



# CLALLAM COUNTY AMATEUR RADIO CLUB

# QTC

JUNE 19

## **BV RAMBLES:**

Thanks everyone who submitted personal items for this newsletter: Joe Wright KG7JWW; Rosemary Day KI7MZH; Sheldon Koehler, N7XEI

Again I hope you are enjoying these great weather days. Get out there and put up some antennas, make some contacts.

There have been some great 6m openings, even into Japan!

Remember FIELD DAY COMEST!!

73, Chuck N7BV

[David SmithMike  
teur Radio Club](#)



[and Key Ama-  
\(K7LED\)](#)

Harold drives'em crazy on Field Day, trying to line up on his frequency.

## Get Your License Here!

**Chuck Jones N7BV  
ARRL VE-L**

**4/08/19**

## General Meeting Program

**TBD**

We need articles and input 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!

### 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.

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.

CCARC Special Board Meeting May 13, 2019

Special Board Meeting called after President Mark Ellington, Vice-President Chuck Jones and Chairman of the Board Bill Peterson resigned their positions, effective immediately, due to Health issues.

Present: Cori VZZ, Joe E. RBS, Rosemary MZH

Discussed Draft to Groups IO for replacement volunteers for the above positions.

“For Health Reasons, President Mark Ellington, Vice-President Chuck Jones, and Chairman of the Board Bill Peterson have resigned effective immediately. We need Club members to volunteer to fill these positions until the December election for officers. At that time the regular elections will be held for 2020.”

All current committees will remain in force.

Please contact Cori Rice, acting Chairman of the Board, at kf7vzz@gmail.com to volunteer. Duties are found at olyham.net.

We will discuss candidates at June 3<sup>rd</sup> Board Meeting, and Club Meeting to vote on June 12<sup>th</sup>.

All are welcome to attend the Board Meeting.

Respectfully submitted,  
Rosemary Day KI7MZH  
Secretary

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Board Meeting June 3, 2019

Present: Cori VZZ, Rosemary MZH, Jeannine WVD, Joe E. RBS, Sheldon XEI, Jeramey PMC, Ross WVG, David IMN.

Meeting opened at 7:00 pm.

Minutes approved as published in the QTC.

Treasurer: No report available. Board requested more details about deposits and withdrawals. Membership: 13 more members paid dues for 2019.

Board accepts resignations of President Mark Ellington, Vice-President

Chuck Jones, and Chairman of the Board Bill Peterson. Moved and approved by the Board.

Newly appointed members by the Board to fill vacant positions are: Jeramey Johnson-Chairman of the Board, Ross Tyler-President, Sheldon Koehler-Vice-President. Motion to approve officer seats by the Board passed. Appointed members will be subject to membership approval at the Club Meeting on June 12, 2019.

Gunderson: Bob Sampson et. al. requested funds for Gunderson. Board authorized funds of \$2200.00 for purchase of parts for Gunderson project with the understanding that Forks Hospital will reimburse the Club for funds up to \$1800.00. Club budget includes the \$400.00 difference. Disbursement of funds to be negotiated between Bob Sampson and Joe E. Treasurer. Motion approved. Will bring motion to Club at next meeting for approval of funds.

Field Day: Scouts and Boys and Girls Club on board. Link set-up for Boys and Girls Club, can read info on Monday. 60' tower ready with new supports for set-up on Friday June 21<sup>st</sup>. Article in Senior Sunset Times went out on May 15, information to newspapers out on May 31<sup>st</sup>. It was decided that an invite to Jessie Major to Field Day would be made. Special dinner Friday night for Friday set-up volunteers. Info to radio stations in next two weeks.

Fireworks: Set-up June 28<sup>th</sup>. If anyone wanted info on how to set up, TNT University has program prior to fireworks. Delivery June 26<sup>th</sup>, with July 5<sup>th</sup> inventory, next day pickup for unsold merchandise.

ARES: Completed North Olympic Discovery Marathon. Approximately 2400 participants. Board members discussed importance of CCARC and CCARES working together and having fun on projects.

