

CLALLAM COUNTY AMATEUR RADIO CLUB

QTC
OCTOBER 13

Things Got You Down? Well Then, Consider These . . . READ ON!!

In a hospital's Intensive Care Unit, patients always died in the same bed, on Sunday morning, at about 11:00 am, regardless of their medical condition. This puzzled the doctors and some even thought it had something to do with the supernatural.

No one could solve the mystery as to why the deaths occurred around 11:00 AM Sunday, so a worldwide team of experts was assembled to investigate the cause of the incidents. The next Sunday morning, a few minutes before 11:00 AM all of the doctors and nurses nervously waited outside the ward to see for themselves what the terrible phenomenon was all about. Some were holding wooden crosses, prayer books, and other holy objects to ward off the evil spirits. Just when the clock struck 11:00, Fernando Rodriguez, the part-time Sunday sweeper, entered the ward and unplugged the life support system so he could use the vacuum cleaner.

Still Having a Bad Day?

The average cost of rehabilitating a seal after the Exxon Valdez Oil spill in Alaska was \$80,000.00. At a special ceremony, two of the most expensively saved animals were being released back into the wild amid cheers and applause from onlookers.. A minute later, in full view, a killer whale ate them both.

Still think you are having a Bad Day?

A woman came home to find her husband in the kitchen shaking frantically, almost in a dancing frenzy, with some kind of wire running from his waist towards the electric kettle. Intending to jolt him away from the deadly current, she ran outside and grabbed a handy plank of wood and smacked him with it, breaking his arm in two places. Up to that moment, he had been happily listening to his iPod.

Courtesy of Bruce, W7DNA

Get Your License Here!

We had a successful class with 7 out of nine applicants passing their Technician and one going on to pass General.

Chuck N7BV
ARRL VE-L

October Program

We are going to build 2m vertical antennas. The club will be donating them to lucky members of the club by drawing.

We need articles for the QTC newsletter. This is your newsletter.

Tell us how you became interested in Ham Radio. What did you do over the summer (just like school) huh!

Did you put up a new antenna, buy a new radio? Tell us about it.

Did you try a new mode again tell us about it.

The more you submit the less blank space we will have!

Thanks, the staff!

CCARC QTC Newsletter

Just a little background on the QTC.

We use ccarcqtq@yahoo.com as a repository for information for the newsletter. So if you have something for the QTC, please send it to the yahoo address. Do not sent it to one of the editors as they will just have to turn around and resend it to the yahoo address.

Please make sure the article or information is complete. As we rotate editing the newsletter you cannot be sure which editor will be piecing the newsletter together.

Please remove as much formatting from within whatever program you are using if you know how, before sending it to ccarcqtq. We do not edit, except to change fonts to a standard non-serif font (Arial which is easier to read than Times Roman). We will run a spell checker.

When first conceived the editors were given free license, it still is that way. It was understood they would endeavor to include everything submitted, within reason. For instance, off color jokes etc are not going to be printed. Thanks,

Have an idea for a club program? Pass them along to the members of the program committee: Bill Carter, Janet Parris, or Chuck Jones. Thanks.

2 METER NETS

CCARC :
Every Thursday 7:00 pm on the W7FEL Repeater.

ARES/RACES:
Every Tuesday except 1st Tuesday of the month at 7:00 pm on W7FEL Repeater.

W7FEL Repeater: 146.76 MHz., offset down 600 KHz. with a tone of 100 Hz.

W7RJW "Net" Working

Some local nets to listen in on/participate in. This is one good way to learn how we communicate on the airwaves as amateur (ham) radio operators. I spent a year just listening to a couple of these nets and how experienced operators talk to each other, before I even tried for my Technician license. It REALLY helped me a lot. I strongly recommend doing this on a regular basis. Enjoy!

