

PODUNK HOLLOW NEWS

The Official Newsletter of the Egyptian Radio Club, Inc.

NOVEMBER 2019

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(WA0JCO)

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(AA9FQ)

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Jason Cato
(KB9LBC)

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www.w9aiu.org

Our Facebook Page is;

<https://www.facebook.com/W9AIU>

Our Facebook Group is ;

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/76545453468182/>

Our

repeaters are:

146.760 – PL 141.3 in downtown St. Louis, MO P25 CAPABLE

443.325 + PL 141.3 in downtown St. Louis, MO FUSION CAPABLE

146.790 – PL 127.3 @ SIUE,IL P25 CAPABLE with a Link @ Edwardsville city water tower PL 77.0

224.060 – No PL in Edwardsville, IL

442.400 + PL 127.3 in Edwardsville, IL P25 & DMR CAPABLE

This is an Early Edition of the Newsletter

For the first time in several years, ALL of the club's repeaters are ON THE AIR! Thanks to the hard work of Justin (WA9JTG), Jacob (AD0JA), Bill (N9OQK) and Bill (WA0JCO). 79 has been moved to the SIUE water tower, on a PL of 127.3. 79 also has a remote link at the Edwardsville city water tower on a PL of 77.0.

Remember, 79 is mixed mode. It is analog FM and P25. If you don't want to hear the P25 “noise” put the PL on receive, as well as transmit, on your radio. The same goes with 76 and 442.400. 442.400 is analog FM, DMR and P25. 443.325 in St. Louis is analog FM and Yaesu System Fusion. 224.600 is still analog FM only.

Club Officer Elections

Club officer elections will be held at the Christmas party on December 5th. Election of officers will be held December 5, the nominations are as follows:

President Bill Dusenbery, Vice President Bill Schmidt, Secretary Jason Cato, Treasurer John Fuesting, one year board member Larry Unfried, two year board member John Sundstrom.

There were no challengers as of the November 7th meeting.

Proposed Changes to the Bylaws

Formally separating the offices of Secretary and Treasurer. Also doing away with installment payments of club dues, as it is no longer necessary.

Club Dues are Due Again....

Club dues are coming due again. Club dues can be collected at the Christmas Party, a regular club meeting, or if you choose to mail them in;

Egyptian Radio Club
PO Box 562
Granite City IL 62040-0562
ATTN: Club Dues

\$36 Full membership

\$18 Associate Membership

or

\$24 Senior Membership (65 years or older)

Cash or check is fine, as usual. But, We even take plastic now. Or PayPal them to w9aiu@w9aiu.net, but include a note as to who you are and what you're paying for.

2019 ARRL Board of Directors Election Results

11/15/2019

A new Director and Vice Director have been elected in the ARRL's Southeastern Division, based on results from ballot tabulations on Friday, November 15, in the 2019 ARRL Board of Director elections. Mickey Baker, N4MB, defeated incumbent Director Greg Sarratt, W4OZK, 2,132 votes to 1739 votes. Also, challenger James Schilling, KG4JSZ, (1,356 votes) defeated incumbent Vice Director Joseph Tiritilli, N4ZUW, (1,209 votes) and challenger Jeff Stahl, K4BH, (1,281 votes).

In the other contested race, incumbent Director John Robert Stratton, N5AUS, defeated challenger Madison Jones, W5MJ, to be re-elected as Director of the West Gulf Division. The vote was 2498 for Stratton and 1,405 for Jones.

Seats for Director and Vice Director in three other ARRL Divisions – Pacific (Director Jim Tiemstra, K6JAT, and Vice Director Kristen McIntyre, K6WX); Rocky Mountain (Director Jeff Ryan, K0RM, and Vice Director Robert Wareham, N0ESQ); and Southwestern (Director Richard Norton, N6AA) -- were unchallenged, with incumbents running for election in all but one case. Also, in the West Gulf Division Vice Director Lee Cooper, W5LHC, was running unopposed. In the Southwestern Division, Mark Weiss, K6FG, ran unopposed for the seat being vacated by Ned Stearns, AA7A.

All candidates having no opposition were declared elected at the close of the nominations period.