Adjourned at 8:15 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

Rosemary Day KI7MZH  
Secretary

**Not in our area but still of interest!**

Hi.  
To any Hams in the USA region 5 area I'd like to invite you to join the "VHF/UHF SSB Region 5 Section Group".

We also have a web site with resources specifically for VHF/UHF SSB.

Site url: "[n5lzy.com:99](http://n5lzy.com:99)"

Have a great day all.

Joe Wright  
KG7JWW  
The Twilight Zone  
The Real Western Wa

Sheldon Koehler [sheldonk@gmail.com](mailto:sheldonk@gmail.com)

To: CCARC-QTC  
Jun 9 at 7:24 PM

Recently someone asked why we did not have a Facebook page. Well, we actually do! And someone else was surprised he never heard about it. But it is not an official club page even though it has our name on it. The main reason it is not "official" is not everyone has a Facebook account. The other reason is we do allow non club members to join, even non hams looking for information. Most of the time people talk about what they did recently or we post jokes like this one below

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If you have a Facebook account, you can fund us here:

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

Don't forget Field Day is coming!

Sheldon Koehler, N7XEI

**Certificate of Achievement**  
**2019 7th Call Area QSO Party**



  
Dick Frey, K4XU  
Contest Manager

AOCC  
CODXC  
NACHO  
RTKCC  
SDXA  
UDXA



Sponsored by The Central Oregon DX Club

Joe Wright <adwjoe1207@gmail.com>

To:CCARC-QTC  
Jun 6 at 11:17 AM

I recently got a call from the mayor of Forks asking me to make a call to the new owner of the property where Forks radio used to be. There is equipment on site that the owner is looking at disposing of since he is not going to reestablish a local radio station but there will be assistance with our emergency management efforts later as he reclaims the site. I found an article from 2010 when mother nature made an appearance and upset things.

<https://sbe16.com/?p=458>

If anyone wants to see some of the leftovers from this station let me know!

Joe Wright  
KG7JWW  
The Twilight Zone  
The Real Western Wa

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## The Radio Amateur's Code

(This appears in the forward of the Radio Amateurs Handbook)

### 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*

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## From: Amateur Radio.com Newsletter

### [From Sea to Summit on CW](#)

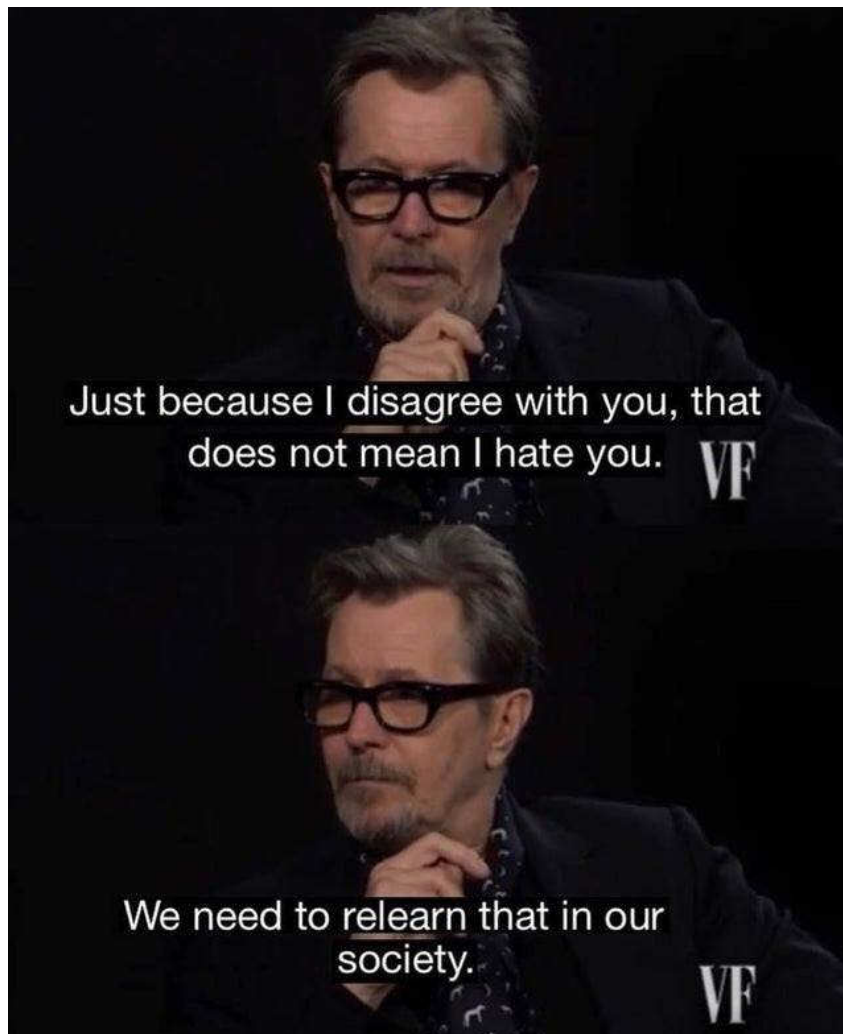
I've now been an Amateur Radio Operator for 30 years. There isn't much about the hobby that I don't like. For me and many in the hobby, radio is magic and however we experience it, by definition makes it magical. However, there are always a few experie...

