

# Salem Amateur Radio Club



## W7SAA Newsletter

April 2022 Volume 4 Issue 4

### President's Corner

Hello SARC crew,  
Testing / Classes / Hamcamp

VE Testing continues to be successful! At our most recent session 6 individuals attended, all getting their tech license or receiving an upgrade. Our next testing session will be April 18th at the Macleay Grange. The following month will be in Dallas, on May 21st. More information can be found on our website and club calendar.

Technician classes are still in the works and we are planning to have our first one in the fall.

HamCamp is getting close to being launched, its been very exciting to see its development. This is something that will be initially aimed at the newly licensed to help them ramp up quickly with information and resources. Patrick, KK7DVC, has been taking the lead on this, shout out to him and his efforts!

Field Day is fast approaching! We are getting started on the planning now. The 4H Camp in West Salem is reserved for June 24th - 26th. We are going to need help setting up, tearing down, cooking, and several other items. We want you to attend and participate. More information will come out soon.

FCC Application Fees are coming! If you haven't seen the news, a \$35 fee will be due when you get or modify your license. The fees start in April, so make your modifications now!

Club BBQ on July 17th is being planned, this occurs during a Support Your Parks weekend. We are planning on having a gathering at a park location that is part of the POTA system and activate the park with the club callsign. Put it on your calendars now, more details will come soon!

Sad news, Dan Judy - KE7DLA - has passed away recently. He was a member of our club for a long time and contributed a lot over the years. He will be missed by many

Nick Barwig / K7DSG  
SARC President



## Board Meeting

DATE. March 8, 2022  
TIME. 6:50 pm  
PLACE. Macleay Grange

### ATTENDANCE

President Nick Barwig.	K7DSG
Vice Pres. Mike Reed.	KJ7BRF
Treasurer John Jackson	W7SDP
Secretary. Mary Pardo	KJ6IDA
Carl Engstrom	KF7BBR
Norm Walters	KK7ACE
T J Sparks.	K7AVG
Will Hoyt.	K7WJH
Andrew Hemenway	KJ7ZYM
Mark Doucette	KI7FCV
Vicki Doucette	
Patrick Pardo	KK7DCW
Jeff Crabill	N7DS

President Nick Barwig opened the meeting. Jeff discussed returning classes and testing back to the club. Provide us with literature slides power points. Looking into classes twice a year, testing at the grange. Looking for teachers.

Patrick Pardo is heading up ham camp. Andrew Hemenway and T J Sparks will be helping.

Help new people get over mic shyness. Learn how to program radios. Radio capabilities connections. Looking for availability of handouts.

Bad news. Club was scammed out of \$900. While trying to acquire equipment for the club, involved someone familiar with the equipment. Law enforcement and inquiry with the bank to try to recover the loss. If any amount can be retrieved it will be returned to the club. Club will cover the cost of the loss and no one will be personally held responsible.

New tower is available, free from Capital Manor Apts. We must provide removal. Letter from President on club letterhead will be drawn up releasing Capital Manor of any liability.

Summer Field Day tour of 4 H Club site is scheduled for Sunday March 27th. 1 pm. Email will be sent with a map, directions, and more information. Looking for participation for food, events.

V E testing ham radio licenses will be held Monday March 21st at Macleay Grange at 7pm.

Grange keys to the front door will not be distributed. One key will be in the lock box. Mary Pardo has the second key as acting president of the Grange.

Club B B Q will be held July 17th in conjunction with Support Your Parks celebration. Looking for information on Salem Amateur Radio Club history. Club will supply hamburgers hotdogs and drinks. Participants to bring side dishes potluck style.

Motion to adjourn at 8:10 pm

Next general meeting will be March 22nd at Denny's restaurant  
3155 Ryan St at Hawthorne

Next Grange meeting at Macleay Grange March 16th

Next Board meeting at Macleay Grange is April 12th.

