

# CLALLAM COUNTY AMATEUR RADIO CLUB

## ABSTRACT

New Hams, new club members, and returning club members all need information about the club and how to contact officers or board members, find the club web page, net operations, repeater frequencies and more. We hope this document will provide that information.

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## Information Package

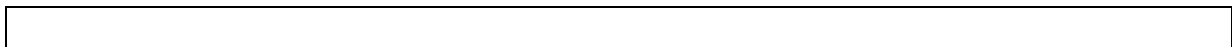
Field Day 2025



## Welcome

Welcome to the Clallam County Amateur Radio Club (CCARC). The club began about 1957 and you may find the history of the club from a link in the index. Today, 2026, the club has 60 plus members, runs a 2 meter net on Thursday evenings, has an in-person club meeting once a month, participates in the June ARRL Field Day, and several other activities.

The names of officers and board members are noted in this document. Please feel free to call on any one of them for further information.





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## *Introduction*

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This package has been developed to serve multiple purposes. There is a section for “[new CCARC members](#)” to browse pertinent information about the club officers, by-laws, repeaters, nets, Groups.io mailing reflector, committees, field day and more. It is a work in progress and subject to change yearly to update officers and board member. There is a section for “[new hams](#)” to browse which includes section one but additionally band plans, equipment recommendations, names of Elmers, etc. Section three is for “[prospective hams](#).”



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## 2026 Club Officers and Board Members

<b>President</b> <a href="#">John Devries</a> XXX-XXX-XXXX	<b>Vice President</b> <a href="#">Sheldon Koehler</a> XXX-XXX-XXXX
<b>Treasurer</b> <a href="#">Jeramey Johnson</a> XXX-XXX-XXXX	<b>Secretary</b> <a href="#">Jeramey Johnson</a> XXX-XXX-XXXX
<b>Chairman</b> Bob Sampson K6MBY	<b>Second Year</b> Tom Clark
<b>First Year</b> <a href="#">Roy Harkness</a>	<b>W7FEL License Trustee</b> <a href="#">Chuck Stroehler. WA7EBH</a>



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## CCARC Club Committees

<b>Net Coordinator</b>  <b>John Devries</b> xxx-xxx-xxxx	<b>Membership</b>  Sheldon Koehler, N7XEI 360-xxx-xxxx
<b>Education and Training</b>  TBD	<b>Public Relations</b>  TBD
<b>Technical</b> Chuck Stroeher WA7EBH Doug Welcker, WB4KGY Bob Samson, K6MBY  Chris Icide, WY7W Bill Peterson, K7WWP	
<b>Publications/Newsletter</b> TBD	

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## Club Web Page

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The CCARC web page may be found at [WWW.OLYHAM.COM](http://WWW.OLYHAM.COM)

It has a great deal of information about the club and the surrounding area.



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## *Net Information*

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The CCARC VHF net is held every Thursday at 7:00 pm on the Striped Peak Repeater. The repeater is on 146.760 MHz with a tone of 100 Hz. Offset is negative or 141.760 MHz.

The Clallam County ARES meets on Tuesdays at 7:00 pm on the same repeater.

There is an informal 10 meter Watering Hole at 5:30PM week days on 29.450 +/- 5 depending on QRM.

There is an informal DMR Roundtable net Sunday afternoon at 4:30 pm on TG31531 TS 1.



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## *Local Area Frequencies*

W7FEL Striped Peak -- 146.760 MHz minus tone 100 Hz

CARLSBORG Remote Receiver in Sequim – 146.760 minus tone 77 Hz.

WF7W Port Angeles -- 145.310 MHz minus tone 100 Hz

K6MBY Sequim -- 444.900 MHz plus tone 131.8 Hz

W6MPD Port Angeles -- 444.900 MHz plus tone 107.2 Hz

KC7EQO Blyn Lookout -- 442.100 MHz plus tone 100 Hz

(Blyn Lookout is a dual mode repeater with DMR on slot 1 and 2.)

W6MPD Port Angeles -- 224.060 MHz tone 107.2

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## *Maintain Membership Database*

Active CCARC members will have an account setup by the membership committee. If you do not have an account setup, contact the CCARC membership committee before using this process.

To access your CCARC membership account go to the Olyham web page, in the left column click "Membership System," Login with your call sign and password obtained from the membership committee. On the right side of the page click on "Membership Account Profile." Your member profile will open and you may edit the information in YOUR profile. The information in the profile is obtained from your CCARC Application form.

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## *Joining CCARC Email Reflector and Groups.io*

CCARC uses the Groups.io web application as an email reflector as well as file and picture storage. It is important to be a member of the mailing list as it is the only way to receive club information. When you become a member of CCARC the treasurer will send you an

invitation to join the group [W7FEL@CCARCWA.GROUPS.IO](mailto:W7FEL@CCARCWA.GROUPS.IO). You must click the accept

link to join. You will receive, and may send, email to the group using the address above, however, to see the files and pictures you must be a member of Group.io. [This is a link to the Groups.io](#) subscription web page.