Sunday:

LDS (Latter Day Saints) Emergency Net (you don't have to be a member to participate) 6pm on 146.760

Monday:

Elwha Emergency Net 5:30 pm On 146.760

WARA (West Coast Amateur Radio Association) Club Net (Victoria, BC Canada) at 7pm on 146.840

Tuesday:

ARES (Amateur Radio Emergency Services) Net 7pm on 146.760 (except for the first Tuesday of the month, when ARES meets at the Clallam County Courthouse)

Wednesday:

WARA (West Coast Amateur Radio Association) Emergency Net 7pm on 146.840 Simplex Net immediately following: on 146.580

Thursday:

CCARC (Clallam County Amateur Radio Club) Net 7pm 146.760

W7RJW Rebecca J. Winters



FOR SALE or TRADE

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**Wanted Net Coordinator —see Becky**

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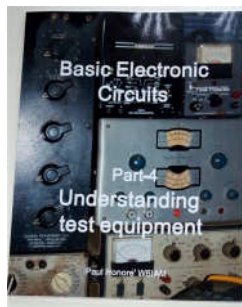
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CCARC club member

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Introduction to the technical aspects
of Ham radio*



What's new on
Ham Nation?

<http://twit.tv/hn>

October 3rd, 2013

[Episode #117: Tim Duffy \(K3LR\) Discusses Towers
and Antennas](#)

FM radio kit part 1, busting antenna myths, news of
Colorado floods, and more.

September 26th, 2013

[Episode #116: Analyze This!](#)

Jamboree on the air, Antenna Analyzers, Ham
made music video, and more!

September 19th, 2013

[Episode #115: A Tribute to Wayne Green W2NSD](#)

Flooding in Colorado, how to get involved in com-
mercial electronics, tribute to Wayne Green, and
more.

Have a cup of coffee, relax and watch one.

CCARC Committees

Activities Chair: *Vacant*

Education and Training: Chuck Jones N7BV

Field Day Co-Chairs: Al Fisk KD7TFK, *Vacant*

Health and Welfare: *Vacant*

Membership Chair: Becky Winters W7RJW

Net Coordinator: Becky Winters W7RJW

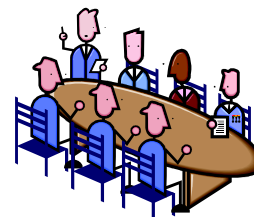
Program Co-Chairs: Janet Parris WA7JEP, Bill Carter W7WEC, Chuck Jones N7BV

Public Relations Chair: *Vacant*

Publications (Newsletter): Chuck Jones N7BV, Jeramey Johnson KF7PMC

Technical Committee: Ernie Griffith W7EWG, Mark Merrikin AE7IP, Doug Welcker, WB4KGY

Web Site Administrator: Rik Scairpon WX7RIK



Clallam County Amateur Radio Club General Meeting September 2013

1900 Meeting called to order by Mike KF7VZZ followed by the Pledge of Allegiance and introductions all around.

1910 Our presenter, Bruce Prior, N7RR began his presentation on Summits On The Air (SOTA), which blends hiking (sometimes with great difficulty) with Amateur Radio.

2015 Break for Coffee.

2025 Business Meeting commenced with approval of previous months minutes.

- It was announced Echo Link would be off the air due to K6MBY travels.
- Ernie, W7EWG presented the month treasurers Report which was approved.
- Dennis talked about an old time 1930s semi automatic bug and code machine donated to the club.