No new information on our loss as of this date/time



## GENERAL MEETING MINUTES

DATE. March 22, 2022  
TIME. 7pm  
LOCATION. Denny's Restaurant (3155 Ryan Dr Salem)

President. Nick Barwig  
Vice President Mike Reed  
Treasurer. John Jackson  
Secretary. Mary Pardo

(President) Nick called the meeting to order promptly 7pm. We stood for the pledge of Allegiance. We had 24 attendees, one visitor. We did round table introductions. Michael shared results of Monday night ham testing at the Macleay Grange held March 21st. Out of 6 people, 5 new ham radio techs passed and have received ham call signs (within 18 hours). New application fee will be increased from \$10 to \$35 scheduled for April. Fee was mandated by Congress. Individuals can register and pay fees prior to testing on FCC websites. We are preparing for Field day scheduled for the last weekend of June. To be held at 4H Club. Looking for many people to get involved and participate. We will get on the air and make contacts.

Dan Judy, long time club member has passed away.

Club family BBQ is scheduled for July 17th in conjunction with support your parks.

Website has added "For Sale" section.

Ham camp and classes are coming. Currently working on programs and collecting suggestions and ideas.

Mark has collected the donated tower to be installed at the repeater site.

Chris is looking into receiving grant money to be donated to our club. We are 501c non profit organization. Putting together list of items needed for the club, from American Radio Digital Foundation. Com.

Latest update on \$900 scammed from club funds, Nick went to the bank. Money was channeled through PayPal "friends and family" and will be refunded back to our account. An investigation will be conducted by PayPal and will take 45 days to finalize, and verify that it wasn't anyone in our club. Hopefully find the thief.

Nick and Mike (Reed) did a presentation on antennas hooking up a radio to an antenna on a tripod. We were able to get some reception inside Denny's Restaurant.

Raffle was conducted, meeting adjourned 8:10 pm.

Next board meeting will be at the Macleay Grange April 12, 2022

Next Macleay Grange meeting April 20, 2022

Next General meeting April 26, 2022

Added note regarding \$900 scam. Verified through notes. As of February 19th nothing from swap meet was found on equipment we were looking for. As of February 22 General meeting Nick stated someone from California had reached out to him with what he was looking for. Very knowledgeable. March 8th board meeting the scam had been explained.

## ARRL NW DIVISION NEWSLETTER – MAR 23, 2022

First, let me open by stating that I really enjoyed my time at the Salem Hamfest at the end of February, and the Mike and Key Hamfest up in Puyallup, WA this month. It was wonderful to peruse the treasures vendors brought to the events, and meet and talk to quite a few hams; quite a few I hadn't seen in person since the pandemic began in early 2020. It seems that things are slowly getting back to normal, and now I can't wait to get to Seaside, OR, and our ARRL Northwestern Division Convention at SEA-PAC in June. I'll be all over the place there, so if you see me, say HI! (The latest news regarding ARRL attendance at SEA-PAC later in this newsletter.)

### US FOREST SERVICE EXTENDS COMMENT PERIOD ON NEW FEES

On February 22nd ARRL Legal Counsel, David Siddall, K3ZJ informed us that the US Forest Service has sent a Notice to the Federal Register announcing that they have re-opened the window for comments on the proposed new \$1400 annual administrative fee for amateur repeater sites on their land, and in fact, all users. This means that amateurs that may have missed the earlier comment period, or who wish to file additional arguments and information, can submit new filings between now and March 31. A copy of the Notice published on March 1 is here: <https://public-inspection.federalregister.gov/2022-04254.pdf>.

Please note the proposed fee is a new and separate fee, not an increase to fees (such as rent) already being paid. If adopted, the existing fee(s) – which generally have been around \$130-140 annually for amateur uses – would have to be paid in addition to the new proposed annual administrative fee of \$1400. This would put amateur installations on par with those of commercial wireless entities such as broadcasters, cellular providers and broadband entities.

