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OCTOBER 9TH, 2024 - NOMINATION OF OFFICERS MEETING

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PRESIDENT’S COLUMN

The following members deserve a big thanks for helping out with the Radio Dispatch service for the Pacifica Fog Fest this year. We started with 60 radios, and ended up with 60 radios. Job well done!

- Ralph Kugler (KC6YDH)
- Scott Sutor (KM6SCD)
- Steve Pagenelli (K6YUA)
- George Salet (KJ6TSX)
- Frank Erbacher (N6FG)
- Barbara Erbacher (K6IIP)
- Steve Austin (KN6ORM)
- Jillian Aldersen (KN6PIV)
- Dave Lawrence (KF6TWW)
- Dennis Kafka (KN6QER)
- Tom Oliver (KJ6OGL)
- Jon Lancelle (N6SJF)

Robert Courtney (KE7FAN) thank you for volunteering. Unfortunately, we didn’t have a spot for you as we already had a full crew on-shift. Hopefully, you’ll consider volunteering next year.

It is also time to nominate new officers. If anyone would like to throw their hat in the ring, please attend the next meeting at the Linda Mar Firehouse at 7:30 on October 9th. Also, we will be having our annual Election Dinner Meeting at Nick’s in Pacifica on November 9th. Please look for an email invite in the next few days.

73, Jon, N6SJF,
Club President

Editor’s Note: A Big Thank You! To Jon Lancelle (N6SJF) and Steve Austin (KN6ORM) for getting, programming, and labeling the radios for the event. Jon for creating the logging sheets for keeping track of the radios. It’s good to hear all were accounted for. Even for us volunteers, there’s a lot of behind-the-scenes work that goes on that even WE do not see. -KJ6OGL

CARC SEPTEMBER 11, 2024 MEETING MINUTES

Call to Order - The September 11, 2024 – No meeting held due to not having a quorum.

Self-introductions – None.

Minutes – No motion made to approve the August minutes as published in the September Coastside Communicator.

TREASURER’S REPORT - The funds provided by the Treasurer as of September 11, 2024, are:

Account	Previous	Current	Change
General Checking	\$6,462.69	\$7,082.69	\$620.00
PayPal Checking	\$671.23	\$51.23	\$620.00
CD Acctt7605	\$5,218.89	\$5,239.49	\$20.60
CD Acctt7779	\$10,452.47	\$10,491.60	\$39.13
Total a/o 20240611	\$22,805.28	22,865.01	\$59.73

General Fund	\$18,173.28	\$18,233.01	\$59.73
Repeater Fund	\$4,636.00	\$4,632.00	\$0.00
Total a/o 20240611	\$22,805.28	\$22,865.01	\$59.73

Bills needing approval – None.

Correspondence – None

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Current Repeater - Status of current Yaesu WA6TOW repeater: No Report.

Replacement Repeater - Update on Motorola Replacement Repeater: No Report.

Newsletter – September Newsletter created, emailed to Paul-AI6BB for publication on the website.

Website – September Newsletter uploaded to website for distribution and viewing.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

- A. 15-meter and 10-meter beam antennas – Keep on list, no update.
- B. Speakers giving presentations – No report.
- C. PayPal – Working Status – No report.
- D. Antenna base plate – No update.
- E. Consider updating CARC Constitution – No report.
- F.. Pacific Fog Fest – Waiting for final details from volunteer meeting on the 17th of September. Ralph-KC6YDH to attend.
- G. 2025 Field Day Location – No report.
- H. Nomination of Officers – October

NEW BUSINESS

- A. 2024 Pacificon – Oct 18-20 at the San Ramon Marriott
- B. November Election Dinner location –

Present at the Meeting

Officers: Vice-President: Paul-AI6BB, Secretary: Tom-KJ6OGL

Members: Ralph-KC6DH

Submitted by: Tom-KJ6OGL, Secretary

UPDATE: On September 16, 2024, Jon-N6SJJ, George-KJ6TSX, Ralph-KC6YDH, Tom-KJ6OG met on Zoom to discuss the upcoming Nomination of Officers at the October 9th CARC Meeting. We could not hold an official meeting as we needed more members to make a quorum. Agenda: 1) Upcoming Nominations – Jon said that he must step away from as being an officer for at least a year due to personal issues. We need someone to step up to take the office of President. Paul-AI6BB says he will stay on as Vice-President, Tom-KJ6OGL will stay on as Secretary, and Steve-KN6ORM, we believe will stay on as Treasurer. 2) Pick a date and location for the Election Dinner. More information to follow. Jon also stated that he will be available to organize the communication radios for the Fog Fest at the end of September and the Election dinner in November.

