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**President's Corner**

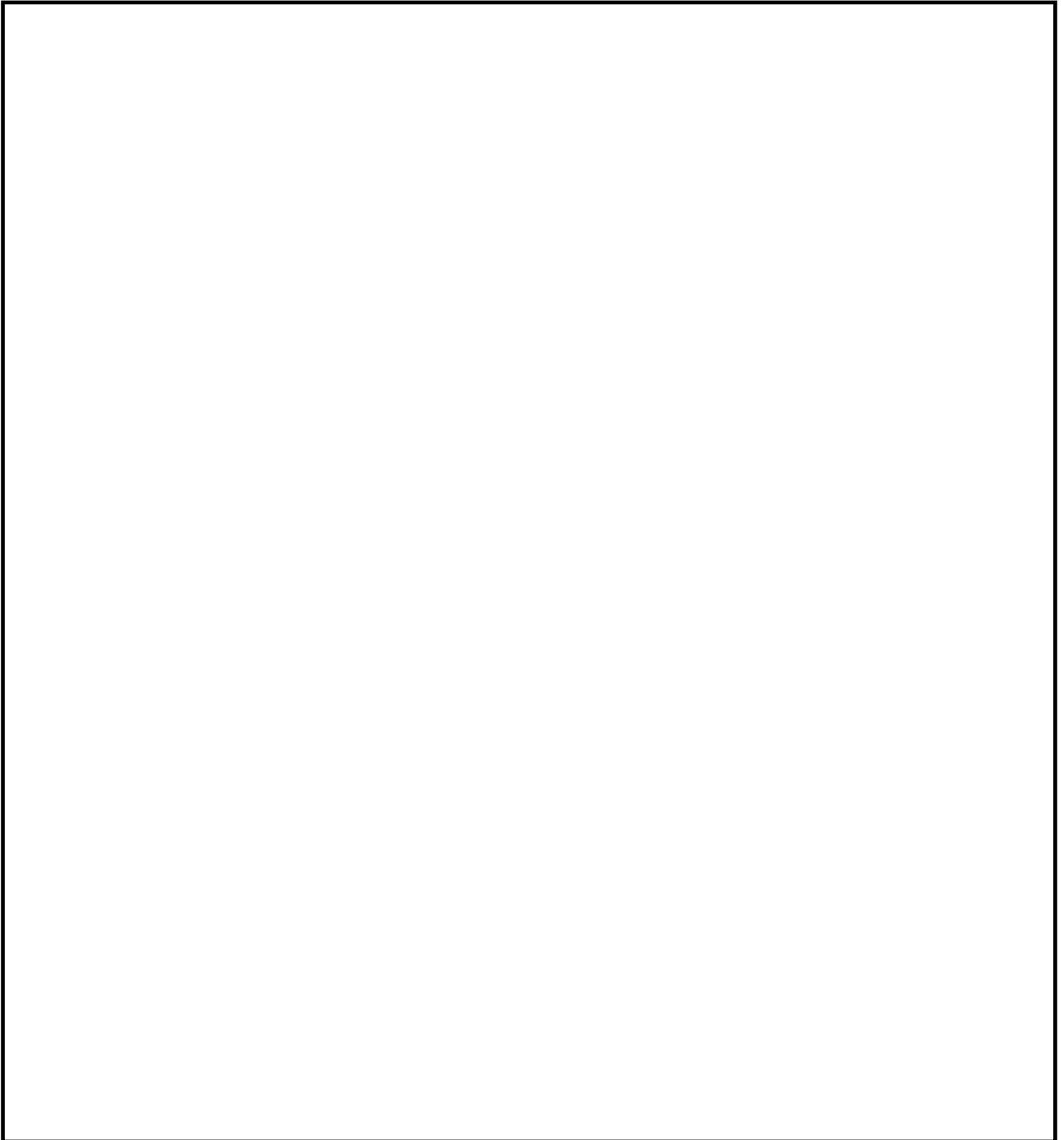
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### MEMBERSHIP MEETING

April 9, 2025

First United Methodist Church & Simultaneous Via Zoom

Called to order 1900 by President John DeVries, KK7PJL

Program: Sheldon & Bob's 3D Printing and Laser Engraving Extravaganza

#### Members Present:

Officers/Trustees:, President: John DeVries KK7PJL, Vice President Sheldon Koehler N7XEI Secretary/Treasurer Jeramey Johnson, KF7PMC, Bob Sampson K6MBY, Thomas Clark N7DWU; Absent (Excused) Mike Barnes N7WPO

Attendance Roster Attached.