Saturday, May 18, 2019

[Well the news is out!](#) Elecraft has added some "eye candy" to Dayton the Elecraft K4! My email inbox has gone from an average daily count of about 25 emails to a new high of 80 to 100! The Elecraft reflector being the new leader for my inbox. I'm not going to get into ...

Saturday, May 4, 2019

[Bummer: Work Howard Event Canceled](#) A solid 1960's saying for disappointing but not tragic events was ... bummer! That's fitting for this announcement from the ARRL with the ICQ Podcast's endorsement. We'd certainly not want an event, no matter how exciting, to get the W1AW station license in dutch with Part 97. After all, the



The **PNW DX Convention** has been held every summer since 1955 with the sponsorship rotating between the major DX clubs of the Pacific Northwest. The 64th Convention is hosted by the [Western Washington DX Club](#), the largest and oldest of the clubs.

Together, these organizations have upheld the rich traditions of amateur radio and the pursuit of DX through five solar cycles. Over the decades, we have enjoyed wonderful friendships and the very special international camaraderie that ham radio fosters in the Pacific Northwest and around the world.

<http://pacificnwdxconvention.com>

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### CLALLAM COUNTY AMATEUR RADIO CLUB 54<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL FIELD DAY EVENT

**WHO:** Clallam County Amateur Radio Club (CCARC) and Clallam County Amateur Radio Emergency Service (CCARES)  
**WHEN:** Saturday June 22, starting at 11:00 am and operating through the night until 11:00 am on Sunday, June 23, 2019. Youth activities are limited to Saturday June 22, from 11:00 am to 4:30 pm.  
**WHERE:** At the Clallam County Fairgrounds Lincoln Park, west entrance on South L Street, Port Angeles, WA 98363  
**WHAT:** Clallam County Amateur Radio's 54<sup>th</sup> Emergency Communications Field Day event

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 Clallam County Amateur Radio Club (CCARC) and the Clallam County Amateur Radio Emergency Service (CCARES) are providing the local community an opportunity to try out Amateur Radio, also known as Ham Radio, with a day of games, food, fun and special activities for youth and adults alike. Anyone wanting to will have a chance to talk on the radio to other local, national and foreign amateur radio operators, see operational displays of different types of emergency radio gear and participate in events emphasizing family and personal preparedness.

Interested area Scout Troops will be working toward earning their Radio Merit Badges. The Boys and Girls Club have been working on a temporary network station and will configure their emails to auto-reply for any messages sent from the public at Field Day. They will be able to view the messages when they return to the Boys and Girls Club the following Monday. A 'Foot and Fanny' Morse Code key has been constructed for youth to try sending their name in Morse Code. Youth can also participate in a Scavenger Hunt involving Morse Code, digital radio skills, and computer activities for a chance at a prize.