NEWS

Amateur Radio Now Working Two Dangerous Hurricanes

As of Thursday afternoon September 26, 2024, Hurricane Helene has been upgraded to a Category 3 storm by the National Hurricane Center. It is expected to strengthen and bring catastrophic winds and storm surge to the northeaster Gulf coast. Late Thursday afternoon Helene was located 145 miles from Tampa, Florida with winds of 120 mph.

The storm is moving toward the north-northeast at 16 mph. The general motion is expected to continue with significant increase in forward speed during the next 24 hours. On the forecast track, Helene will move across the easter Gulf of Mexico Thursday and cross the Florida Big Bend coast

Thursday evening or early Friday morning, possibly as a category 3 or 4 storm. After landfall, Helene is expected to turn northwestward and slow down over the Tennessee Valey on Friday and Saturday. Weakening is expected after landfall, but Helene's fast forward speed will allow strong, damaging winds, especially in gusts, to penetrate well inland across the southeastern United States, including over the higher terrain of the southern Appalachians.

The Hurricane Watch Net (HWN) was activated Thursday morning at 10:00 AM EDT on both 14.325 MHz and 7.268 MHz.

Friday Activation

- 20 meters: we will resume operations on 14.325 MHz at 7:00 AM EDT (1000 UTC).
- 40 meters: we will resume operations on 7.268 MHz at 8:30 AM EDT (1230 UTC).

Any change to the Hurricane Watch Net plans will be on their website, www.hwn.org, and social media page.

The VoIP Hurricane Net was also activated at 10 AM EDT Thursday and will remain active for as long as necessary for Hurricane Helene and impacts to Florida and Georgia, through Friday morning. The net, on *WX_TALK* EchoLink conference node: 7203/IRLP 9219 system and other VoIP radio systems via the KC5FM-R node, is supporting WX4NHC, the amateur radio station at the National Hurricane Center in Miami, Florida. WX4NHC will also be active beginning at 3 PM EDT Thursday through late Thursday evening.

The ARRL West Central Florida Section will be activating both the State EOC at Tallahassee (KA4EOC) and an alternative communications point at the Escambia County Emergency Operations Center (W4UC.)

Current planned ICS 205 activation:

SARNET should be used as the primary communications point except for any sensitive traffic.

Note that if the microwave link is lost along the way, it may impact communications if the transmission cannot reach the central routing point.

If using Winlink, formal messaging traffic should be sent to either KA4EOC for ham or NNA4FL for SHARES. Winlink is monitored as well as configured to automatically forward to the State Watch Office:

- For HF, 7197 for daytime and 3940 for night primary (KA4EOC & W4UC will share responsibility for monitoring the frequencies)
- No time has been set to place SARNET in a restricted net or when the HF net will begin, but that information will be shared soon. Activation of the formal nets will not begin until storm impacts start being felt in the state.

See full report at: <https://www.arrl.org/news>.

Ham Radio Volunteers Serve During Hurricane Francine

Ham radio operators volunteering with the [ARRL® Amateur Radio Emergency Service® \(ARES®\)](#) have successfully completed operations for Hurricane Francine, now a tropical storm. “We had a huge positive showing of ARES team members checking in and doing the ‘thing.’ I sincerely appreciate everyone leaning into this activation,” said Robert Hayes, KC5IMN, Section Emergency Coordinator of the ARRL Mississippi Section.

The National Hurricane Center reported at 4:00 AM on Thursday, September 12, 2024, that Hurricane Francine made landfall early Wednesday evening in Louisiana, southwest of New Orleans, as a Category 2 hurricane, before weakening to Category 1. It has now been downgraded to a tropical storm.

Currently the storm is moving inland over southeastern Louisiana with heavy rainfall spreading across Mississippi, Alabama, and the Florida Panhandle. Early Thursday morning, the storm was 20 miles northwest of New Orleans with maximum sustained winds of 50 miles per hour (MPH) and moving northeast toward Mississippi at 14 MPH.

At least 419,942 people were without power early Thursday morning. [PowerOutage.us](#) reported 392,440 people without power in Louisiana and 27,502 in Mississippi.

A turn toward the north-northeast and north is expected during the next day or so, with some decrease in forward speed. On the forecast track, the center of Francine will move over central and northern portions of Mississippi through early Friday.