More than 1 Million Contacts Logged during ARRL Field Day 2019

11/14/2019

ARRL Contest Program Manager Paul Bourque, N1SFE, reports that nearly 1.1 million contacts were made during the 2019 ARRL Field Day — the most popular operating event in North America. Bourque reported the [2019 ARRL Field Day results](#), which are available starting on page 64 of the [digital edition](#) of the December 2019 issue of *QST*. Bourque says in his article that more than 36,000 radio amateurs took part in ARRL Field Day 2019 across all 83 ARRL/Radio Amateurs of Canada sections, up slightly from the 35,250 reported last year. The total number of contacts was down by about 7% from 2018's 1.18 million contacts.

“This year, 3,113 entries were received from local clubs and emergency operations centers (EOCs), as well as individual portable, mobile, and home stations,” Bourque wrote in *QST*. Most entries were in Class A — club or non-club groups of three or more.

Of the nearly 1.1 million contacts, approximately 46% were made on phone, and 456,000 (42%) of contacts were made on CW. The remaining 138,000+ (12%) of the contacts were made on digital modes, such as FT8 and RTTY.

“This is a substantial increase compared to 2018, when total QSOs on the digital modes numbered just over 56,000,” Bourque reported. “With the last 2018 release of *WSJT-X* (which now supports Field Day exchanges), many participants made use of FT8's ability to communicate when band conditions weren't being cooperative.”

Top 10 scores ranged between W3AO's Class 14A entry from Maryland-DC, with 32,356 points, to W1NVT's 14,876-point Class 2A entry from Vermont. Bourque said that 95% of the 3,113 entries received came through the Field Day web applet.

“Not only is ARRL Field Day an opportunity to sharpen operating skills in temporary and portable locations, it's also an occasion to showcase amateur radio to the local community, with clubs often setting up in publicly accessible locations and interacting with non-hams,” Bourque wrote.

[Soapbox comments](#) for Field Day 2019 are available on the ARRL website.

ARRL Field Day 2020 will take place June 27 – 28.

Russian OTH Radar Now Reported to be “Everywhere”

11/12/2019

[UPDATED and CORRECTED @ 1625 UTC on November 2019] The latest International Amateur Radio Union Region 1 Monitoring System (IARUMS) [newsletter](#) reports the Russian “Contayner” over-the-horizon radar (OTHR) has been active in the 7, 10, 14, and 18 MHz amateur radio allocations (amateur radio is primary on 40, 20, and 17 meters). The OTHR transmissions have been 40 sweeps/second, FM on pulse, and 12 kHz wide.

Additionally, IARUMS reports a significant increase in Russian military traffic using F1B, PSK, and orthogonal frequency division multiplex (OFDM) on 40, 30, 20, and 15 meters.

IARUMS on November 13 reported an OTHR in northern Iran on 6.078 – 7.022 MHz, AM on pulse, 81 sweeps/second, 44 kHz wide.

Okaw Valley ARC Radio Sales

OVARC is still selling P25 Motorola radios!! They are making deals when purchased in groups of two or more. Get some friends together and get in on this deal. Contact surplus@ovarc.net. Price List follows....



SCOTT PROJECT RECOMMENDED PRICE LIST

PRICE LIST DATED: 10/18/19

Email: Surplus@ovarc.net

MFG. CODE

M=Motorola

T=TPL

O=Other

QTY	MFG CODE	MODEL	DESCRIPTION	NOTES	RETAIL PRICE	AMATEUR PRICE
	M	XTL5000	Flashed with Latest Firmware VHF Mobile Radio with Speaker, Mic, Bracket, Power Cords (FRONT MOUNT)		\$ 550.00	\$ 265.00
	M	XTL5000	VHF Mobile Radio with Control Head, Speaker, Mic, Brackets, Power Cords (SPLIT MOUNT) (Flashed with Latest Firmware)		\$ 425.00	\$ 275.00
	M	XTS5000R	VHF Model I Handheld Radio with Ant. (No Screen) Flashed with Latest Firmware	Model I	\$ 225.00	\$ 50.00
	M	XTS5000R	VHF Model II Handheld Radio with Ant. (With Screen) Flashed with Latest Firmware	Model II	\$ 350.00	\$ 175.00
	M	XTS5000R	Flashed with Latest Firmware VHF Model III Handheld Radio with Ant. (Full Keypad) FRONT PANEL PROGRAMMABLE	Model III	\$ 625.00	\$ 300.00
	M	WPLN4114AR	Impress Adaptive Single Charger w/ Pwr Cord		\$ 65.00	\$ 45.00
	T	PA3-1AB-M (NLD8905A)	1-6Watt In/10-50Watt Out VHF RF Amplifier		\$ 125.00	\$ 55.00
	M	HPN4001B	12 VDC Switching PS (14.1 VDC 8Amp)		\$ 110.00	\$ 65.00
	M	HSN4031A	Motorola Speaker (NEW)		\$ 35.00	\$ 25.00
	M	HSN4031A	Motorola Speaker (Used)		\$ 25.00	\$ 20.00
	M	WPLN4108AR	Impres 6 Bay Adaptive Battery Charger		\$ 425.00	\$ 95.00
	M	HLN1439B	(NEW) Motorola Astro Spectra Mobile Radio Siren/PA Module		\$ 249.00	\$ 55.00
	M	HLN1439B	(USED) Motorola Astro Spectra Mobile Radio Siren/PA Module		\$ 89.00	\$ 35.00
	M	HKN4363B	Astro Spectra to Siren Cable PA Cable		\$ 19.00	\$ 15.00



