

# SPURIOUS EMISSION

## ORLEANS COUNTY AMATEUR RADIO CLUB (OCARC)

14064 West County House Road Albion, New York 14411

OCARC Newsletter June 2014

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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 June 9, 2014 at the EMO office.

Refreshments provided by Dick KA2BCF and Marion KA2BCE.

### Club Officers

President: Terry Cook K2EYS

Vice President: Chuck Lind N8CL

Secy: Jeff Strickland KD2CKS

Treas: Wayne King N2WK

Dir: Bruce Sidari WA2TMC

Net Mgr: Joe Gangi AC2NB

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:

June 3	AC2NB	Joe
June 10	KD2GED	Michelle
June 16	AC2NB simplex	Joe
June 17	K2EYS	Terry
June 24	KD2CKS	Jeff

### 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 Editor

Well, the Dayton Hamvention has come and gone for another year. Even though the weather didn't cooperate, I had a GREAT time. It was cold, rainy and even a short hail storm on Saturday morning. K2EYS, WZ2MM and I stayed for an extra night so we could be well rested for our trip back home. We found a great eating place within walking distance of the hotel. There was a lot of excitement in the ARRL area for the "ARRL Centennial Celebration". The climax of this celebration will be the Centennial convention in Hartford Connecticut on July 17-19. At least

one member of our club is planning on attending. The OCARC was well represented at Dayton this year. If my memory serves me correctly the following members attended: K2EYS, WA2TMC, NR2C, WZ2MM, N8CL, KC2HZM (and Darlene), WF2S (and Malissa), WB2GLU (I believe a door prize winner) and KZ2R. Jeff, KD2CKS, didn't attend, but had me buy him a ticket for the prizes.

He won a very nice door prize. Mike and I are anxiously awaiting shipment this week of our big ticket items purchased.

Field day is coming up REAL soon, June 28-29. I was able to get the memory upgrades for our club computers at Dayton. All of our club computers now have at least 2 GB of memory. I hope EVERYONE will take the opportunity to come the our EMO site and operate, even if for only a short time. We will be setting up on Friday, June 27th.

DX and domestic contacts has been the agenda for me since getting back from Dayton. I guess the most of my time has been spent on the ARRL Centennial challenge and the contact of W1AW stations around the US. For the W1AW contacts, club members Steve, WF2S is in first place and Wayne, N2WK is in second place for NYS. In the Centennial points challenge members Wayne, N2WK is in second place and Steve, KZ2R is in sixth place for NYS. It is a lot of fun. My goal is to get "Worked All States" contacting the same call, W1AW.

73 & GOOD DX  
de KZ2R

# ORLEANS COUNTY AMATEUR RADIO CLUB

## MONTHLY MEETING - MAY 12, 2014

7:30 Meeting Called to Order  
"Pledge of Allegiance" said

Secretaries Report :

Approved as written in the Newsletter Motioned by Ray N2VDR Seconded by Paul KD2PTM

Treasurer's Report by K2EYS Total \$xxxx.xx

OLD BUSINESS:

7:35 Field Day Report - Chuck N8CL Absent -Not Much to Report

7:37 Annual Dinner - Reported by WF2S - \$15 per pers. @ 237 Platt St. Masonic Lodge, Albion

7:40 Club Picnic - K2EYS Reports @ Glenwood Lake ? Terry will try to Reserve it for that date again.  
Bruce Suggested another "Fox Hunt" Attempt

7:45 Dx Engineering Order - Where is it? K2EYS said it 's Coming !!

NEW BUSINESS:

7:48 Projects: K2EYS -made an Antenna Line Shooter for the Club Members to borrow.

7:50 DAYTON: KA2BCE - Has the Tickets

8:00 CONGRATULATIONS:

Cliff W2ODY has Earned WAS (Worked ALL STATES) Congratulations Cliff !!!

8:05 ECHOLINK REPORT:

KC2HZM Reports that Echolink is up and running but not going to last much longer with the outdated equipt.