The Hurricane Watch Net has secured operations but remains at HWN Alert Level 2 monitoring mode. During their 14-hour activation, Net Manager Bobby Graves said they collected and forwarded over 40 surface reports from southeastern Louisiana and the Mississippi Gulf Coast to the National Hurricane Center by way of WX4NHC. A copy of these reports is available upon request. Also, they had direct contact, on many occasions, with the Louisiana State EOC (WB5LHS) in Baton Rouge on 14.325 MHz. The VoIP Hurricane Net secured formal net operations on Wednesday, 9/11/24, at 1100 PM EDT/1000 PM CDT. A total of 58 reports were submitted to WX4NHC, the amateur radio station at the National Hurricane Center, some of which were used in NHC Advisories and Tropical Cyclone Updates. Reports ranged from wind damage to buildings, tree and wire damage reports, coastal storm surge flooding, wind measurement, rain gauge and rain-related street flooding reports.

A complete listing of the reports can be seen in the VoIP Hurricane Net Report Viewer at the following link: https://www.voipwx.net/qilan/nhcwx/list_VOIP_records1?auth=OK

New Partnership will Benefit Members 65+

ARRL is pleased to announce a partnership with Gouper. Gouper provides benefits to ARRL members aged 65+ for staying active in their communities and these benefits include covering costs associated with your social activity. According to the United States Surgeon General, staying socially active in

group activities has proven health benefits and is critical for older Americans. Who have above-average risks of social isolation and depression.

For ARRL members with an eligible Medicare Advantage or Medicare Supplement plan, you’ll receive a \$50 check from Gouper. In addition, if you continue to stay active in ARRL activities -- such as attending ARRL Affiliated Club meetings, getting on the air with friends, going to hamfests, or even just socializing with other members at the coffee shop -- Gouper will send you a \$20 social wellness incentive every three months.

From ARRL contests to Field Day and radio club meetings, ARRL and amateur radio activities keep our members socially connected and promote a healthier, more fulfilling life. We know you value community and camaraderie. Let Gouper support those values.

To redeem your benefit, visit <https://hellogrouper.com/arrl>.

Questions? Please contact Gouper’s Member Engagement Team at 833-445-2400 or info@hellogrouper.com.

National Preparedness Month: Ensuring Family Safety – September is National Preparedness Month. In coordination with our partners at the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA), the [ARRL Amateur Radio Emergency Service® \(ARES®\)](#) is producing a series of weekly articles to help radio amateurs and their families stay safe.

For a ham or any other public safety responder, whether paid or volunteer, it is not uncommon to be called out to provide assistance during disasters. We often do not know when we will be called or exactly what the call will involve. We also do not know how long we may be deployed. In the last edition, we focused on our go kit and the tools we should have to deploy as an amateur radio volunteer. But have we made sure our family is prepared for these times, whether we are deployed or will be staying home?

ARRL recognizes the tremendous work ham radio volunteers put into serving their communities. “If your mind is not on the mission, you may be putting yourself and others at risk. Therefore, you should ensure your family’s wellbeing before, during and after a major event,” Johnston continued.

Learn about how to become an ARES Volunteer on the ARRL website at www.arrl.org/ares.

Learn more about how to keep your family safe at www.ready.gov.

In Brief...

From: ARRL Podcast - A Tour of 10 Meters

The 10-meter band offers something for hams of every license class, including Technicians, who can use voice, Morse code, and digital modes on this band. Scott Freeberg, WA9WFA, joins this episode of the podcast to take us on “A Tour of 10

Meters,” and to explain why right now is the best time to get on the band, thanks to the terrific radio wave propagation being generated by Solar Cycle 25.

From “The ARRL Letter” 9/19/2024 - ARRL Section Managers Gather for Training at Headquarters

The ARRL Field Organization is divided geographically into 71 sections. A key volunteer that members in each section elect is the Section Manager. These ARRL member volunteers take a critical role in being the front line of the organization to members.

On Saturday, September 14, 2024, 13 Section Managers gathered at ARRL Headquarters in Newington, Connecticut, for training. ARRL staff members gave them a detailed overview of what the association does on a daily basis, and how the resources from HQ can serve members out in the sections.

ARRL Field Service Manager Mike Walters, W8ZY, serves as the point of contact for Section Managers. “These folks have taken on a tremendous responsibility to serve ARRL members and ham radio in general. They are the ones who facilitate the work of ARRL in the field, and we want to make sure they have every tool available to them,” said Walters.

