

# SPURIOUS EMISSION

ORLEANS COUNTY AMATEUR RADIO CLUB (OCARC)

14064 West County House Road Albion, New York 14411

OCARC Newsletter May 2013

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## Meeting Time

The Orleans County Amateur Radio Club (OCARC) meets at 7:30 p.m. on the 2nd Monday of the month at the Orleans County Emergency Management Office at 14064 West County House Road in Albion, New York except in September when we have a dinner meeting. The next meeting will be May 13, 2013 at the EMO office. Refreshments are (food) Steve WF2S and (drink) Steve KZ2R.

## Club Officers

President: Terry Cook K2EYS

Vice President: Chuck Lind N8CL

Secy: Steve Licht WF2S

Treas: Wayne King N2WK

Dir: Bruce Sidari WA2TMC

Net Mgr: Marion Toussaint KA2BCE

Contest Mgr: Wayne King N2WK

Programs: Bruce Sidari WA2TMC

## ORLEANS CO. AMATEUR RADIO CLUB 2-METER NET

WA2DQL repeater 144.67 MHz  
in/145.27 MHz out with a tone of  
141.3. Every Tuesday night at 9:00PM

We will be calling for officers first  
then anyone else that wishes to join in.

We also have a simplex net once a  
month on the Third Monday at 9:00PM  
on 145.270.

Upcoming net control stations are:

May 7	KA2BCF	Dick
May 14	K2EYS	Terry
May 20	KA2BCE simplex	Marion
May 21	WA2TMC	Bruce
May 28	KA2BCE	Marion

## Thanks From K2EDW, Ed

Thank you to all who helped with my antenna raising party. New antenna is up and operational. Only problem still existing is getting the antenna to turn automatically via the computer. Even support from HRD has not been able to figure this one out yet. Pictures can be found on our club web site, [www.ocarc.us](http://www.ocarc.us)

## OTHER 2-METER NETS

2 Meter Sideband Net 144.260 USB 9:00 Mondays

Lara (Lockport Amateur Radio Club)

Sunday 8 p. m. 146.820

Swapnet after regular net Sept- May

## From The Desk of The Pres

We are now entering into the month of May and the start of warm weather. That means it is a good time to get out your portable stations and make sure they all work and then go out and work the air ways.

Now that I have my new Icom 7000 I am ready to get out there and enjoy the weather and the airways. I will try and send a email out to let everybody know when I am going out and where and you can bring your radio and antenna and join me and I hope you will do the same thing. Some of the places you can set up in the Marine Park, Pine Hill, and Glenwood Lake as I am sure there are plenty more places.

A work Bee is set up for Ed's K2EDW house to put you a new Hex Beam antenna. I hope we are able to get together and help more hams with there Radio Stations.

The Dayton Hamvention is this month and a lot of us are going. For the new people you will be amazed at what you see. As for the rest of us I am sure we will enjoy it again another year. It is also time to think about Field Day and save the 4th weekend of June to come and operate. It is good experience for everybody.

The Special Event is Started. The weekend of Aug 23-25 will be set aside for the event. It will be Called The Flight of 5 witch is for the restoring of the original Locks in Lockport on the Erie Canal. I put in for a special Call of W2W. The best I could do. There will be more on this in the future but if we all could work at less 2 hours I believe we can make it work.

Terry K2EYS

ORLEANS COUNTY AMATEUR RADIO CLUB

Minutes of April 8, 2013

7:30 pm Meeting opened by President, K2EYS, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance. A welcome was extended to our newest member, Joe Gangi, KD2DTK.

The Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Treasurer's Report: \$xxxx.xx with \$20 in cash receipts from dues. Sent to audit.

WA2TMC: The antenna on his car was waterlogged, not the repeater !

N2WK: No contest news

Canal Special Event: K2EYS has contacted Erie Canal Officials. They will provide necessary permission documents.

Dayton Hamfest: All ticket money must be paid to Marion, KA2BCE.

NEW: Shirley Cataldi donated several VHF antennas to the club. They will be listed in the next newsletter and club members allowed to bid on them to benefit the club treasury.

WA2TMC: Offered various electronic parts and components for any homebrew projects, just contact him !

KZ2R: We have been asked to limit the newsletter to 4 pages for postage reasons. Please have any info to the editor at least one week prior to the first of the month. There is no report on the Repeater Council, but WA2DQL has paid its dues for 2013.

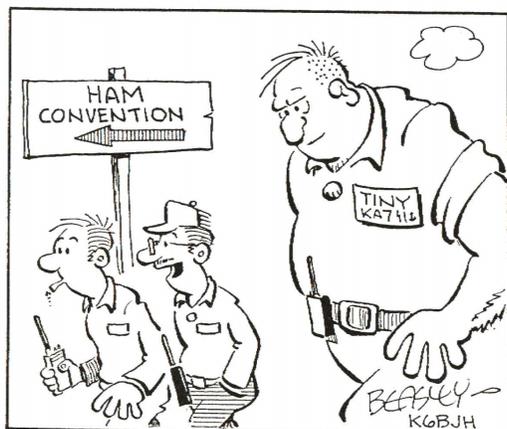
K2EYS: Has once again messed up the compressed air gun. He lodged the projectile in a high tree limb !

50-50 Raffles netted \$20 to the treasury.

7:50 pm the meeting was adjourned.

Program: K2DB presented his remote operation of a HF station in Northern New York from his home in Monroe County.

WF2S, Steve Licht  
Secretary



EVER NOTICE HOW THE GUYS WITH THE DEEP,  
BOOMING VOICES ARE USUALLY RUNTS? I WONDER  
HOW DINKY OL' TINY IS

## Silent Key K2ZUT

John Paul Maha

BATAVIA — John Paul Maha, 80, of Batavia died Monday (April 22, 2013) at the Batavia VA Medical Center after a long battle with cancer.