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	M	HLN1198D	DEKK Control Head for Siren (USED)		\$ 29.00	\$ 12.00
	M	HSN1006A	(NEW) 6 Watt Amplified Speaker, 5" round		\$ 80.00	\$ 50.00
	M	WPLN4079BR	6 Bay BMSPlus Battery Maintenance System		\$ 567.00	\$ 175.00
	M	WPPN4022AR	(NEW) NiCad Battery Maintenance System Adapter	Each	\$ 128.00	\$ 35.00
	M	HLN6042A	Motorola Desk Tray With Speaker		\$ 77.00	\$ 45.00
	S	BP8299MH	NEW-Replacement for Motorola NTN8923AR-SUNNY BRAND		\$ 95.00	\$ 75.00
			NEW-TW-BAAM08294 New NiMH Battery		\$ 30.00	\$ 30.00
	S	NTN8831	Standard Rate Charger For Motorola XTS5000 RADIO With Power Supply	NEW @	\$ 30.00	\$ 30.00

Egyptian Radio Club's Annual Christmas Party



Thursday, December 5th, 2019 at
Uncle Linny's Restaurant
4112 East Pontoon Road
Pontoon Beach, IL 62040



Start arriving between 6:00pm and 6:30pm.
Be sure to bring an unwrapped toy for the Toys for
Tots Toy Drive, in memory of Mike Phillips NORSP - SK.

There will be a short business meeting & election of your
2020 Club board members, then back to the food and fun!

FIRST ANNUAL MIKE PHILLIPS NORSP MEMORIAL TOYS FOR TOTS TOY DRIVE



The Egyptian Radio Club is asking for donations of new unwrapped toys.
Toys collected will be donated to the Marines Toys for Tots campaign in
memory of our dear friend Mike Phillips.

Toys collected will be distributed locally to children, who might not have a gift
otherwise.



Madison County

Traffic Net

Sundays 6:30 pm Local

146.79 repeater pl 127.3

THE AMERICAN RADIO RELAY LEAGUE
RADIOGRAM
VIA ARATEL/RADIO

CLASS OF SERVICE	CLASS OF MESSAGE	CLASS OF SERVICE	CLASS OF MESSAGE	CLASS OF SERVICE	CLASS OF MESSAGE
TO					

THIS RADIO MESSAGE WAS RECEIVED BY
STATION PREFIX: _____
NAME: _____
ADDRESS: _____
CITY AND STATE: _____

TO BE RECORDED

FRONT	TYPE	DATE	TIME	SENT	TO	DATE	TIME

THIS MESSAGE WAS SENT BY ONE OF OURS OF A STATION WHOSE CALL LETTERS AND OPERATOR'S NAME ARE SHOWN IN THE BOX AT RIGHT ABOVE. NO SUCH OPERATOR WHOSE NAME IS SHOWN IN THE BOX AT RIGHT ABOVE IS LISTED IN THE ARRL DIRECTORY. NO SUCH OPERATOR CAN BE ACCUSED BY A STATION OPERATOR OF BEING A STATION OPERATOR WHOSE NAME IS SHOWN IN THE BOX AT RIGHT ABOVE. THE ARRL DIRECTORY IS THE ONLY SOURCE OF INFORMATION ON AMATEUR RADIO OPERATORS WHOSE NAMES ARE LISTED IN THE ARRL DIRECTORY. THE ARRL DIRECTORY IS THE ONLY SOURCE OF INFORMATION ON AMATEUR RADIO OPERATORS WHOSE NAMES ARE LISTED IN THE ARRL DIRECTORY. THE ARRL DIRECTORY IS THE ONLY SOURCE OF INFORMATION ON AMATEUR RADIO OPERATORS WHOSE NAMES ARE LISTED IN THE ARRL DIRECTORY.