The K7RA Solar Update

9/27/2024



Seven sunspot groups emerged this week. The first was on September 19, three on September 20, one each on September 22 and 23, and the last on September 25.

Average daily sunspot numbers increased from 120 to 137.2, and average daily solar flux shifted from 175.7 to 164.3.

Geomagnetic numbers were much quieter. Average daily planetary A index changed from 35.7 to 14.3, and middle latitude A index from 23.4 to 10.7.

Predicted solar flux is 180 September 27 to October 1, 190 on October 2-6, 185 on October 7-9, 180 on October 10, 175 on October 11-16, 170 on October 17-18, 165 on October 19, 160 on October 20-23, 165 on October 24-26, then 170 and 175 on October 27-28, 180 on October 29-30, and 190 on October 31 through November 2.

Predicted planetary A index is 5 on September 27-28, 8 on September 29-30, 5 on October 1-4, 10 on October 5-6, 5 on October 7-9, then 10, 20 and 19 on October 10-12, and 5 on October 13-21, 8 on October 22-23, 5 on October 24-31, and 8 on November 1-2.

"Solar flare activity is generally lower than it was in the first half of September, when M-class solar flares were common and X-class flares also occurred. The last significant M-class flare, including a CME, was observed on September 22.

However, the Earth's magnetic field activity increased on September 25-26, incidentally in good agreement with the forecast.

"Propagation conditions, especially in the shorter half of the shortwave range, have understandably improved, but not as much as we might have expected in the run-up to the equinox. This was influenced by a decrease in solar activity (compared to August levels) - and of course an increase in geomagnetic activity.

"Unlike in times relatively recently past, any of us can monitor not only total solar activity, but also changes in solar wind parameters. Both its speed and the concentration of free electrons and protons ejected by flares. Changes in the ionosphere follow quickly, but not always in the same way. It is also always the result of previous developments."

Solar activity was quiet over the past week, but geomagnetic numbers were way, way up.

Average daily sunspot numbers dropped from 178.4 to 120, and average daily solar flux from 223.7 to 175.7.

The average daily planetary A index rocketed from 7.9 to 35.7, and middle latitude numbers from 11.1 to 23.4.

9/20/2024: Six new sunspot groups emerged over the past week: one each on September 13 and 14, two on September 16, and two each on September 17 and 18.

Predicted solar flux is 162 on September 19; 155 on September 20 - 21; 158 on September 22 - 23; 150 and 153 on September 24 - 25; then a huge leap to 235, 230 and 225 on September 26 - 28; 240 on September 29 through October 2; 230 on October 3; 220 on October 4 - 5, then 215, 205 and 207 on October 6 - 8.

Predicted planetary A index is 8, 5, 10 and 8 on September 19 - 22; 5 on September 23 - 25; 25 on September 26 - 27; 15 and 10 on September 28 - 29; 5 on September 30 through October 4; 10 on October 5 - 6, and 5 on October 7 - 9.

Sunspot numbers for September 12 through 18, 2024, were 160, 127, 136, 68, 103, 140, and 106, with a mean of 120. The 10.7 -centimeter flux was 201.2, 185.8, 172.4, 172.8, 169.2, 165.4, and 163.3, with a mean of 175.7. Estimated planetary A indices were 67, 37, 21, 19, 23, 71, and 12, with a mean of 35.7. Middle latitude A index was 36, 22, 22, 16, 19, 39, and 10, with a mean of 23.4.

9/13/2024 - With sunspot numbers up and solar flux decreasing, we saw ten new sunspot groups this week, 2 on September 6, 3 on September 7, 2 on September 8, 1 on September 9, and 2 on September 11.

Average daily sunspot numbers increased from 155.3 to 178.4, while average daily solar flux declined from 230.3 to 223.7.

Geomagnetic indicators were quiet, with the average daily planetary A index dropping from 14 to 7.9 and middle latitude numbers from 12.7 to 11.7.

The solar flux forecast calls for the 10.7-centimeter numbers to be at 200 on September 12-14; 195 on September 15 -18; 215, 225, 225 and 220 on September 19-22; then 225 on September 23-24; 230, 235, 230, 225 on September 25-28, and 240 on September 29-30.

Predicted planetary A index is 25, 35, 25, 15, 12, 10 and 8 on September 12-18; 5 on September 19-25; 25, 25, 15 and 10 on September 26-29, then 5 on September 30 through October 4.