John was born Sept. 14, 1932, in Warsaw.

A U.S. Army veteran, he specialized in communications and was a ham operator for over 30 years. Mr. Maha was a hard worker for many years for Demerly Communications, which later became Tatarka Technologies in Batavia.

John is predeceased by his parents, John J. and Mary (Goodenow) Maha, formerly of Corfu; a brother, Dennis Frank Maha, formerly of Dansville; and a sister, Lorraine A. Cleere, formerly of Seneca Falls. Survivors include a brother, Gary T. (Susan) Maha of Batavia; three sisters, Mary Joan (Mark) Vaughn of Medina, Diane (Bill) Shamp of Oakfield and Susan (Frank) Fuchs of Florida; a brother-in-law, Thomas Cleere of Seneca Falls and several nieces and nephews.

There are no prior calling hours and a private memorial service will be held at a later date. Memorials may be made to a charity of the donor's choice.

Please leave a condolence, share a story or light a candle at [www.bataviafuneralhomes.com](http://www.bataviafuneralhomes.com). Arrangements were completed by the H.E. Turner & Co. Funeral Home of Batavia.

## OCARC APRIL 2013 NET CHECK-IN'S

AA2ZW	4
K2EYS	6
K2EDW	2
K2RLB	1
K2AAC	1
KA2BCE	6
KA2BCF	6
KA2DYN	1
KB2TTN	3
KB1JAE	1
KC2EZJ	5
KC2HZM	3
KC2ZZV	2
KD2CKS	2
KD2DCB	4
KD2DTK	6
N2ABX	2
N2VDR	2
NR2C	2
WA2HNA	4
WA2TMC	1
WF2S	2
N8CL	2

73 all and keep up the good work! Marion KA2BCE

## NAQP Preliminary Results from Feb. 2013

The OCARC is in 12th place in the team standings. Nice job Team!  
We can do better and I hope we can make the top five soon.

Just below the team standings are the top NY scores. The OCARC  
has six of the top ten scores in NEW YORK State.

### Team Scores

SWACC (K6LL,AA3B,WA5ZUP,W4GKM,W7WW) 769,289  
NCCC #1 (W7RN,N6RO,N6IE,W1RH,N6ZFO) 657,205  
SMC #1 (N9CK,WE9V,K9CT,A19T,K9NR) 581,557  
DFW Contest Group #1 (AB5K,W5GWH,AD5XD,N3BUO,AC5T) 510,321  
NCCC #2 (K9YC,K6LRN,N2NS,K6GT,W4UAT) 392,435  
LCC #1 (AA5AU,N5ZM,NX8G/5,N5RN,K5ER) 379,630  
SDXA Team 1 (WA1PMA,W6AEA,K7TQ,WA0WWW,K7GS) 367,250  
Marks in Space (K7QQ,NW7D,AB7R,NG7Z,W7OM) 311,369  
GMC POINT MINERS #1 (W0LSD,N0TA,W0RAA,W7RTX) 309,278  
SMC #3 (K9WX,WR9D,K3WA,N7US,AJ9C) 306,560  
NCCC #3 (W6OAT,K6GHA,N6EE,WU6W,KO6LU) 277,755  
OCARC #1 (N2WK,WA2TMC,N8CL,NR2C,KZ2R) 273,022  
CGQ (VA2UP,VE2FK,VE2EBK,VA2SG,VE2SG) 264,538  
PVRC 2 (K4GMH,N2QT,AA4FU) 243,410  
NCC Team#1.5 (N2CU,K3GP,ND8L,W8CAR) 210,510  
DFW Contest Group #3 (WB5TUF,K5RZA,N5RZ,N5TIT) 175,945  
Be (AB4GG,WB4YDL,KD4VVC,N2WN) 167,336  
NCC Team#1 (WW3S,W8KEN,K8BL,W8WTS,WB2ABD) 154,152  
SECC (WF4W,WB2RHM,W4UK,W5EW,AA4LR) 152,246  
SMC #4 (KD9MS,K9OR,K9ZM,K9DUR) 143,304  
RTTY Masters (N6ERD/1,W1BYH,W1CTN) 142,695  
NCCC #4 (WB6JJ,N6DZR,K6UM,K6KYJ,K6OK) 136,624  
DIGI OWLS 1 (KA2D,N2MUN,KS2G,N2YBB,K2QMF) 128,833  
SMC #2 (AA8R,WM9Q,KB9NW,WU9D) 115,146  
PVRC 3 (NR4M,N3QE,AB3IC) 112,324  
Milford Ohio ARC (K8DV,WS6K,KC8RPV,N8DWN) 99,486  
RTTY twits (NS0D,KK4CIS,VA5LF) 98,999  
ACG #2 (AA4U,WO4D,WA8HSB) 97,632  
GMC Point Miners #2 (W0EM,K0RFD) 83,387  
Nanaimo Amateur Radio Association (VE7BSM,VE7DXH,VE7FCO,VE7BGP) 81,587  
DFW Contest Group #2 (K5CI,K7RB,AD5ST) 78,117  
VARA PLUS (W4PJW,N5SMQ,AD4TJ) 77,280

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N2WK 98,685 645 153 NY OCARC #1  
N2CU 70,560 490 144 NY NCC Team#1.5  
KA2D 56,507 467 121 NY DIGI OWLS 1  
W2GR 55,044 417 132 NY  
WA2TMC 53,019 411 129 NY OCARC #1  
N8CL 52,460 430 122 NY OCARC #1  
WF2S 47,784 362 132 NY  
WA2LXE 45,141 367 123 NJ  
NR2C 36,972 316 117 NY OCARC #1  
KZ2R 31,886 298 107 NY OCARC #1