Previous Meeting Minutes as amended on Groups.IO motion to approve by Dick Peterson KE7Z, and Second by Sheldon Kohler N7XEI approved unanimously.

#### REPORTS:

Secretary/Treasurer: Balance Checking \$6,557.00, Savings \$16,096.55, (CD's \$3,305.58)

COB Report: Field Day, June 27-29, 2025 at CC Fairgrounds,  
Chairman:

President: Groups.IO premium membership, recruitment ideas, etc.  
ARRL Marconi project - contact President John  
Discussion Public Relations / Outreach  
Monthly Zoom Tech. Sessions 3rd Wednesday of the Month

Tech Team: Everything is working well.

Ed & Training: April 26 Testing contact Bruce Reiter KD7WBM or Rick Dewitt VE-C,  
Study online program or ...  
[HamStudy.org](https://www.hamstudy.org) > Find a Session > Online Sessions

Net (Lee): Lee N7KC: Thursdays 7PM about 40 regulars, In&Out at start  
Always looking for net operators.

Membership: Lee N7KC - 91 Members

#### NEW BUSINESS:

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Secretary: Bylaws review committee - soliciting members and suggestions.  
Interested email [KF7PMC@jeramey.org](mailto:KF7PMC@jeramey.org)

## UPCOMING:

Social Breakfast: 0800/12 Apr. at Joshua's (Port Angeles - Delguzzi Drive)  
Reminder: 0800 start time (from now on)

Repeater Activity: Oat Run (Saturday)

Upcoming Program Ideas:

Adjourn: Motion by Sheldon N7XEI, Second by Jeff Foro WA7HDY, adjourned ##### unanimously.

Respectfully submitted,  
KF7PMC - J.Johnson

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### April 2025 Board Meeting

#### Attending:

Officers & Board: President John DeVries KK7PJL, VP Sheldon N7XEI, Secretary/Treasurer Jeramey KF7PMC  
Directors: Thomas Clark N7DWU, Bob Sampson K6MBY; Mike Barnes N7WPO

Others: Chuck Strocher WA7EBH

1906 Called to Order by Mike Barnes.

#### Reports:

Treasurer: 3 CD's \$3,305.58, Checking \$6,507.00, Savings \$16,096.55 (Total \$25,909.13)

Motion by Sheldon Koehler N7XEI, Second Thomas Clark N7DWU by to accept February meeting minutes as posted on Groups and in QTC, passed unanimously.

Repeater Report: Chuck WA7EBH everything up and working.

#### Old Business:

Groups.IO: Discussion about Non-Members on Groups.IO; discussion of non-members being able to post documents and files to Groups.IO. Pause on non-members being on Groups.IO until a better ability to filter non-members.

#### New Business:

By-Laws Review: Every 3 years – Committee: Thomas Clark, Jeramey Johnson, solicit members and ideas at next meeting.

Brigadoon Repeater: Ratify offline vote to accept MOU between Club and Byron Gunnerson. Motion by Thomas Clark N6DWU, Second by Mike Barnes; passed unanimously.

ARES events approval – address via Bylaws re-write. Suggest approval by President/Trustee or a similar process. By-Laws committee to address. New events are in the calendar and automated calendar notifications will be sent out.

Member meeting next Wednesday February 12<sup>th</sup>

Motion to adjourn by Jeramey KF7PMC, Second by Sheldon N7XEI at 1957 unanimously carried.

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Respectfully Submitted,

Jeramey Johnson, KF7PMC

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## Upcoming Events

Social Breakfast Paradise Inn, Sequim May 10th, 0800

Club meeting PA First United Methodist Church, May 14th 1900L meeting start. Doors open at 1800L

June 28-29, 2025 Field Day - Probably back to the Fairgrounds.