Also on February 22nd the ARRL filed their official comments in strong opposition to the new fees. The comments may be accessed here: <https://www.regulations.gov/comment/FS-2022-0001-0749>  
The ARRL will most likely be filing a second set of comments prior to this new deadline

### ARRL FOUNDATION NEWS

I received notice from ARRL Honorary VP and Foundation Scholarship Chair Jim Fenstermaker, K9JF, today that after several month of delays due to moving to a new web-based application and vetting process, we will start the long process vetting for the 100 plus scholarships in a few days. In addition, it's expected that at the end of April the first application window will open for the new ARRL Foundation Club Grant program. We expect to start vetting for those applications in the late June/early July timeframe. As a member of the Scholarship Committee, and recently named as Chair of the new Club Grant Application Scoring sub-committee I see lots of work in my future, as if I don't have enough already!

While we are on the subject of grants, lots of interest has been raised on the new ARRL Club grant program that will soon be available for both ARRL affiliated, and non-ARRL affiliated organizations. Grants are a great way to fund small and large projects that your club might be interested in. There is also a bit of confusion about just what some of them are, and what the differences are. Spend a few minutes to look over the websites and talk with your club, as this is a valuable resource that clubs can use to build amateur radio's future in an ever-changing technology world. Let's look at the details of the two major ARRL programs available:

**ARRL Foundation Grants:** These grants are awarded by the ARRL Foundation to clubs and organizations promoting amateur radio. The maximum grant is \$3000, and the specific uses of the funds are restricted to specific projects. The details of just what you can use the money for and how to apply are on the ARRL website at Amateur Radio Grants ([arrl.org](http://arrl.org)). There are specific times during the year to apply, and all the information is on the website.

**ARRL Club Grant Program:** This program is new and still in development having just been announced in January around the time of the ARRL Board of Directors meeting. This program will allow clubs to apply for up to \$25,000 for specific projects, and is funded by a \$500,000 grant from the Amateur Radio Digital Communications group (ARDC). The details of how the funding can be used and how to apply have not been formally announced yet. Stay tuned for more information on this program.

Related to the new ARRL Club Grant program, the following is from ARRL Field Services Manager Mike Walters, W8ZY, and is lifted from the ARRL Club Newsletter published on March 22nd:

“You may have heard of the ARRL Foundation Club Grants Program. More information is coming on that, but one part of the program that you may not have heard about, is a new project to provide help to clubs who are seeking grants. This is being launched along with the grants program. It entails two distinct types of club mentors.

The first is the “Club Grants Coach”. This is a person that can collaborate with a club to help them create or refine a grant application. As grant applications come in there will be some that need assistance with the process. This person should be able to work with a club to help visualize and present their ideas for a grant. They will not be responsible for writing the applications, but they will be helping the clubs get organized and through the application process. Grants Coaches will start work after the first round of applications.

The second is a “Club Mentor”. This person will work with a club that may be struggling to survive, helping them reorganize or structure programs to help the club grow. Some clubs are on virtual life support and can benefit from a Mentor to help them develop new outlooks and ideas and execute a rebuilding program for their club. Both positions will receive training in the processes that they will need to do the jobs and will be supported by the Field Services Team at ARRL. The expected formation of these positions is planned for over the course of the next several months as the grants program develop. If you are interested in either of these volunteer roles, please let me know at [mwalters@arrl.org](mailto:mwalters@arrl.org). I am starting a list for future teams.”

## NEW \$35 FCC APPLICATION FEES FOR AMATEUR LICENSE APPLICATIONS SET TO START APRIL 19, 2022

ARRL FCC Counsel David Siddall, K3ZJ sent an e-mail today out announcing that the FCC has now set the date for when it will require the new \$35 fee to be collected for all amateur radio license applications that are not an administrative change, such as a change of name or mailing address. That date is April 19, 2022. The official release from the FCC is below:

“MD Docket No. 20-270

On December 23, 2020, the Commission adopted a Report and Order implementing a new application fee schedule which significantly updated the Commission’s previous fee schedule.

