400 in Yonkers Police Athletic League Building, Yonkers, NY

Contact: Michael Rapp, KA2FBL, ka2fbl@live.com, (914) 907-6482

Yonkers ARC – W2YRC SPECIAL SERVICE CLUB

Meets 2nd Sunday (except Jul/Aug) at 1200, 1500 Central Park Avenue, Yonkers, NY

Contact: Efrem Acosta, W2CZ, w2cz@optonline.net, (914) 751-2390

PLEASE SEND UPDATES/CHANGES/CORRECTIONS TO RON FISH, KX1W, ronf404@arrl.net.

Items for sale de K2WG

Two Decibel UHF base station antennas. 20 years old but have not been in use since 2002. Exact model no longer manufactured but similar to current model ASP-705K 10 dB gain, 450-470, 500 watts, N female connector. Asking \$250.00 each or \$400.00 for both.

Contact: wayneg1231@fairpoint.net Phone: 392-5704

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Trade/Sale/In Search Of

I have some 'used condition' amateur rig's I purchased in the past 'new' eg. -1 Alinco DR-605 2/440 mtr fm dual band'r, 6 mtr fm mono band'r, 2 mtr fm mono band'r some 'cb' rig's (am), 1 is a ssb/am. These rig's either DO or Do Not function! Mostly all are easy/cheap 'radio repair' issues eg. internal 'fusing' maybe final or a digital led 'quirk' whatever! My Quest is to swap/ trade (barter?) whatever it 'takes from my 'rig collection' to acquire a simple mono mode cw or better if (Lucky:-) cw/ssb 2 MTR rig. Not qrpp but qrp 5w or better. This can be Any 'working' stable rig, transverter, completer kit rig, (the mfj-2mtr is an example). If Anyone is Interested in 'trade' or trade/cash 'barter' I am open ears. :-) I've had much 2 mtr fun with fm now to go on with cw, and/or ssb. :-) -ke2eb George H. Call West Coxsackie, NY 518-731-9854 call@yahoo.com

FOR SALE

A local ham with no phone or internet or VHF wants to sell his station. Below are the information and prices. You will have to let me know if you are interested and I will contact him via USPS or pass you his home address. If you want to make an offer I will pass it on but he says these prices are his minimum. He also said that all equipment is in good condition...

Yaesu FT-840 \$400.00

Yaesu SP-6 \$125.00

Yaesu FP-1030A 25A PS \$175.00

Rockwell/Collins 30L-1 Amp 1KW SOLD! \$350.00

Dentron Super Super Tuner 3000W \$200.00

MFJ 815C SWR/PWR SOLD \$40.00

MFJ 407D Keyer SOLD \$40.00

MFJ 890 DX Beacon \$50.00

Drake TV-3300 Filters \$20.00

Ham Key Paddles \$40.00

Yaesu YH-77sta phones \$40.00

Please contact me: wa2uet@taconic.net and I will get vou connected!

I have about 16 -120 volt pan cake fans plus protective guards if you know of anyone that needs one and 2-12volt 6watt.

10-- 10 watt fans---- \$4.00 @ 1--12 watt-----\$5.00 @

3-- 20 watt----\$5.00 @

2-14 watt-----\$\$5.00

\$5.00 for the 12 volt fans @

Contact Ron, WA2UYY wa2uyy@aol.com

If your ad is no longer valid please let me know.

FOR SALE

For the news letter

Anyone interested it this package.

MFJ 962 tuner Ten-Tek HF rig Forty foot crank up tower CDR rotor & cable Coax cable Tri Beam Ant

You have to take it down Price total----\$550.00

Wa2uyy Ron Coons Sr. 518-945-3731

I have a new recently purchased in box, never used: KT 100 auto tuner. This tuner is for Kenwood 'newer' rig's via antenna connection.

I Would like to swap/exchange either or auto tuner with SO239 connectors, or else trade this tuner for a HT or mobile 2, or 2/440 FM rig of compatible cost. This KT-100 was \$199.99 s+h added. This antenna Tuner is Kenwood Only!

I purchased this tuner for a Kenwood TS440S...Not knowing it was not adaptable, for easy operation. I 'decided' I did not wish to pursue 're inventing' any other recourse in making tuner work for my TS440S. So., I now wish to 'trade' this new KT-100 tuner, as it isn't 'needed' at this time for my personal usage. If this is acceptable for listing with our club rvwars, I'd like to recommend this item for possible 'trade/exchange' resource. thank you. vy 73!-ke2eb george call. 518-731-9854