



PEAKS & NULLS

MORRIS RADIO CLUB

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KY2D FETED BY SEEING EYE

On Thursday September 23rd our own Jim KY2D was honored by the Seeing Eye in Morristown. As the retired CEO of the organization Jim was there for the unveiling of his portrait but, the Seeing Eye had another honor for him. As the first graduate to rise to CEO they commissioned a statue of him and Colby one of the dogs he has had since his



first dog Sheba in 1970. This was only the fourth statue commissioned in the 92 year history of the organization. Jim was there along with his wife Ginger and their dogs along with other family members and Seeing Eye board members including former Governor Tom Kean.

Of course we all know Jim for his work on the traffic nets and handling our messages on Field Day. Every month you can find Jim listed in the Public Service Honor Roll in QST.

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SWAP MEET

As you can read in the September minutes, it was decided to add a swap meet to the get-together on the second Monday of the month. Both Noel NO2EL and Rob KC2RDX had equipment listed on the first swap session held on October 11th. Any member is allowed to list equipment that needs a good home.



UPCOMING MEETINGS

October 18, 2021 Virtual Regular business meeting

November 15, 2021 Virtual Regular business meeting

December 20, 2021 December Get-Together Location TBD

SELECTED UPCOMING CONTESTS

10-10 Int. Fall Contest, CW	0001Z, Oct 16 to 2359Z, Oct 17
New York QSO Party	1400Z, Oct 16 to 0200Z, Oct 17
Stew Perry Topband Challenge	1500Z, Oct 16 to 1500Z, Oct 17
Worked All Germany Contest	1500Z, Oct 16 to 1459Z, Oct 17
Asia-Pacific Fall Sprint, CW	0000Z-0200Z, Oct 17
Illinois QSO Party	1700Z, Oct 17 to 0100Z, Oct 18
ARRL School Club Roundup	1300Z, Oct 18 to 2359Z, Oct 22
AGCW Semi-Automatic Key Evening	1900Z-2030Z, Oct 20
ARRL EME Contest	0000Z, Oct 23 to 2359Z, Oct 24
UK/EI DX Contest, SSB	1200Z, Oct 23 to 1200Z, Oct 24
North American SSB Sprint Contest	0000Z-0400Z, Oct 24
CQ Worldwide DX Contest, SSB	0000Z, Oct 30 to 2400Z, Oct 31
Ukrainian DX Contest	1200Z, Nov 6 to 1200Z, Nov 7
ARRL Sweepstakes Contest, CW	2100Z, Nov 6 to 0300Z, Nov 8
High Speed Club CW Contes	1400Z-1700Z, Nov 7
WAE DX Contest, RTTY	0000Z, Nov 13 to 2359Z, Nov 14
10-10 Int. Fall Contest, Digital	0001Z, Nov 13 to 2359Z, Nov 14
JIDX Phone Contest	0700Z, Nov 13 to 1300Z, Nov 14
OK/OM DX Contest, CW	1200Z, Nov 13 to 1200Z, Nov 14
FISTS Saturday Sprint	1600Z-1800Z, Nov 13
CQ-WE Contest	1900Z, Nov 13 to 0500Z, Nov 15



PREDICTED SUNSPOT NUMBER AND RADIO FLUX FOR NOVEMBER 2021

SUNSPOT NUMBER

10.7 RADIO FLUX

PREDICTED HIGH LOW

24.7 34.7 14.7

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78.3 87.3 69.3

VEC EXAMS

Newton NJ
07860-4912

10/15/2021

Sponsor: SCARC**Date:** Oct 15 2021**Time:** 7:00 PM

(Walk-ins allowed)

Contact: Sid Markowitz

(973) 663-0518

Email: k2gg@ieee.org**VEC:** ARRL/VEC

Location: Sussex
County Public Safety
Training
114 Morris Tpke
Newton NJ 07860-4912

Mount Arlington NJ 07856-9999

11/08/2021

Sponsor: Split Rock ARA**Date:** Nov 08 2021**Time:** 7:00 PM

(Walk-ins allowed)

Contact: Sid Markowitz**Email:** k2gg@ieee.org**VEC:** ARRL/VEC

Location: Mt. Arlington Civic Center
11 Fern Place
MUST have an FRN
& email address
Mount Arlington NJ
07856-9999

SEPTEMBER MEETING MINUTES

Morris Radio Club – Meeting Minutes	The actual numbers are available from Noel.	selling out of his house. He had flood damage and decided it was time to close the store.
September 20, 2021	Noel reported a new member Tom KB2ESE who was also present for the meeting. Welcome Tom.	Splitrock has a new call on its repeater. WS2R.
The meeting was held by video teleconferencing		
Attendees (14) K2EMJ, K2SCH, KC2RDX, KY2D, N1MID, NO2EL, W2GM, WA2IMS, WA2VQF, WA2YCI, WR2G, WS2Q, W3CJD, KB2ESE	Pat K2SCH moved that the Treasurers report be accepted. Rob KC2RDX Seconded. The Treasurers report was accepted.	Joe N1MID moved that the meeting be closed. Craig WR2G Seconded
A quorum was present.	Old Business	The meeting was closed at 8:40 PM.
Opening of Meeting President Ed opened the meeting at 8:07 PM	Ed asked for a review of the activity on the 440 machine.	WA2VQF MRC Secretary
Reports:	New Business:	
Secretary – Bill WA2VQF reported that August minutes were issued in the September 2021 Peaks and Nulls Newsletter. No errors have been reported.	Noel brought up the subject of the non-voting membership. He suggested changing the title. It was determined that the official title in Article I Section 3 of the constitution is Associate Membership. The Web Page will be updated changing non-voting to Associate.	
Jim KY2D moved to accept the Secretary report. Craig WR2G seconded. The report was accepted.	It was decided to add a swap meet to the get-together held on the second Monday of the month.	
Noel NO2EL presented the treasurers report for September.	Gene K2KJL has closed his store but, is still in business	

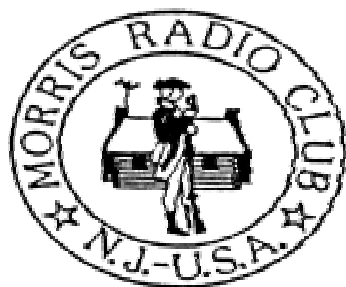


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W2GM	MARK SUGARMAN	VP
WA2VQF	BILL LOFTUS	SECRETARY
NO2EL	NOEL SCHEFFEN	TREASURER

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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

WRAET Hamfest

10/16/2021

Location: United Methodist Church

99 Parish Drive

Wayne, NJ 07470

Website: <http://wraet.com>