There are more than 700,000 amateurs in the US and several million more around the world. The activities of Amateur Radio are incredibly varied: communicating with local and regional amateurs using relay stations call repeaters, operating mobile and portable stations, joining in emergency communications teams, working with wireless data networks that are assembled and used around the world, and using signals that travel worldwide to make direct contacts with foreign hams.

The CCARC was founded in 1954. In 1957 the club applied to the State of Washington to become incorporated. In 1958 the CCARES was formed and in 1966 the first Field Day was held at the Port Angeles Game Preserve.

Anyone can be a ham. There are no age limits or physical requirements that prevent anyone from passing their license exam and getting on the air. Hams pursue their hobby for personal enjoyment and to advance their skills, providing valuable services to their fellow citizens. Amateur Radio is especially valuable after natural disasters when commercial systems and power are knocked out.

Amateur radio is much more than just talking on the radio. It's an opportunity to dive into the fascinating world of radio communications, electronics, and computers as deeply as you wish.

For more information contact: Rick DeWitt at [AA0RD@yahoo.com](mailto:AA0RD@yahoo.com) or Janet Parris at [fancyfire-light@yahoo.com](mailto:fancyfire-light@yahoo.com).

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### **Treasurer Report**

Respectfully, Joe Edwards KI7RBS  
CCARC Treasurer

### **FOR SALE or TRADE**

**TS-940s transceiver with built-in tuner. \$300.**

**This unit works. It has three minor issues that does not effect operation.**

**Also have two nice, home brew, 800W "T" tuners. One is link coupled for twin-lead use. These are \$30 each.**

**Contact Dennis Tilton AD7TV 360-452-1217**



### **CCARC Standing Committees**

**Field Day Co-Chairs:** Al Fisk KD7TFK, Sheldon Koehler N7XEI

**Health and Welfare:** Rosemary Day KI7MZH

**Membership Chair:** Joe Edwards KI7RBS

**Net Coordinator:** Cori Rice KF7VZZ

**Public Relations:** Jeannine C Tyler

**Publications (Newsletter):** Chuck Jones N7BV,

**Technical Committee Coordinator:** Doug Welcker, WB4KGY, Bob Sampson K6MBY, Bill Peterson K7WWP, Merrill Terpstra KA7FAM

**VE Education and Training:** Chuck Jones N7BV

**Web Site Administrator:** Bill Peterson K7WWP

### **CCARC Special Committees**

**Roster:** Joe Edwards KI7RBS

**NEXT YL Luncheon**

June 14th 1130L  
 Black Bear Diner  
 1471 E. Washington  
 Sequim

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

**2019 - CCARC Ladies Luncheon Schedule**

Reservations are made for 11:30 - 2nd Friday of each month

- June – Black Bear Diner – 1471 E. Washington - Sequim
- July - Tendys - - Port Angeles
- August – Mariners - 609 W. Washington - Sequim
- September - Cafe Garden - 1506 East 1st St - Port Angeles
- 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, 1st Tue of every month	Clallam County Courthouse EOC, 223 E. 4 <sup>th</sup> St., PA	
Clallam County Amateur Radio Club general meeting	7 pm, 2d 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, 1st Sat of every month	Bi-Monthly Joshua's Restaurant, PA & Mariner Restaurant, Sequim	Chuck Jones N7BV 360-452-4672
Clallam Country 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:](#)

**CLUB OFFICERS For 2019**

**President:**

**Vice President:**

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**Board Chair Person:**

**Board Member:** Cori Rice KF7VZZ 360-912-2395 [kf7vzz@gmail.com](mailto:kf7vzz@gmail.com)

**Board Member:** Jeannine C Tyler (360) 460-4236 [weblairs@olypen.com](mailto:weblairs@olypen.com)