## Trivia

1. In what year was the F.C.C. first created?

- A 1934
- B 1936
- C 1938

2. Is there is a U.S. Post Office in the bottom of the Grand Canyon?

3. if you were monitoring 3.874.0 your operation mode should be set on what?

- A. AM
- B. USB
- C. LSB

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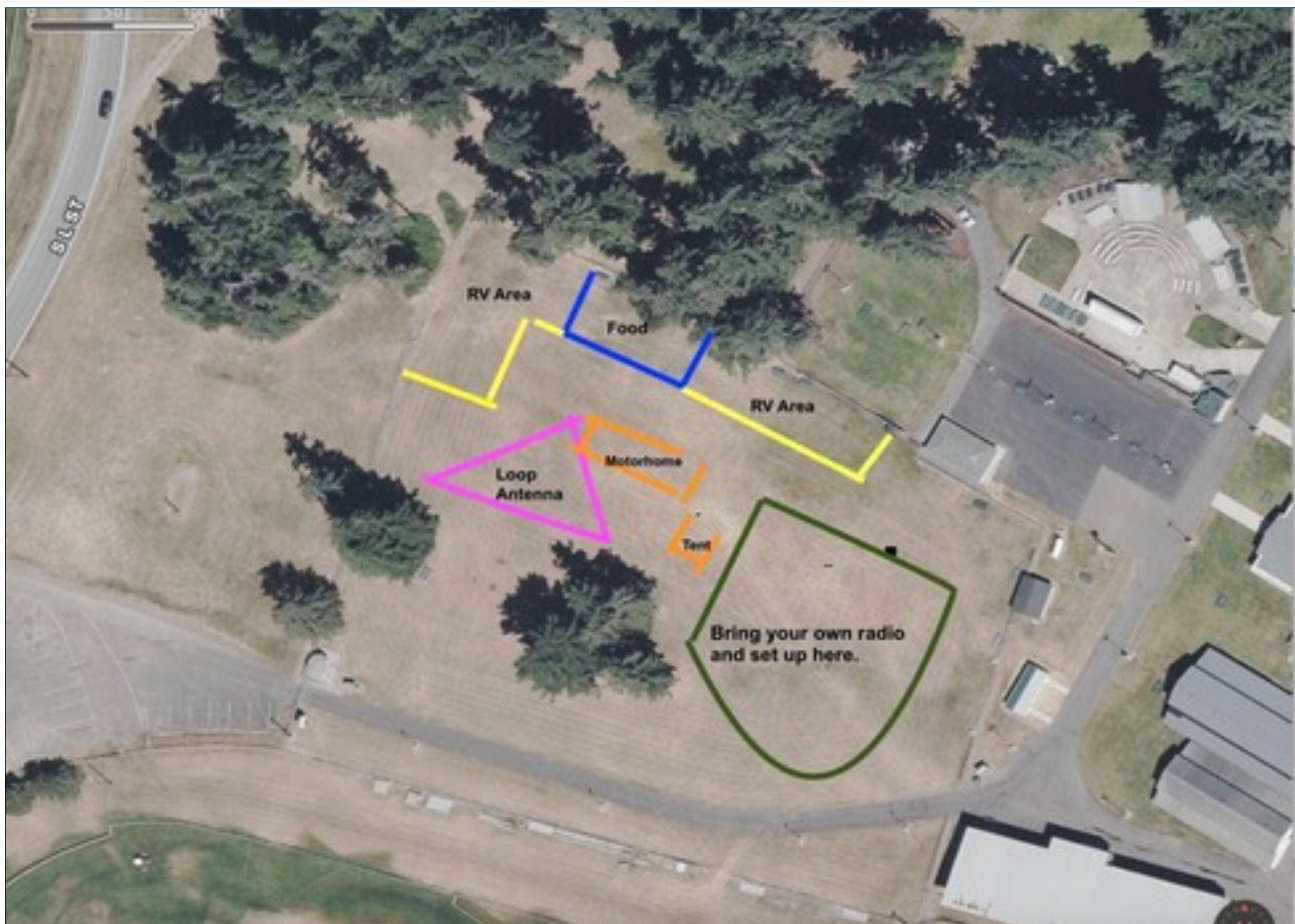
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## Field Day 2025

The Field Day Committee, well, four of the eleven, met to discuss the 2025 Field Day set up. It was decided that putting three stations on the air was putting more energy into doing something than was worth the effort as few people actually operated and a single station would be more appropriate. This leaves a great deal of space for others to bring their own equipment and set up operation.