Madison County

WinLink Net

Test message will be sent out
On or about the first of every month

Contact Bob

AA9FQ@ARRL.Net or via Winlink

GENERAL MESSAGE (ICS 213)

1. Incident Name (Optional):		
2. To (Name and Position):		
3. From (Name and Position):		
4. Subject:	5. Date:	6. Time:
7. Message:		
8. Approved by: Name:	Signature:	Position/Title:
9. Reply:		
10. Replied by: Name:	Position/Title:	Signature:
ICS 213	Date/Time:	

REMINDER!!!! Illinois AND Missouri!



"Each day, law enforcement officers, firefighters, emergency response personnel, and highway workers encounter situations which place their lives in jeopardy while protecting the citizens of Illinois. This legislation helps to ensure that they can perform those duties out of harm's way."

Penalties for violating Scott's Law include:

a fine of not more than \$10,000 suspension of driving privileges for a period of up to a year but not less than 90 days for damaging another person's property suspension of driving privileges for a period of not less than 180 days but no more than two years for injuring another person a two-year suspension of driving privileges for causing the death of another person.

The ISP encourages motorists to follow these precautions when approaching an emergency vehicle with its lights activated:

Slow down and proceed with caution. Yield the right-of-way by changing into a lane not immediately adjacent to the emergency vehicle. Be prepared to pull over to the right-hand side of the roadway and stop if directed to do so. Be watchful of the movement of emergency personnel and equipment. ISP advised the legislation applies to all vehicles displaying flashing lights, including highway maintenance vehicles.

St. Louis ARES Calander

December 2019

•2 - St. Louis Metro ARES® Planning & Development meeting

When: December 2, 2019 (Monday), 7:00 PM

Where: Barnes-Jewish West County Hospital

Private Dining Room (go through the downstairs cafeteria)

Barnes-Jewish West County Hospital

12634 Olive Blvd.

St. Louis, MO 63141

[\(Click here for a map and directions.\)](#)

Who to contact: Open meeting, you do not need to contact anyone.

Details:

Planning & Development meeting

•9 - St. Louis Metro ARES® general meeting

When: December 9, 2019 (Monday), 7:30 PM

Where: Barnes-Jewish West County Hospital

Private Dining Room (go through the downstairs cafeteria)

Barnes-Jewish West County Hospital

12634 Olive Blvd.

St. Louis, MO 63141

[\(Click here for a map and directions.\)](#)

Who to contact: Open meeting, you do not need to contact anyone.

Details:

General meeting

An Announcement From The Antenna Builders Guild

We are going to refocus the Antenna Builder's Guild to being builder's and designers and operators like we used to be. Each meeting will have a theme in a series of basic antenna building. Beginning with calculating and cutting dipoles and loops, then learning about and winding the various baluns, understanding and building ladder line and comparing it to coax, designing and building yagi's, and understanding coupling colinear elements.

We'll still plan trips to Pere Marquette and other places of radio interest. Feel free to suggest and location. Also, we've have helped raise QTH antennas in the past and will continue to do so as needed.

2019-2020 building dates.

7 Dec, Egyptian Radio Clubroom

4 Jan, Egyptian Radio Clubroom

15 Feb, Egyptian Radio Clubroom

14 Mar, Egyptian Radio Clubroom

4 Apr, Pleasant Ridge Park, 401 Pleasant Ridge Road, Fairview Heights

2 May, Pleasant Ridge Park

13 June, Pleasant Ridge Park

18 July, Pleasant Ridge Park

1 Aug, Pleasant Ridge Park

19 Sept, Pleasant Ridge Park

18 Oct, IL QSO Party

73 Dennis KM9O

GROL PG00045411

Posted by: millerd18@yahoo.com

Monthly Calendar of Events

2019 DECEMBER

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1	2	3 8pm Weekly 2M Net 146.76 PL 141.3	4	5 Annual Christmas Party 630pm @ Uncle Linny's Restaurant 4112 Pontoon Road Pontoon Beach IL 62040	6	7
8	9 Last Board Meeting 2019 630pm @ Hen House Restaurant.	10 8pm Weekly 2M Net 146.76 PL 141.3	11	12	13	14
15	16	17 8pm Weekly 2M Net 146.76 PL 141.3	18	19	20	21
22	23	24 8pm Weekly 2M Net 146.76 PL 141.3 Christmas Eve	25 Christmas	26	27	28
29	30	31 8pm Weekly 2M Net 146.76 PL 141.3				

Happy 45th Birthday, AMSAT-OSCAR 7!

