

PEAKS & NULLS



MORRIS RADIO CLUB

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BILL HUZDIK TO SPEAK

ARRL Hudson Division Vice-Director Bill Huzdik W2UDT will be the guest speaker at the January meeting this coming Monday night, January 22nd. As you know there have been a lot articles going around about changes at the ARRL Executive level along with rebuttals from ARRL

President Rick Roderick, K5UR. Bill will be attending the ARRL Executive Board meeting this weekend in Newington so he will have the latest information to pass on to us. Please let anyone interested know about this meeting

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FT8 ON FIELD DAY

Noel has been bringing up the subject of using FT8 on Field Day. This past Saturday the WSJT message board went wild with comments on the subject. Half of them were the old argument of whether Field Day is a contest or not. Most

of the others thought that it was not practical to use it in the automated mode. Some said that they used JT65 last year and would again this year. Most of the others said that they would stick to the other digital modes.

73'S FOR NOW

Two local call signs have left the area. MRC member Rev. Paul Resch KC2ITU has relocated to Florida. Maybe we can get him to fly up on Field Day to shoot the antenna lines and then fly back. (He is a Major in the Civil Air Patrol). Paul intends to keep up his

MRC membership. Our friend Jyrky AG6SN who we missed at the December Get-together has moved to Atlanta. He may be back in the area from time to time so he may pop into a meeting in the future.



UPCOMING MEETINGS

January 22, 2017 Guest speaker Bill Huzdik W2UDT

(Note: The meeting will be held on the 4th Monday of the month due to the Martin Luther King Holiday)

February 26, 2017 Regular business meeting

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March 19, 2017 Regular business meeting

2018 DUES

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Noel NO2EL is now accepting dues payments for 2018. \$15.00 for full membership, \$10.00 for associate. If you have a PayPal account, dues can now be paid by using Pay-Pal.

SELECTED UPCOMING CONTESTS

CQ 160-Meter Contest, CW	2200Z, Jan 27 to 2200Z, Jan 29
Montana QSO Party	0000Z-2400Z, Jan 28
BARTG RTTY Sprint	1200Z, Jan 28 to 1200Z, Jan 29
Winter Field Day	1900Z, Jan 28 to 1900Z, Jan 29
YLRL YL-OM Contest	1400Z, Feb 3 to 0200Z, Feb 5
Vermont QSO Party	0000Z, Feb 4 to 2400Z, Feb 5
10-10 Int. Winter Contest, SSB	0001Z, Feb 4 to 2359Z, Feb 5
Minnesota QSO Party	1400Z-2400Z, Feb 4
Mexico RTTY International Contest	1800Z, Feb 4 to 1759Z, Feb 5
CQ WW RTTY WPX Contest	0000Z, Feb 11 to 2359Z, Feb 12
New Hampshire QSO Party	1600Z, Feb 11 to 2200Z, Feb 12
ARRL School Club Roundup	1300Z, Feb 13 to 2359Z, Feb 17
ARRL Inter. DX Contest, CW	0000Z, Feb 18 to 2400Z, Feb 19
CQ 160-Meter Contest, SSB	2200Z, Feb 24 to 2200Z, Feb 26



PREDICTED SUNSPOT NUMBER AND RADIO FLUX FOR FEBRUARY 2016

*****SUNSPOT NUMBER*****

*****10.7 RADIO FLUX*****

PREDICTED HIGH LOW

26.9 34.9 18.9

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85.1 92.1 78.1

DECEMBER MEETING MINUTES

There was no business meeting in December. A Holiday Get-Together was held at the East Hanover Diner on December 18. Thirteen members and one guest were in attendance.

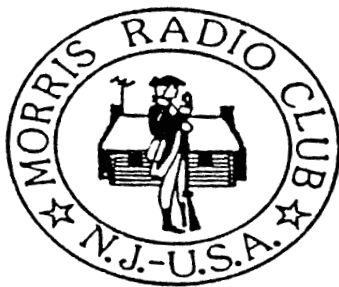


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ALTHOUGH MANY WHO BECOME INTERESTED IN AMATEUR RADIO ARE INVOLVED IN AN ELECTRONICS RELATED FIELD, THE HOBBY APPEALS TO A WIDE VARIETY OF INDIVIDUALS.

THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE MORRIS RADIO CLUB IS A DIVERSE GROUP MADE UP OF MEDICAL, BUSINESS, EDUCATION, AND LAW ENFORCEMENT PROFESSIONALS, AMONG OTHERS, WHOSE COMMON INTERESTS ARE COMMUNICATION, EDUCATION, AND PUBLIC SERVICE.

HAMFEST CALENDAR

New Providence ARC Auction

02/24/2018

Location: New Providence High School
35 Pioneer Drive
New Providence, NJ 07974
Website: <http://nparc.org>