As indicated in the 2020 Application Fee Report and Order, the new application fee rates will become effective when the Commission’s “information technology systems and internal procedures have been updated, and the Commission publishes notice(s) in the Federal Register announcing the effective date of such rules.”

On July 6, 2021, the Commission announced the new application fee rates for the Office of Engineering and Technology and the Media Bureau would become effective on July 15, 2021 and on December 15, 2021, the Commission announced the new application fee rates for the Wireline Competition Bureau, the Enforcement Bureau, the International Bureau, and CALEA Petitions would become effective on December 15, 2021. This Public Notice announces that the new application fee rates for the Wireless Telecommunications Bureau, codified at 47 CFR § 1.1102, will become effective on April 19, 2022.

Wireless application fees can be paid through the Commission’s Universal Licensing System (ULS) at <https://www.fcc.gov/wireless/universal-licensing-system>.”

Three things you need to know:

1. All fees collected can be submitted only via the FCC ULS website by the applicant, or by somebody on their behalf. The VECs and their test examiners themselves will not be collecting any FCC fees when tests are administered. Once you pass a test you will have a certain amount of time following the application submission by the VEC to log into the FCC ULS website and pay your fee.
2. Fees will now be collected for each vanity call application, and NOT refunded if you do not win a competitive bid for a particular callsign.
3. If you are considering a vanity callsign at all, NOW IS THE TIME TO APPLY!

### ARRL ANNOUNCES NEW INTERNATIONAL DIGITAL CONTEST

The ARRL has just released rules for a new digital HF+ contest! (The “+” because it includes six meters). As part of removing the FT-x modes from the ARRL RTTY Roundup contest for 2023 and beyond, (making the contest RTTY only), the ARRL has created a new contest aimed for fans of the FT-x, and other “non-RTTY” digital modes. This contest has a few twists in it, including the use of “distance base scoring”, where the stations you work in the contest that are farther from your grid square are worth more points. Unfortunately for us here in the Northwest it falls on the same weekend as SEA-PAC, but it’s hard to find a weekend that doesn’t have a big contest in it.

This new contest came from a collaboration between the Program and Services Committee, (PSC), the Contest Advisory Committee, and ARRL staff.

For more information on the new contest check out the ARRL website page:

<http://arrl.org/arrl-digital-contest>

### CLARK COUNTY AMATEUR RADIO CLUB TO HOST THE “LEWIS & CLARK TRAIL ON THE AIR” OPERATING EVENT

The Clark County Amateur Radio Club, out of Vancouver, WA will be hosting a new event, “The Lewis and Clark Trail on the Air”, (LCTOTA) to start this June 2022. The Lewis and Clark Trail OTA is being organized by a committee of CCARC members, and will be active from June 4-19, 2022.

Lewis and Clark traveled through 16 states, and the club is working on getting a club from each state to activate. There will be certificates sent out for those that contact all 16, and another certificate for those that contact less than 16.

The club sees this as a chance to promote the Lewis and Clark Expedition and honor them for their achievement by bringing them in to the amateur radio world of 2022. Mark your calendars for this special event and see how many contacts you can make. More information can be found on their website: <http://www.LCTOTA.org>, or their Facebook page: <https://www.facebook.com/LewisandClarkOTA>

## **ARRL PARTICIPATION AT SEA-PAC**

At this point in time, SEA-PAC is still a GO, and everything is looking like it will be a great success. ARRL HQ is sending out a top-notch team to man the ARRL booth, and some HQ officials will also provide training seminars this year. The ARRL Team from HQ:

Rick Roderick, K5UR, ARRL President

David Minster, NA2AA, ARRL CEO

Josh Johnston, KE5MHV, ARRL Director of Emergency Management

Kathleen Callahan, KC1MBY, Director of Membership, Marketing & Communications

Bob Inderbitzen, NQ1R, ARRL Director of Public Relations and Innovation

In addition, both Mark and I will be attendance, along with several of the Division Section Managers.