Sunspot numbers for September 5-11 were 167, 188, 179, 176, 213, 147, and 179, with a mean of 178.4. The 10.7 -centimeter flux was 240.7, 248.9, 221.7, 227.6, 214.8, 205.2, and 207, with a mean of 223.7. Estimated planetary A indices were 7, 8, 7, 9, 9, 7, and 8, with a mean of 7.9. Middle latitude An Index was 8, 8, 9, 19, 9, 7, and 18, with a mean of 11.1.

A weekly, full report is posted on [ARRL News](#).

Coming Events

2024 Simulated Emergency Test – The annual ARRL SET will be October 5-6, 2024 - Steve Ewald, WV1X, ARRL Field Organization Supervisor

It is time to prepare for the 2024 ARRL Simulated Emergency Test (SET)! ARRL Field Organization leaders are planning simulated practice events that will actively involve the Amateur Radio Emergency Service® (ARES®), the Radio Amateur Civil Emergency Service (RACES), the National Traffic System (NTS), SKYWARN®, the Community Emergency Response Team (CERT), The Salvation Army Team Emergency Radio Network (SATERN), other auxiliary communications groups, and public service-oriented radio amateurs.

This nationwide annual event is among the best chances of the year for amateur radio operators to plan for and practice their emergency communications skills in an organized and coordinated effort with public service agencies and organizations in your community, ARRL Section, or state.

Coordination and Cooperation

ARRL has established formal relationships with national organizations and agencies such as the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA), the American Red Cross, The Salvation Army, the National Weather Service, the National Communications System, the Association of Public-Safety Communications Officials-International (APCO-International), Citizen Corps, National Voluntary Organizations Active in Disaster (NVOAD), REACT International, Inc., the Society of Broadcast Engineers (SBE), and the Boy Scouts of America. More details about these organizations and agencies can be found at www.arrl.org/served-agencies-and-partners.

How to Get Involved

To find out how to get involved in this year’s SET, contact your local ARRL Emergency Coordinator or Net Manager. ARRL Affiliated Clubs may know about the nearest ARES group and who the Emergency Coordinator is. In addition, refer to the ARRL Section web pages at www.arrl.org/groups/sections. Your ARRL Section Manager can assist, too. See page 16 in any issue of QST for a list of Section Managers’ contact information.

Ham Radio Licensing Class 10/12-10/13 in La Honda

Half Moon Bay and SC4 Amateur Radio Clubs are hosting a two-day Technician Licensing Class October 12th & 13th at La Honda Fire Brigade. Classes begin at 10am and adjourn by 4:30 PM.

Email education@sc4arc.org to register or for any questions!

EXAM SESSION

October 26th, 2024 also in La Honda

An in-person FCC Licensing Exam will be held Saturday, October 26th, 10am at La Honda Fire Brigade. All license levels will be offered: Technician, General, & Extra. It’s not required that you attend the licensing class. Register for the exam at: <https://ham.study/sessions/66ac34c059313729879f8c0e/1>

For more information on getting your ham license and license training, visit our Learn Page - <https://www.sc4arc.org/learn/licensing>

The Silicon Valley VE group is holding online amateur radio exam sessions on the first and third Saturday morning of every month. More information can be found at <https://www.svve.org>, or by emailing Morris Jones, AD6ZH at ad6zh.mj@gmail.com.

Arv’s - WA6UUT (SK) Wednesday Ham Radio Luncheon Our 17th Year! >> Since May 2, 2007 <<

Black Bear Diner - 415 East El Camino Real, Sunnyvale, California, (Just “North” of South Fair Oaks Avenue on El Camino Real) - 11:30 AM ~ 3:00 PM

Website: www.blackbeardiner.com. Every Wednesday – Not a Club, Closed Group or Clique: Amateur Radio Operators & Friendly People Are Encouraged To Attend! Call in on the N6NFI Repeater – 145.230MHz, PL 100Hz.

QCWA NorCal Chapter 11 - Lunch at Harry’s Hofbrau 3rd Wednesday of every month, 1909 El Camino Real, Redwood City, CA. No host. 11:00AM to 1:00PM (approx.).