It was decided also that there were at least three people needed to set up and tear down both the tents and equipment as well as the food service area provided by Sheldon.

A message was put out on groups io requesting help for the two areas. Multiple people have signed up for the equipment side, however, there have been no offers to help Sheldon set up canopies and his food kitchen. We may not have food this year.



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## Answers to Trivia Questions

1. Answer

1934 - Before 1934 the "Federal Radio Commission was the acting agency and was created in 1927.

2. Answer: True -Yes, it is true and serves the Supai Indian Reservation. It's zip code is: 86023.

3. Answer: Lower Side Band

## MISCELANOUS

### Equipment For Sale

Icom 746 Pro, Power Supply and Speaker \$800

2 ea MFJ 259 SWR Meter(s)

Bob Sampson, K6MBY 360-477-0776

## Raffle

A raffle will be held with \$1.00 tickets. Winner gets 50%. The Church gets a 50% donation for the use of the Social Hall. Hoping for at least a \$50 donation to the Church.

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## Officers and Board Members

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| President<br><a href="#">John DeVries KK7PJL</a>    | Vice President<br><a href="#">Sheldon Koehler N7XEI</a> |
| Secretary<br><a href="#">Jeramey Johnson KF7PMC</a> | Treasurer<br><a href="#">Jeramey Johnson KF7PMC</a>     |
| COB<br><a href="#">Mike Barnes N7WPO</a>            | 2nd Year<br><a href="#">Bob Sampson K6MBY</a>           |
| 3rd Year<br><a href="#">Thomas Clark N7DWU</a>      | Trustee<br><a href="#">Chuck Stroehler WA7EBH</a>       |

### Local Nets and Repeater Frequencies

CCARC Net every Thursday at 7:00 pm on Striped Peak Repeater 146.760 minus with tone 100 Hz.

Clallam ARES Net Tuesdays at 7:00 pm on Striped Peak Repeater 146.760 minus with tone 100 Hz.

Olympic Peninsula DMR Sunday afternoon 4:30 pm Talk Group 31531 on K6MBY DMR TS1, or KC7EQO DMR TS1 or your local hotspot.

WF7W - Port Angeles - 145.310 minus tone 100 Hz. .

KC7EQO - Dual Mode - Blyn Lookout 442.100 plus tone 100 Hz and DMR CC1 on Time Slot one and two.

K6MBY/W6MPD - 444.900 plus. K6MBY (Sequim) tone 131.8 Hz. W6MPD (PA) tone 102.7 Hz. W6MPD - Port Angeles/Sequim -- 224.060 minus tone 102.7

W7FEL Brigadoon/Sequim 441.125 Mhz plus. Tone 100 Hz.

### New Or Returning Members

**Welcome!!**



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## CCARC Standing Committees

Field Day: Vacant

Health and Welfare: [Lee Bond, N7KC](#)

Membership Chair: [Lee Bond, N7KC](#)

Net Coordinator: [Lee Bond, N7KC](#)

Program Committee: Vacant

Public Relations: [John DeVries, KK7PJL](#)

Publications (Newsletter): [Bob Sampson, K6MBY](#)

Technical Committee Coordinator: [Chuck Stroehrer WA7EBH](#), [Doug Welcker WB4KGY](#), [Ed Bowen N7OZZ](#), [Bill Peterson K7WWP](#)

VE Education and Training: [Rick DeWitt AAORD](#) (ARES)

Web Site Administrator: [Bill Peterson K7WWP](#)