In the Friday EMCOMM workshop Josh will be presenting “ARES® and the Local Disaster: a discussion of the role of the Amateur Radio Emergency Service (ARES) and some ways and ideas to work with and support the local served agencies” As a Saturday seminar, Josh will also present “Technology in EMCOMM: a look at some of the proven and emerging technologies in emergency communications.”

My understanding at this moment is that I will be doing three presentations on “Mitigating FCC RF Exposure Limits”, to differing audiences during SEA-PAC, two on Friday as part of both the DX and EMCOMM seminar tracks, and one on Saturday for the other SEA-PAC participants.

On Saturday morning there will also be an ARRL Forum, with myself as moderator and panelist, along with Vice Director Tharp, ARRL President Rick Roderick, CEO David Minster, and Bob Inderbitzen and Kathleen Callahan from HQ as probable panelists. Based on what we had in 2019 I’m sure it will be a “standing room only” event, so get there early and bring your questions and complaints! (Of course, kudos will be accepted also!)



It's my understanding that President Roderick will most likely be doing a presentation at SEA-PAC as well, and CEO Minster is set to be the keynote speaker at the Saturday night banquet.

If you've not already signed up for SEA-PAC, you can easily via their website: [www.seapac.org](http://www.seapac.org), and click on the REGISTER button on the left. I really hope to see you there!

73 and Stay Safe!