Needs Updated Equipt. If we want to keep it going - Tabled for further Discussion & Vote

8:10 LIGHTHOUSE EVENT:

K2EYS reports event will be coming up in August 16th & 17th

AC2NB MOTIONED TO ADJOURN THE MEETING AND N2VDR 2ND'D IT .

8:15 MEETING ADJOURNED

May 12th Minutes of the meeting - Respectfully submitted by Jeff Strickland KD2CKS

## ARRL FIELD DAY '14

Field Day is part educational event, part operating event, part public relations event – and ALL about FUN!

### - OBJECTIVE

To work as many stations as possible on any and all amateur bands (excluding the 60, 30, 17, and 12-meter bands) and to learn to operate in abnormal situations in less than optimal conditions. Field Day is open to all amateurs in the areas covered by the ARRL/RAC Field Organizations and countries within IARU Region 2. DX stations residing in other regions may be contacted for credit, but are not eligible to submit entries.

### - DATES

Field Day is always the fourth full weekend of June, beginning at 1800 UTC Saturday and running through 2059 UTC Sunday. Field Day 2014 is June 28-29.



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# Batavia Hamfest

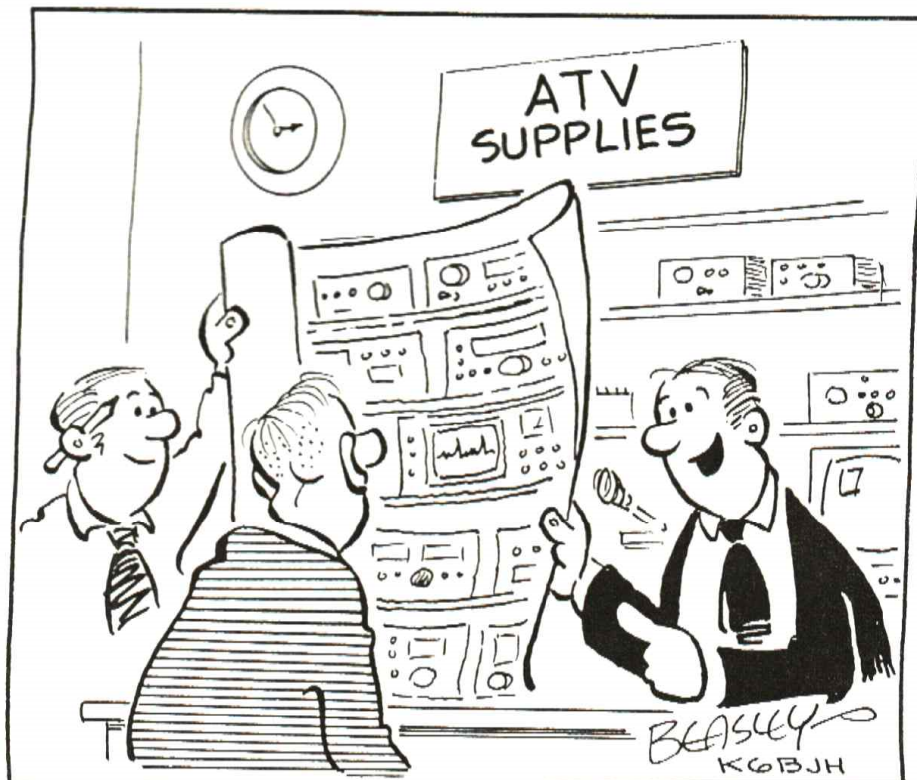
**Saturday - July 19, 2014** Alexander Firemen Grounds - \$7.00 admission and free tailgating

10708 Alexander Rd. Route 98, One mile south of Rt 20 , Alexander NY14005

.Outdoor Flea Market - with the same venue as prior years 6:00am - till Buy / Sell - VE Exam - Ham radio vendors - electronic equipment

Overnight Camping Allowed - Arrive after 6PM on Friday ( the night before hamfest ) Hamfest Questions Contact Luke N2GDU 716-481-5747

To register for the VE exam - email John Maxwell [maxwell@acsu.buffalo.edu](mailto:maxwell@acsu.buffalo.edu) or Call 716--404-9256 .Talk In: 147.285 PL 141.3 Batavia repeater



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