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SEMARC BOARD MEETING

Our next meeting is the board meeting on May 8th. Location is Zion Lutheran Church and the time is 7:00pm. Any member may attend this planning session. Board members and committee chairs are usually present.

SEMARC BREAKFAST

We will gather this month on the same day as VE testing, May 19th for breakfast at The North Pole Restaurant in Newport at 7:30 am. No reservations just show up for a good breakfast and great company. We will be in the back room.

REGULAR MEMBER MEETING

Our next regular member meeting is May 29th. Location is Zion Lutheran Church at 7:00 pm.

The program is open at this time. May be a review of the Dayton Hamvention or some other topic to be announced.

We will have refreshments as usual with coffee and water supplied by the club and some cookies from members with May birthdays. If you have a birthday in May, please bring along a few cookies for your friends.

NOTE FROM THE PREZ, RYC KDØZWM

As I write we are less than one week from our salute to the USS Ward. My father was a naval air cadet during WWII so I'm very much looking forward to this!

Field Day, our First Responder station, Fox Hunt, breakfasts and picnic will keep us busy this summer. I hope to see all of you attend at least one event. 73

Ryc Lyden KDØZWM

ARES NEWS - JOHN REGAN, KAØHYR

John has published a new ARES newsletter on the ARES website. Please go and get all the latest information there.

There are changes coming to ARES from ARRL HQ. Please stay informed at the ARRL website or read the info on the www.mnwashcoares.org website.

Our REP Training and Drill dates have

The Digital Corner

Digital Net follows SEMARC net on Wed pm.
Go to www.w1hkj.com for software & help.

Fldigi v. 3.23.09 Flmsg v. 2.0.17
Flamp v. 2.1.03 Flwrap v. 1.3.4

Meet on 146.985 and QSX to 144.950.
Mode is BPSK125. Other modes possible.
Sign up with NØUC for net bulletins & help.

firmed up. They are as follows:

1. On-line training as you can complete it; see URL below
2. Hands-on Training on Wednesday, May 23; see times below.
3. REP Drill on Tuesday, June 12th at 5 PM; Park High School.

We will need 14-16 Amateur Radio members to conduct this drill in support of Washington County.

Please put these dates in your calendar. I will ask for commitments as we get closer to them.

VE SESSION REPORT

The April 21st VE session had 3 candidates with all passing Tech. All took their general test for [practice. They will be back.

The next VE session will be May 19th.

SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE REPORT

Look for more news in June.

SPECIAL OPERATING EVENT 2018

We have selected an event about the USS Ward. Our date in May 8, 2018. The call is W2W and will be published in May QST. Contact Brian or John to participate.

Bring your ideas for other events to a meeting and join in the fun.

SEMARC MEMBER CORNER

The May Member's Corner is attached. It features Fred Sauer KDØCO and Laura Fairbanks KEØQIF. One old member and one new.

DIGITAL NET ON VACATION

The digital net is on vacation for a few months for lack of interest. We will check on interest in the late summer or call.

SEMARC WEBSITE

Go to www.semarc.org for latest info on club and projects.

Thanks to Dick Roberts our webmaster for his fine work.

SEMARC NEWSLETTER SUBMISSIONS

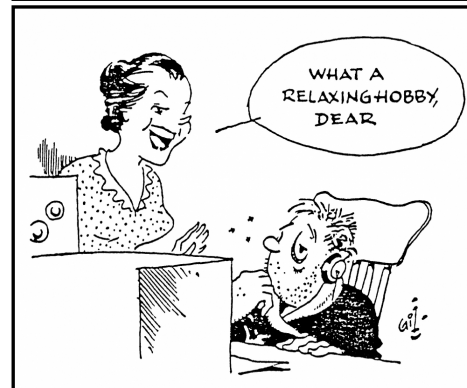
If you have some material for the newsletter you should contact Skip before the first of the month. Please call him at 651-260-4330 to offer suggestions or to add content.

Have a topic for a program? Please contact Skip and we will work it in.

WANT AD

2 old antique crank telephones for sale
Wall mount in oak

Contact Skip



Planning Calendar

May 5 - (S) ARAC Hamfest (Superior)
 May 8 - (T) Special Event W2W
 May 8 - (T) Board Meeting
 May 18-20 Xenia Hamvention
 May 19 - (S) Breakfast & VE Session
 May 29 - (T) Member Meeting
 Jun 12 - (T) Board Meeting
 Jun 23-24 Field Day
 Jun 26 - (T) NO MEETING

SEMARC VE Sessions

VE exam sessions are held every 3rd Saturday. The next VE session is May 19th. Exams are held at 9:00 am at Zion Lutheran Church. Call 651-769-0358 for information, to register or to arrange for special needs. Information is posted on the webpages also. No testing in December.

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