11/20/2019

The world's longest-lived satellite, AO-7, turned 45 years old this month. It was [launched](#) on November 15, 1974, from Vandenberg Air Force Base in California. After nearly 7 years of service, AO-7 was thought to have reached the end of its life in June 1981 due to battery failure, and a [premature obituary](#) appeared in the *AMSAT Satellite Report*.

In an interesting footnote, although AO-7 was thought to be nonfunctional after 1981, [it's been reported](#) that the Polish Solidarity movement used AO-7 to pass messages in 1982, while Poland was under martial law.

Twenty years later, on June 21, 2002, G3IOR reported hearing "an old-style CW beacon" from an unknown OSCAR near 145.970 MHz. It didn't take long to identify the satellite as AO-7, which remains operational and well-used while it's in sunlight.

To celebrate AO-7's 45th birthday, AMSAT plans to auction a set of gold-plated AO-7 cufflinks and a 50th Anniversary AMSAT lab coat (size 42R). The auctions are now [live on eBay](#) and will conclude shortly after 0200 UTC on November 26, 2019. AMSAT reports that 100% of the proceeds will go toward Keeping Amateur Radio in Space. — *Thanks to AMSAT News Service*

Nominations Invited for CWops Award for Advancing the Art of CW

11/18/2019

CWops is now accepting nominations for its Award for Advancing the Art of CW for 2020. The award recognizes individuals, groups, or organizations that have made the greatest contribution(s) toward advancing the art or practice of radio communication by Morse code. Candidates for the award may be authors of publications related to CW; CW recruiters, trainers, mentors, coaches, and instructors; public advocates of CW; organizers of CW activities; designers and inventors who advance the art or practice of CW, and other contributors to the art or practice of CW. The award is not limited to radio amateurs or their organizations.

[Email](#) nominations with a [copy](#) to the CWops secretary. To be considered, a nomination must be received by March 18, 2020. It should include name(s) and call sign(s), if applicable, of nominee(s), and complete contact information. A detailed explanation supporting the nomination should be included along with the name, telephone number, email address, and call sign of the person submitting the nomination. An award presentation will take place at the 2020 [Dayton Hamvention](#)®.



AMATEUR RADIO EXAMS

**WALK-INS ARE WELCOME! PLEASE CALL AHEAD IF POSSIBLE.
DOORS OPEN AT 6PM!**

**CLIFF CAVE BRANCH, ST. LOUIS COUNTY LIBRARY
5430 TELEGRAPH RD, OAKVILLE, MO 63129**

The Cliff Cave VE Team will be giving the exams on these dates:

2019

**July 2nd & 16th
August 20th & 27th
September 3rd & 17th**

**October 1st & 15th
November 7th & 19th
December 3rd & 17th**

To register or for further information, contact:

CVE David Bartholomew, Extra, ABØTO, 314-894-7631 – davidbartholomew@yahoo.com
CVE Roland Kramer, Extra, WØRL, 314-481-8846 – wØrl@att.net
CVE Peter B. Brisbine, Extra, NØMTH, 314-894-9395 – n0mth.pb@gmail.com
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VE Dean Larson, Extra, WBØEYA, 314-631-1489 – wb0eya@arrl.net
VE Dale Holloway, Extra, K4EQ, 636-221-8808 – dale@k4eq.net

**Check out our website at
www.cliffcaveve.com**

ARRL Advisor & C/LVE:

Harry Steger, Extra, WØHMS, 314-894-2136 – hjsteger@earthlink.net

The Cliff Cave VE Team was founded by SK Harry Nordman, ABØSX

DON'T FORGET!

