

## CLALLAM COUNTY AMATEUR RADIO CLUB



## Spurious Emissions from AD7TV

First of all, I want to wish all of you a happy and prosperous new year and a thank you for allowing me to serve as your club president for 2016. Welcome to the newly elected club offices and those who are continuing to serve.

I want to give special thanks to George Hutchison for his service as president for the past year. His caring attitude toward the membership is truly appreciated.

We have a lot to look forward to in the coming year. The overriding theme will be to have a fun and educational time while we do radio related activities. The program committee has been tasked with arranging interesting and thought provoking presentations. The challenge is to come up with programs that will provide interest to all of the members. To bring this about we solicit input from each of you as to what you would like to see addressed in future meetings. This Wednesday you will have an opportunity to submit your suggestions during the meeting.

The program for this Wednesday will be an Introduction to Antenna Measurement and Tuning using equipment that will be made available to every club member. I'll endeavor to present it in such a fashion that you will be able to easily characterize your HF or VHF antenna and be confident that it is set up correctly.

Major activities for this year include: National Parks On The Air, Field Day and our fund raiser with the Fireworks Stand. The fireworks stand presents us with the challenge of finding someone to fill the role of Ernie Griffith who we lost last year.

There are many opportunities for service within the club with each of these and other activities and we look forward to many of you stepping up to fill these roles. I feel that "Elmering" is a key element of the ham radio community as it helps each of us to have more fun and learn new things.

I look forward to seeing each of you this coming Wednesday so please come loaded with suggestions for the coming year.

73, Dennis Tilton AD7TV

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# Chuck N7BV to the vahoo address. **ARRL VE-L** newsletter together. We will run a spell checker. **January Program** Dennis, AD7TV Will review the workings and uses of common Antenna Analyzers. AL7KK, or Chuck Jones.

We need articles for the QTC newsletter. This is vour 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 ccarcqtc@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

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

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

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: Paula K7PAX, Rob

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 REAL-LY 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 0n 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 CCARES Net Control Coordinator

#### **CCARC Committees**

Activities Chair: Nita Lyman KE7DRT Education and Training: Chuck Jones N7BV Field Day Co-Chairs: AI Fisk KD7TFK, Health and Welfare: Becky Winters W7RJW Membership Chair: Mike Rice KF7VZZ Net Coordinator: Mike Rice KF7VZZ Program Co-Chairs: Paula K7PAX, Rob AL7KK, Chuck Jones N7BV, Public Relations Chair: Bill McPherson W6JEQ Publications (Newsletter): Chuck Jones N7BV, Jeramey Johnson KF7PMC, Mike Rice KF7VZZ Technical Committee: Doug Welcker, WB4KGY Web Site Administrator: Rik Scairpon WX7RIK



#### What's new on Ham Nation?

http://twit.tv/hn

Check out the new format.

Have a cup of coffee, relax and watch one.



#### FOR SALE or TRADE

Burt KN7R is selling off some of his CW Keys and Bugs. Ph.: 360-457-4049

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#### Clallam County Amateur Radio Club Board Meeting December 8, 2015

**0904L** Meeting called to order. In attendance: Bill W6JEQ (COB), George W7TTY, Sheldon N7XEI, Dennis AD7TV, Chuck N7BV

- N7BV passed along Wade's, Ernie's son request for help with identifying & selling Ernie's equipment. Bill, W6JEQ; Sheldon N7XEI; Dennis AD7TV and Chuck N7BV volunteered along with Bob K6MBY and Doug WB4KGY.
- The Christmas CCARC Christmas Dinner was reported on track.
- Still looking for some place to store some things that are stored at Ernie's.
- 1001L Meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted: Chuck Jones N7BV 2015 CCARC Secretary

#### Clallam County Amateur Radio Club General Meeting December 9, 2015

1900 Meeting called to order by President W7TTY. The Pledge of Allegiance to Our Flag was given; introductions all around.

Review of Christmas Dinner plans. Minutes of November's meeting approved. Mike Rice KF7VZZ withdraws from President nomination is nominated for Secretary. Chuck Jones N7BV is nominated for Treasurer. Dennis Tilton AD7TV is nominated for President.

Entire slate approved unopposed:

President: Dennis Tilton AD7TV Vice President: Bill Todd, N7MFB Secretary: Mike Rice KF7VZZ Treasurer: Chuck Jones N7BV Board Member (Chairman): Sheldon Koehler, N7XEI Board Member: 2d Jeramey Johnson, KF7PMC Board Member: 1st Yr Herm Halbach III, KG7WMZ

Jeramey to write up a bio on Ernie and do the January Newsletter.

Paula and crew to look into shirts w/club logo.