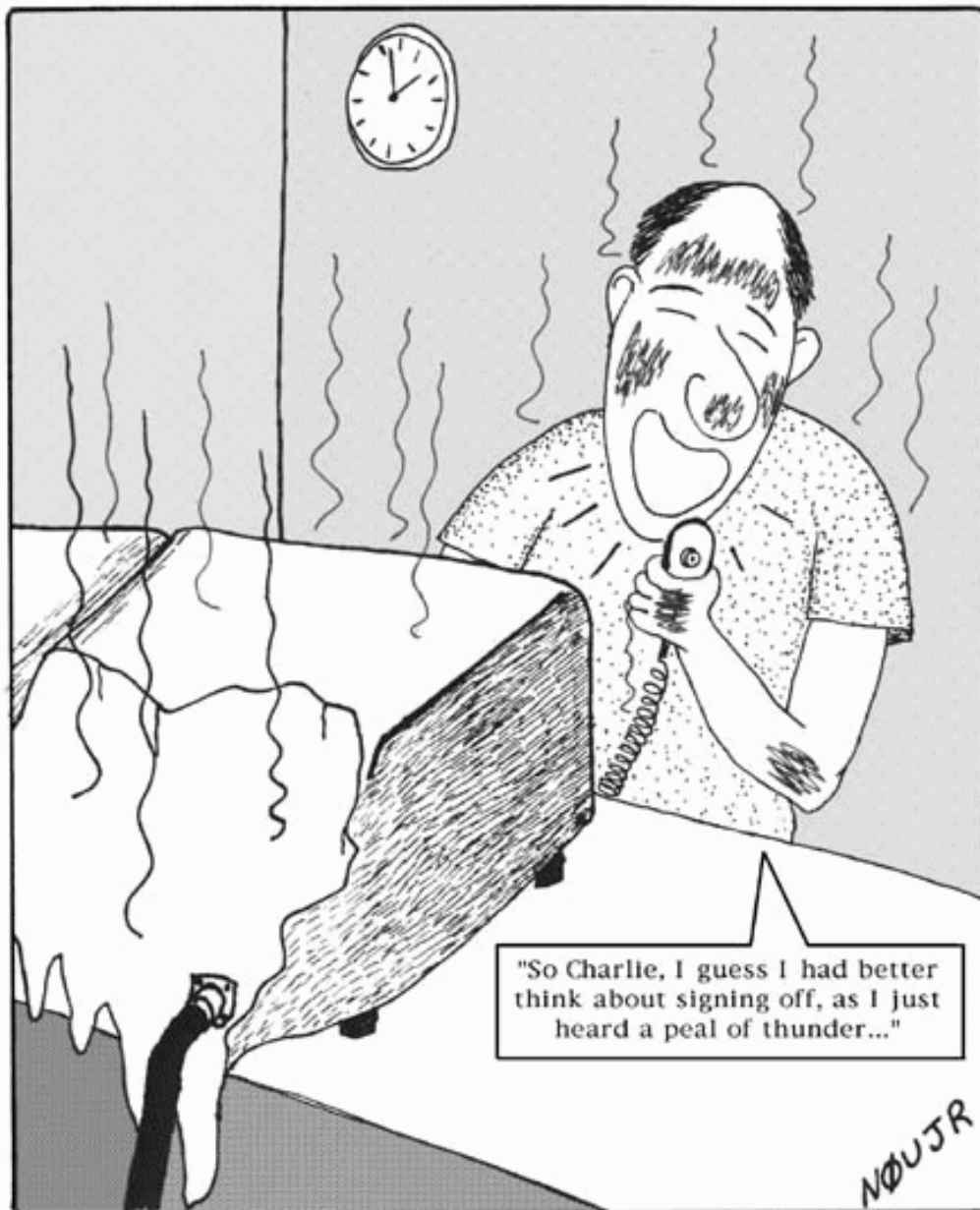
Mike Ritz, W7VO

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Vice President, ARRL Foundation

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**Build your station using effective grounding and bonding techniques!**

**ORDER NOW**

The advertisement features a book titled "Grounding and Bonding for the Radio Amateur" by Steve Miller, 3rd Edition. The book cover is shown on the left, with the ARRL logo at the bottom. The background is a dark, stormy sky with lightning bolts striking a silhouette of a house. A yellow button with a white mouse cursor points to the "ORDER NOW" text.

**ICOM**

**Heard It.  
Worked It.  
Logged It.**

The advertisement shows a close-up of an ICOM radio's control panel, including a digital display showing frequencies like 7.070.000 and 14.025.000. The ICOM logo is on the left, and the slogan "Heard It. Worked It. Logged It." is on the right, with a silver mug in the background.

**CQ CQ CQ**

**Let's** get some pictures of your radio shack or mobile setup, email your pictures to: [salem.w7saa@gmail.com](mailto:salem.w7saa@gmail.com)

**Also remember** that dues are due by June 30th. You can visit the website [www.w7saa.net](http://www.w7saa.net) and use the PayPal button to renew.

Check the w7saa groups io page for the latest info and to see what is being covered on the Thursday night video tech session

### **TECH SESSIONS**

The club wants to start doing tech sessions again at the Grange. If you have any requests or suggestions please email them to the club.  
[salem.w7saa@gmail.com](mailto:salem.w7saa@gmail.com)

**Join ARRL**  
*or Renew your Membership*

## **Technician, General and Extra class pool questions with only the correct answers**

[http://www.hollandarc.org/?page\\_id=3570&fbclid=IwAR355te0lswfcGtDjKKVE8mudyeTpoEvurAz2a1PpHOWNUp74f7Ij9WCCno](http://www.hollandarc.org/?page_id=3570&fbclid=IwAR355te0lswfcGtDjKKVE8mudyeTpoEvurAz2a1PpHOWNUp74f7Ij9WCCno)

Ham Radio Basics:

[https://www.hamsphere.com/5\\_52264\\_read.html?ref=hamradio](https://www.hamsphere.com/5_52264_read.html?ref=hamradio)

## **Dictionary of Ham Radio Terms**

<https://www.amateur-radio-wiki.net/dictionary-of-ham-radio-terms/>

Repeater Book Online:

<https://www.repeaterbook.com/repeaters/index.php...>

The links are for the Technician Class License, AA9PW is what many of us have found that works well for practice exams as it goes over what you missed during the test.