Two forms of ID (one must be a photo)

\$15 CASH

A signed-copy of your current license or a recent CSCE if upgrading

Non-programmable calculator (if using)

**NO SMARTPHONES
OR SMARTWATCHES
ALLOWED IN TESTING
AREA**

2019

JULY						
Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
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15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31	1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11

AUGUST						
Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su
29	30	31	1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	1
2	3	4	5	6	7	8

SEPTEMBER						
Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su
26	27	28	29	30	31	1
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9	10	11	12	13	14	15
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23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	1	2	3	4	5	6

OCTOBER						
Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su
30	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
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28	29	30	31	1	2	3
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NOVEMBER						
Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su
28	29	30	31	1	2	3
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25	26	27	28	29	30	1
2	3	4	5	6	7	8

DECEMBER						
Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su
25	26	27	28	29	30	1
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	31	1	2	3	4	5

Note the Back-to-Back change for August

Note the Thursday change for November



Egyptian Radio Club, Incorporated

Post Office Box 562, Granite City, Illinois 62040-0562

Egyptian Radio club general meeting November 7 2019

Present: Bob Evans AA9FQ, Bill Dusenberry N9OQK, Don Reinheimer KD9MHH, Nolan Zobrist KA9VKC, Terry Bell N9BEL, Jim Williamson KD9FQC, Randy Bastin KC9MZ, Tom McConnell KF9TOM, Chuck Hoxsey KD9JKP, Lisa Hoxsey, Bill Schmidt WA0JCO, Bob Young W9MO, John Sundstrum WA0LIS, Larry Unfried WA9KJV, John Fuesting

Open Bill Dusenberry, Minutes given in newsletter no objection, Treasure report given by John Fuesting.

Bill Dusenberry gave a summary of proposed changes to Bylaws, mainly formerly separating the office of Secretary and Treasure and not allowing partial dues payments.

Bill Dusenberry gave a the repeater report sent to the board by Jason

Larry Unfried gave a report on Toys for Tots and he is putting together a sign, that will be used for many years for the Mike Phillips Memorial Toys for Tots Drive.

Larry received a donation of equipment from a St. Louis Police officer.

Christmas Diner Uncle Lenny's December 5 6:30pm please bring a new unwrapped toy.

Election of officers will be held December 5, the nominations are as follows:

President Bill Dusenberry, Vice President Bill Schmidt, Secretary Jason Cato, Treasure John Fuesting, one year board member Larry Unfried, two year board member John Sundstrom.

There are no challengers, a motion to close nominations made by Terry Bell, seconded Tom McConnell approved

Minutes submitted by

Bob Evans AA9FQ

Announcements

Tower Setup For Sale

70 feet of Rohn 45g.
Accessories included are;
flat top,
concrete plate,
2 thrust bearings,
2 rotor plates,
and a Tail Twister II rotor.
The whole setup is priced to
move at \$900.00.
It is located in Baldwin, IL.

Also Available separately are the
following antennas;

M2 18XXX,

M2 5 Element 6M Beam,

ChrisCraft Rotatable Dipole
(Will need rebuilding),

and a 22 element 432 beam.

Please contact, Mark
Theobald, W9KUF at 618-
214-2522 for further
information.

For those of you that have
any announcements,
please feel free to email me
at kb9lbc@gmail.com so I
can include them in the
newsletter.

**Certificates for the
90th Anniversary
contacts will be
going out in
November.**

Advertisements

The Podunk Hollow News is a monthly publication of the Egyptian Radio Club, Inc. Advertising space is available in the Podunk Hollow News at **\$12.00** per business card size ad per year. Larger advertising space is available, per month or per year. All advertisers are welcome in the Podunk Hollow News. Ads are now clickable.

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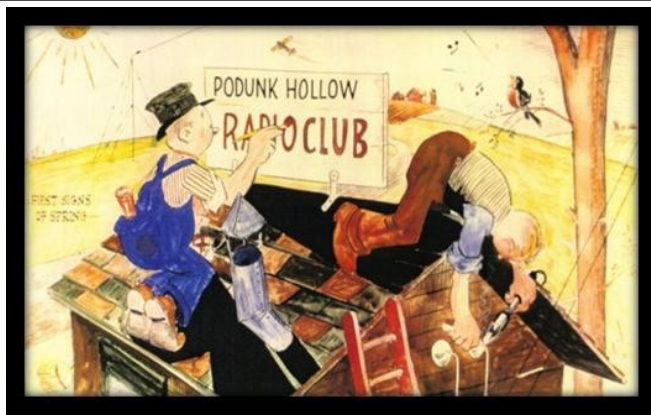


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The club has a informal net every Tuesday at 8:00pm on 146.76. The PL is 141.3 and there is a 10 minute time-out. You do **NOT** need to be a member to participate or use the repeater, as it is open to **ALL** licensed Amateurs. Be sure to "stop in" and say hi!

Anyone interested in joining the Egyptian Radio Club will find an application at the end of this newsletter.

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