North County Fire Authority CERT Training – For information: <https://northcountyfire.org/home/cert-classes/>

If you have an event you’d like posted in the Coastside Communicator, please send to: kj6ogl@arrl.net

OCTOBER PUZZLER

PAUL ATKINS, AI6BB

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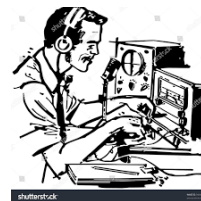
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*** NOTICE ***

Mark your Calendar: The October 9th CARC Meeting is the Nomination of Officers meeting. Come and show your your support. Offer your services as an Officer or nominate a fellow member.



CARC MEETING/EVENT SCHEDULE

Date	Event
Jan 10 th	Firehouse Meeting - 2024 Agenda Planning
Jan 27 th -28 th	Winter Field Day
Feb 14 th	Firehouse Meeting - 2024 Agenda Final
Mar 10 th	Daylight Savings Time Starts
Mar 13 th	Firehouse Meeting
Apr 10 th	Pizza Meeting – TBD
May 8 th	Firehouse Meeting - Field Day Planning
Jun 12 th	Firehouse Meeting - Final FD Planning
Jun 14 th	Flag Day
Jun 22 nd -23 rd	Field Day – Location: Oceana HS
Jul 10 th	Firehouse Meeting
Aug 14 th	Firehouse Meeting
Sep 11 th	Firehouse Meeting – Fog Fest TBD
Sep 28 th -29 th	Pacific Coast Fog Fest
Oct 9 th	Firehouse Meeting – 2025 Nomination of Officers
Nov 2 nd	Dinner Meeting & Election of Officers – Location Nick's Restaurant - Pacifica
Nov 3 rd	Daylight Savings Time Ends
Dec 11 th	Firehouse Meeting - Holiday Potluck

All meetings are held at 7:30pm, at Pacifica Fire Station #72 (Linda Mar), 1100 Linda Mar Boulevard, Pacifica, CA 94044, unless otherwise stated. If possible, meetings will have a Zoom component.

COASTSIDE AMATEUR RADIO CLUB

The Coastside Amateur Radio Club (CARC) is affiliated with ARRL and meets the second Wednesday of each month at 19:30 hrs. in the Linda Mar Fire Station Community Room, on Linda Mar Blvd. in Pacifica. Visitors are welcome.

The CARC has been organized since 1959, serving Bay Area amateurs, and providing emergency communications services to the City of Pacifica. Membership dues are \$20.00 per year for the administration of the Club and the publication of the Communicator.

CARC supports one repeater, WA6TOW/R (VHF), and an APRS Digipeater, WA6TOW-2, on the North Peak of Montara Mountain, altitude 1900 feet located on the border of Pacifica and Montara: Users of the machine provide repeater support and maintenance strictly through donations.

VHF: 146.925 MHz –offset 600 KHz PL 114.8

PL Tone: 114.8 Hz is used on both repeaters, as needed, for noise suppression.

APRS Digipeater: 144.390 MHz.

CARC/Pacifica OES VHF Simplex: 146.535 MHz

PL Tone: 114.8 Hz is used, as needed, for noise suppression.

7VHF Nets

The club sponsors a VHF net each Wednesday, with the exception of meeting nights, at 20:00 hrs. for membership check-ins, notices, and QST's. Note: The WA6TOW repeater on 441.075 MHz may be used as an alternate if the WA6TOW VHF repeater is down. The WA6TOW-UHF repeater is currently not available.

HF Net

The club sponsors a HF rag chew net on 3.852 MHz, or the first clear frequency up/dn, on Saturday at 09:00 hrs. with an alternate frequency of 7.228 MHz.



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8:00 PM on WA6TOW 146.925 MHz, PL
114.8 and KC6ULT 146.865 MHz, PL 114.8
simultaneously, but not linked.
San Mateo County ACS Net

Wednesday

8:00 PM on WA6TOW
146.925 MHz, PL 114.8
Coastside Amateur Radio Club Wednesday
Night Check-in.

Saturday

9:00 AM on 3.852 MHz, or the first clear
frequency up/dn.
(alt freq of 7.228 MHz.)
Coastside Saturday Morning Group.

10:00 AM on WA6TOW
146.925 MHz, PL 114.8
QCWA Ch. 11 NorCal. Net

Sunday:

7:00-7:45 AM on WA6TOW
146.925 MHz, PL 114.8
Knights of the Megahertz Net

Note: All 2m repeater traffic is recorded and
may be replayed at audiostickerburr.net.

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WATCH FOR INVITATION VIA E-MAIL OR CONTACT
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