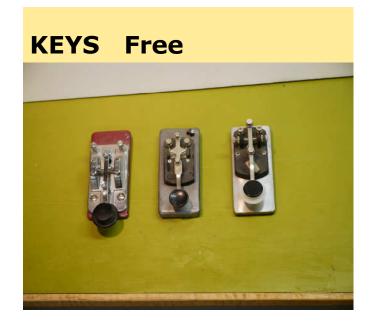
After Break Dennis addressed the meeting explaining the direction he saw the club going.

Respectfully submitted: Chuck Jones N7BV 2015 CCARC Secretary Clallam County Amateur Radio Club QTC January 16







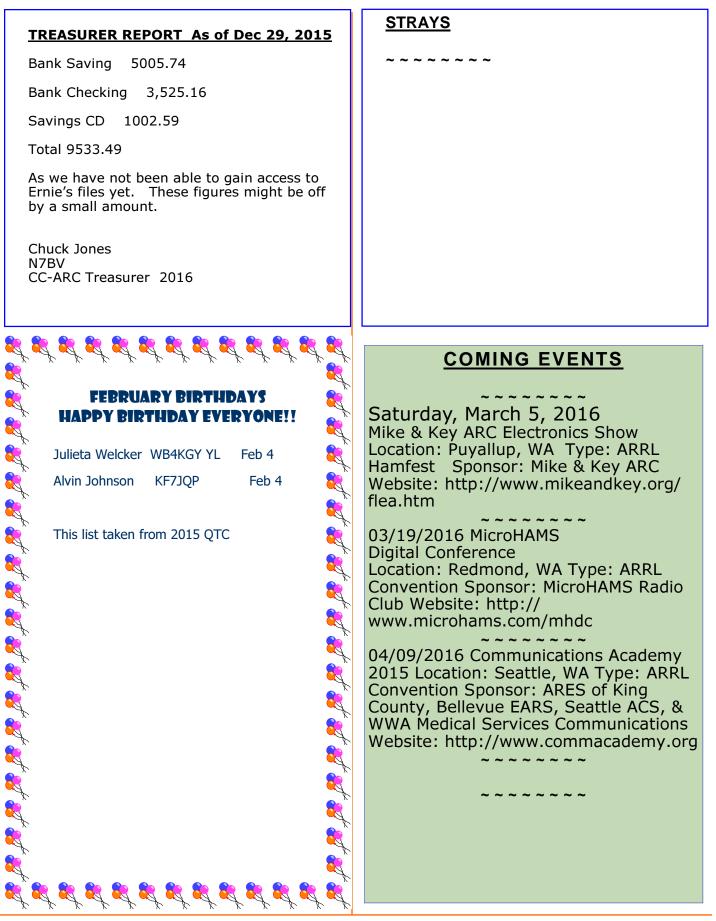


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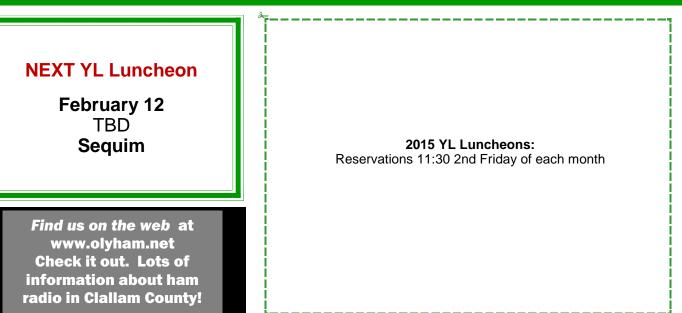


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#### Clallam County Amateur Radio Club QTC January 16

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| Description                                        | Time/Date                      | Location                                                         | Contact                          |
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| Clallam County ARES/RACES meeting                  | 7 pm, 1st Tue of every month   | Clallam County Courthouse EOC,<br>223 E. 4 <sup>th</sup> St., PA | Bill Carter<br>360-681-4375      |
| Clallam County Amateur Radio Club general meeting  | 7 pm, 2d Wed of every month    | Port Angeles Fire Station<br>5th and Laurel, PA                  | Chuck Jones N7BV<br>360-452-4672 |
| Clallam County Amateur Radio Club social breakfast | 8 am, 1st Sat of every month   | Joshua's Restaurant<br>Hwy. 101 & Del Guzzi Dr.                  | Chuck Jones N7BV<br>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: |
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## CLUB OFFICERS For 2015

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Board Member: 2d Jeramey Johnson, KF7PMC (253) 254 6225 KF7PMC@gmail.com
Board Member: 1st Yr. Herm Halbach III, KG7WMZ (360) 504-2226 hermhal bach@centurylink.net