2040 Nita, KE7DRT ran the 50:50 raffle.

2057 Meeting Adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

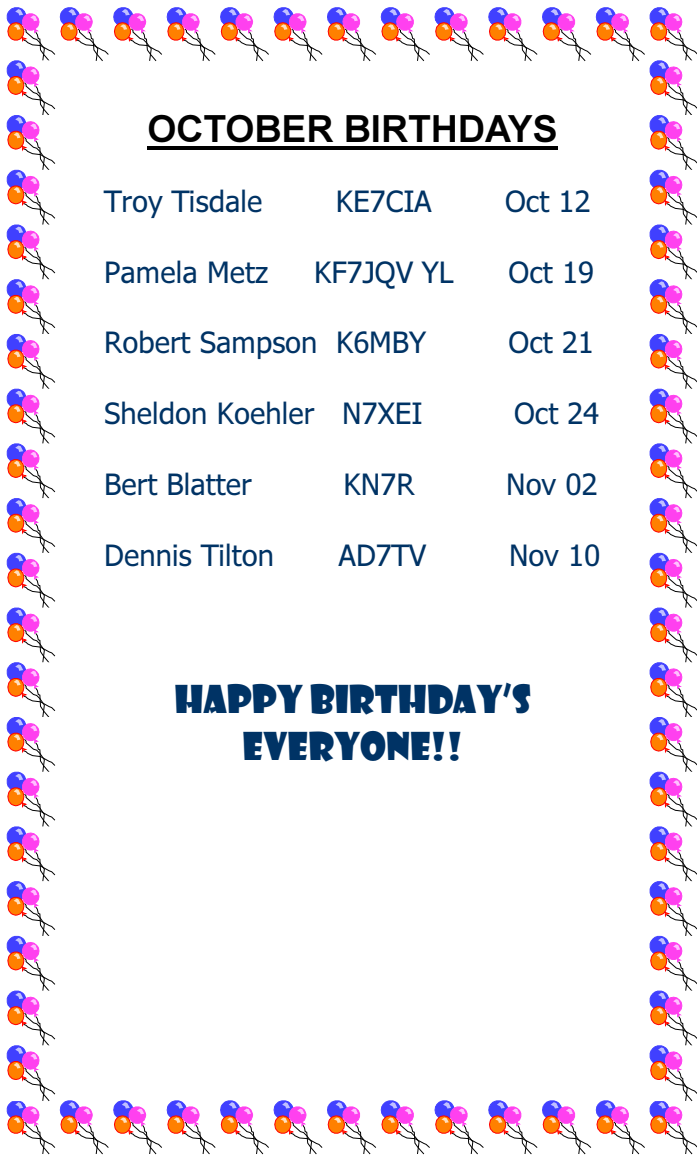
Chuck Jones N7BV

FROM OUR TREASURER

As of Sept 30,2013

Bank Saving	5000.14
Bank Checking	4931.62
Outstanding Cheques:	0.00
Total	9931.76

Thanks,
Ernie Griffith
 W7EWG
 CC-ARC Treasurer



OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS

Troy Tisdale	KE7CIA	Oct 12
Pamela Metz	KF7JQV YL	Oct 19
Robert Sampson	K6MBY	Oct 21
Sheldon Koehler	N7XEI	Oct 24
Bert Blatter	KN7R	Nov 02
Dennis Tilton	AD7TV	Nov 10

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY'S
EVERYONE!!**

COMING EVENTS

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- 10/19/2013 | [North Kitsap ARC Hamfest](#)
 Location: Bremerton, WA Type: ARRL Hamfest
 Sponsor: North Kitsap Amateur Radio Club
 Website: <http://www.nkarc.org>

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- 03/08/2014 | [Mike & Key ARC Electronics Show](#)
 Location: Puyallup, WA Type: ARRL Hamfest
 Sponsor: Mike & Key ARC Website: <http://www.mikeandkey.org/flea.htm>

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NEXT YL LUNCHEON

Friday 11 October

Paradise
703 No. Sequim Ave
Sequim

**Find us on the web at
www.olyham.net
Check it out. Lots of
information about ham
radio in Clallam County!**

2013 YL Luncheons:

Reservations 11:30 2nd Friday of each month

October – Paradise – 703 No. Sequim Ave – Sequim

November - Chestnut Cottage - 929 E. Front - Port Angeles

December - Cedars at Dungeness - 1965 Woodcock Rd. - Sequim

Description	Time/Date	Location	Contact
Clallam County ARES/RACES meeting	7 pm, first Tue of every month	Clallam County Courthouse EOC, 223 E. 4 th St., PA	Al Dawson W7YLV 360-457-0752
Clallam County Amateur Radio Club general meeting	7 pm, second Wed of every month	Port Angeles Fire Station 5th and Laurel, PA	Chuck Jones N7BV 360-452-4672
Clallam County Amateur Radio Club social breakfast	8 am, first Sat of every month	Joshua's Restaurant Hwy. 101 & Del Guzzi Dr.	Chuck Jones N7BV 360-452-4672
Clallam County Amateur Radio Club YL social lunch	11:45 am 2d Fri of every month	Rotates - announced on Thursday night Net (See QTC Newsletter)	

CC-ARC Welcomes new member/s:

NONE

CLUB OFFICERS For 2012

President: Mike Rice KF7VZZ KF7VZZ@Gmail.com

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