



Woodbridge Amateur Radio Club

Agenda for 19 August 2021 General Meeting

Lake Ridge Tall Oaks Community Center and On ZOOM!

- Open Facility and set up Zoom call at 7pm for pre meeting socializing.
- **7:30 - Call to Order**
- **Pledge of Allegiance**
- Round of Introductions
- Technical Presentation – **Direction Finding - in preparation for ARES Foxhunt in – K4MLA Larry Reynolds**
 - o Saturday Sept 18th at 10am. Ending by 4pm, if no one finds the fox
 - o Meeting at Potomac Mills by Costco
 - o Still looking for volunteer fox
- Future Presentations:
 - **September** - Stealth Antennas for HOA restricted QTH's KN4AHN George
 - **October** -Antennas and Feedlines &Test equipment KJ4LR Craig (Remote in from South Carolina)
 - **October** - Club Officer Elections – Butch Ayres
 - **November** - How to read an antenna analyzer
 - **December - Christmas Party** – Britney's – Thursday, Dec 9th - more details will be shared at a later date
 - **January** – Dr Tim Vance – Raspberry Pi discussion
- President's Report –
 - Tank Farm Open House 25-26 September. Event is to help earn money for the New Americans in War Time Museum in Dale City
 - Looking for volunteers to help set-up and operate CW, SSB Voice & Digital, MARS
 - Plan to use Club's GP Small Tent, AB-577 Mast and rotator, maybe club's small trailer
 - Set up on Friday Sep 24, Operate Saturday (25th) and Sunday (26th) tear down evening of the 26th or morning of 27th
 - Entry Fee is OPTIONAL for those working the event
 - Contact Craig Moseley Sr. KJ4LR if interested or have any questions
 - Open House url <https://www.facebook.com/groups/318927451901067/>
 - Nextdoor app – Woodbridge Wireless Inc. Amateur Radio Club Group <https://nextdoor.com/g/07w8uv7zi/>
 - Volunteers needed to perform the following:
 - o Quartermaster to organize and maintain trailers and equipment
 - o Ways and Means Committee
 - o Club Historian Currently vacant.
 - o Broadband HamNet Committee Head
 - o Recruitment – Contact Rob Williams KJ4LWN
 - o Assist with Monthly Presentations committee – Contact Mark Mabardy W4IAD
 - Monday Night Net report – George Corron AF4JH
- Committee Reports
 - Technical Committee / Repeater - Stu Mitchell WA0DYJ
 - Working as expected
 - Website – Larry Bates - KOLB
 - Website up to date with July and Aug minutes
 - 3 club trailers are all registered for the next year
 - Treasurer's & Membership Report – Rob Williams KJ4LWN
 - Banking statements are available to review
 - Education Committee - Rob Williams KJ4LWN
 - Upcoming Classes or Testing sessions – nothing scheduled yet
 - Activities – George Waltsak KN4AHN

Thursday, 19 August 2021

- Sept 11-13 Mountain Top UHF/VHF contest
- Sept 18 – Fox Hunt, Prince William County
- Sept 25-26 Tank Farm Open house <https://www.facebook.com/groups/318927451901067/>
- Oct 3 -Howard County Fairgrounds Hamfest – <http://www.carafest.org>
- Oct 9 – Pennsylvania QSO Party
- Oct 18- 22 – School Club Round Up <http://www.arrl.org/school-club-roundup>
- Dec 9th - Christmas Party at Britney's in Woodbridge
- Jan 29-30 – Winter Field Day <https://www.winterfieldday.com/>
- Feb 5 – Frostfest – Richmond, VA https://frostfest.com/wp/?page_id=53

- New Business
- New member applications – Rob Williams KJ4LWN
 - Identify new applicants
 - Vote new Applicants into the club
 - Welcome new applicants

- Date of Next WARC General Meeting - 16 September via Zoom and In-Person
- Close formal meeting & Pizza at Tacketts Mill?