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## [Links to web page and/or documents](#)

[Ham Radio Terms 2011 -PDF – Icom America](#)

CCARC – Clallam County Amateur Radio Club -

<http://www.olyham.net/>

CCARES – Clallam County Amateur Radio

Emergency Service -

<https://clallamares.org/index.html>

APRS.fi - Automatic Packet Reporting System -

<https://aprs.fi/#!lat=48.101&lng=-123.4328>

FCC License Search -

<https://wireless2.fcc.gov/UlsApp/UlsSearch/searchLicense.jsp>

QRZ - Popular Call Sign Database -

<https://www.qrz.com/>

Chirp –Free Ham Radio Programming -

<https://chirp.danplanet.com/projects/chirp/wiki/Home>

ARRL – The national Association for amateur

radio - <http://www.arrl.org/>

LoTW – Logbook of The World -

<https://lotw.arrl.org/lotwuser/default>

You Tube – research specific Ham operation/equipment -

<https://www.youtube.com/>

PNW – Pacific Northwest Digital -

<http://www.pnwdigital.net/index.html>

More exhaustive list of links:

<http://olyham.net/links.htm>

## Primary Analog Scanner Frequencies for Sequim and Port Angeles

Port Angeles Fire/Ambulance

155.8200 / 158.8950

Port Angeles Police

460.1000

Sequim Fire/Ambulance

155.7825

Sequim Police

453.3000

Marine Channel 05 Seattle Traffic

156.2500

Marine Channel 11 Victoria Traffic

156.5500

Marine Channel 13 Port Angeles Pilot

156.6500

Marine Channel 17 Victoria Pilot

156.8500

Marine Channel 16 Call/Emergency

156.8000

Marine Channel 22A Coast Guard

157.1000

Marine Channel 07 Foss Tugs

156.3500`

Additional Club scanner list:

[http://olyham.net/library/Scanner\\_Frequency\\_List\\_1.pdf](http://olyham.net/library/Scanner_Frequency_List_1.pdf)

[http://olyham.net/library/Scanner\\_Frequency\\_List\\_1.pdf](http://olyham.net/library/Scanner_Frequency_List_1.pdf)

A more complete RadioReference

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Licensed Frequency List:

<https://www.radioreference.com/apps/db/>

[?action=fccLicenses&ctid=2962](https://www.radioreference.com/apps/db/?action=fccLicenses&ctid=2962)

**2025 Field Day Photos**





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## What is Ham Radio

Amateur *Radio (ham radio)* is a popular hobby and service that brings people, electronics and communication together. People use *ham radio* to talk across town, around the world, or even into space, all without the Internet or cell phones. It's fun, social, educational, and can be a lifeline during times of need.

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- [What is a Ham?-](#)

**Ham:** a poor operator; a 'plug' (G. M. Dodge; *The Telegraph Instructor*)

The first wireless operators were landline telegraphers who left their offices to go to sea or to man the coastal stations. They brought with them their language and much of the tradition of their older profession. In those early days, every station occupied the whole spectrum with its broad spark signal. Government stations, ships, coastal stations and the increasingly numerous amateur operators all competed for time and signal supremacy in each other's receivers. Many of the amateur stations were very powerful. Two amateurs, working each other across town, could effectively jam all the other operations in the area. Frustrated commercial operators would refer to the ham radio interference by calling them "hams." Amateurs, possibly unfamiliar with the real meaning of the term, picked it up and applied it to themselves. As the years advanced, the original meaning has completely disappeared.

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A link to a January 2000 ARRL QST article written by Jim Maxwell, W6CF. ["One Hundred Years of Discovery"](#)

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## TRAINING

- <https://dcasler.com/ham-radio/training/> Technician Class On Line Study
- <http://www.arrl.org/ham-radio-license-manual> Technician Class Manual (ARRL)
- <https://dcasler.com/ham-radio/general/> General Class On Line Study
- <http://www.arrl.org/general-class-license-manual> General Class Manual (ARRL)
- <https://dcasler.com/ham-radio/extra/> Extra Class On Line Study
- <http://www.arrl.org/upgrading-to-an-extra-license> Extra Class Manual
- <http://arrlexamreview.appspot.com/> ARRL On Line Question Review
- <https://hamstudy.org/> Alternate (non ARRL) On Line Study and Questions
- [https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCQbp-nY68Ai02wOg\\_1CmduQ](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCQbp-nY68Ai02wOg_1CmduQ) YouTube Link to KE7JIM Classes
- <http://www.hamradiolicenseexam.com/index.html> Ham Test Online – Practice test with the real questions.

## Testing

- <https://kl7aa.org/vec/remote-testing/> Anchorage ARC Remote Testing
- <https://glaarg.org/> Greater Los Angeles ARC Remote Testing
- <https://hamstudy.org/sessions> Upcoming test around the country.

Log



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Change

Date Time	Who	What	Note
2/25 5:49	rfs	Added change log	
2/25 12:30	hch	Formatted all hyperlink texts to green, dressed up more	Cleaned up "Elmer"
2/26 10:30	hch	2 <sup>nd</sup> year board "open", document authors changed in document and in document properties	
3/1 0500	rfs	Merged a number of individual pdf into main. Fixed errors in Club History. Fixed page numbers (I think)	
3/1 10:30	hch	Removed merges --- hyperlinked to Web Site Docs	Being too testy???
5/20/2026	rfs	Update from 2021	