YouTube:

Part 1 <https://youtu.be/0wwnOPaF1qI>

Ham Radio 2.0

Ham Radio Crash Course

Training Handout for Technician Level:

<http://n7ds.net/training>



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## Dates and Events to Remember

**April 12th Board meeting @ Macleay Grange 7PM**

**April 18th VE Test Session @ Macleay Grange 6:30pm**

**April 20th Grange Meeting @ 6pm**

**April 26th General Meeting @ Denny's 7PM**

Remember to check the calendar on [w7saa.groups.io](http://w7saa.groups.io) page for more info

## NETS to Remember

- *SARC net @ 7pm Sunday's on club repeaters*
- *High Noon Net @ 12pm Monday thru Friday on club repeaters*
- *Mid Valley Net @ 7pm Monday's and Thursday's on 145.33 pl 186.2*
- *Oregon Emergency Net @ 6pm Daily on 3.980*
- *Casual hf net 3830 at 7pm on Friday's. Listen to the repeater for N7HEX for any announcements 6:30 to 6:45*

# Current Members

## 98

Arguien, Jeremy	KK7LAW	G
Barnes, Michael	WA7SKG	E
Barnes, Sharon	N8QBX	T
<b>Barwig, Nicholas</b>	K7DSG	E
Beadles, Jeff	K9BEA	T
Bell, Freddie	N0LU	E
Bischof, Bryant	W7BDB	E
Bischof, Robin		
Botieff, David	N6JTT	G
Bowling Joe	AG7QA	E
Brannigan, John	K6ZIP	T
Brown, Kevin	WA7SHP	E
Brusch, Don	K7UN	E
Bunch, Dan	KJ7ZMP	T
Chesher, Richard		
<b>Corbett, Christopher</b>	KJ7UYT	E
Crabill, Jeff	N7DS	E
Daniels, Paul	KB7PPM	G
<b>Doucette, Mark</b>	KI7FZV	T
Doucette, Vicki		
England, Thomas	KE7PPW	T
<b>Engstrom, Carl</b>	KF7BBR	T
Fling, Bobby	W7PCD	G
Fowler, John	KJ7VWB	T
Fredrick, John	KJ7UYR	G
Freeman, Aaron	N6SMF	G
Freeman, Antonia		
Frisbie, Alan	K7AEF	E
Fuller, Mike	K7CIE	E
Gaither, Sam	KE7DKZ	G
Gould, Dave	WA7CXG	A
Grasseth, Sharon	KJ7JUY	T
Guilfoy, Geoffrey	KI7PNP	G
Hager, Katherine	W7AUB	T
Hayes, Brian	KJ7ITZ	G
<b>Hemenway, Andrew</b>	KJ7ZYM	T
Hendricks, John	K7JLT	E
Hennigan, Jay	WB6RDV	E
Hetrick, Nancy	KJ7CXI	T
Holloway, Jack	KF7UDH	G
Houghton, Mike	KK7AWG	G
Hoyt, Tracey	KJ7OZL	G
<b>Hoyt, William</b>	K7WJH	E
Jackson, Cyndi	KE7IWT	T
<b>Jackson, John</b>	W7SDP	G
Johnson, Andrea	KK7DCT	T
Johnson, Sharon	W6SLJ	T
Jones, Eric	N7EBJ	T
Jovick, David	KI7WKQ	T

Kachirsky, Andre	KI7ZSR	G
Kalb, Stephen	KE7EXX	E
Larson, Bill	WB7OWB	G
Larson, Wes	KF7BWS	G
Lawrence, Jim	KI7SOV	G
Lawrence, Tina	KI7TJ	E
Lewis, John	W6HIA	A
Liss, Charles	KK7DCU	
Lorenz, Dan	K6STX	G
Lutz, Jeff	WB0IZS	G
Martin, Gerald	KJ7BLG	T
Martin, Jerry	K7JKM	G
Meritt, Bruce	KI7PNO	T
Merrick, Andrew	K0IHC	G
Meyers, Carrie	W7XIE	G
Miller, Connie	KC7RQS	T
Miller, Stephen	K7ZK	E
Moore, John	KN4RTK	G
Moss, Brad	WY6Q	E
Mussatti, Daniel	WA7CGO	G
Nason, Mike	AG7QH	E
Newton, Richard	W3RAN	G
Noble, Heather	KD7JAA	E
Pardey, Arline	KD7HSV	G
Pardey, Jim	WA7ZAJ	E
Pardo, James	KK7DCV	T
<b>Pardo, Mary</b>	KJ6IDA	T
Pardo, Patrick	KK7DCW	G
Pine, Kylie	KI7DSK	T
Pine, Richard	W7OPC	T
Quijano, Oscar	KJ7QJO	T
<b>Reed, Mike</b>	KJ7BRF	G
Riffle, Brian	KJ7UYS	T
Roberts, Kevin	NA7KR	E
Robinson, Ken	KF7EDM	T
Roth, William	KC7I	E
Smith, Nick	KJ7NWK	T
<b>Sparks, TJ</b>	K7AVG	G
Startin, Anne	WA7NNE	E
Taylor, Les	N7TE	E
Thomas, Jagur	N7HEX	G
Tuttle IV, Crittenden	KJ7NUX	G
Van DerHyde, Vince	K7VV	E
VanDoren, Dustin	KI7SYO	T
Venlet, Peter	N8YEL	E
<b>Walters, Norman</b>	KK7ACE	G
Wells, Tim	W7TWI	G
Williamson, Roger	KC7BRZ	G
Winn, Daniel	KJ7NUY	G

# Suggested Mid-Valley VHF/UHF FM Frequencies

## Salem Repeater Association (W7SRA.com)

Frequency	CTCSS	Notes
145.330-	186.2	Eagle Crest
146.860-	186.2	Prospect Hill
147.020+	186.2	Laurel Mountain
441.275+		DMR Prospect Hill
443.725+	186.2	Prospect Hill

## Salem Amateur Radio Club (W7SAA.com)

147.340+	77.0	Drakes Crossing Linked to UHF
444.250+	100.0	Drakes Crossing Linked to VHF

## Peak Radio Association (W7PRA.com)

145.490	136.5	Wide area linked system
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## Salem Amateur Repeater Group (WA7ABU.com)

145.290-	None	
145.190-	100.0	House Mountain
444.950+	100.00	Yaesu System Fusion

## Other Local Repeaters

145.350-	186.2	
440.725+		KB7PPM Yaesu Fusion Repeater
224.160-	100.0	Drakes Crossing (KE7DLA)
224.600-	100.0	Eagle Crest (KE7DLA)
442.500+	100.0	Eagle Crest (KE7DLA)

## Simplex

29.600		National Calling Frequency
52.525		National Calling Frequency
146.520		National Calling Frequency
446.000		National Calling Frequency

146.500		Polk Co ARES
146.460		Marion Co ARES
146.480		Dallas Area Simplex
146.440		
146.580		Area SOTA Activations



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[www.w7saa.net](http://www.w7saa.net)



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**Vice President:** Mike Reed KJ7BRF  
**Secretary:** Mary Pardo KJ6IDA  
**Treasurer:** John Jackson W7SDP  
**Board:** (past president)  
**Board:** TJ Sparks K7AVG  
**Board:** Andrew Hemenway KJ7ZYM  
**Board:** Chris Corbett KJ7UYT  
**Board:** William Hoyt K7WJH  
**Board:** Norman Walters KK7ACE  
**Board:** Carl Engstrom KF7BBR  
**1Yr Board:** Mark Doucette KI7FZV

#### Net Control Operators

**Monday:** W7XIE / Carrie  
**Tuesday:** K7DSG / Nick  
**Wednesday:** KJ7UYT / Chris  
**Thursday:** KK7DCV / James  
**Friday:** KI7FZV / Mark  
**Sunday:** KJ7BRF / Mike

**Club Repeaters Frequencies**  
147.340, pl 77 & 444.250, pl 100