

This month is our annual election of officers. At the last meeting, a motion was passed to suspend Article 2, Section III of the club's Constitution in order to allow current club officers to be re-elected. While all of our current officers are willing to serve another year, we would all support anyone else that might like to get involved.

Your current roster of elected officers are:

- President Scott Deykes, WT8S (nominated for re-election)
- Vice President Roy Watts, W8ROY (nominated for re-election)
- Treasurer Rich Zarczynski , AC8FJ (nominated for re-election)
- ◆ Secretary Don Fellows, KC8VCX (nominated for re-election)

Can we add your name to the list of candidates?

### A reminder from our Treasurer:

I am still accepting 2024 dues. The current fee is \$17.00. Please bring exact change if payment is by cash. Checks to GCARC also will be accepted. Dues can be paid in person during meetings or by mail to our P.O. Box listed above. Please mention our club to prospective new members who may be interested in joining.

73.

Richard Zarczynski / AC8FJ GCARC Treasurer

# **Upcoming SWAP Meets:**

12/3/23 - Fulton County Winterfest, Archbold, OH

12/3/23 - L'Anse Creuse, Troy, MI 1/15/24 - SCARF Hamfest, Shade, OH

-Thanks to Rich, W8DOW, for this listing.



# **W1AW Operating Schedule**

### Morning Schedule:

Time Mode Days
-----1400 UTC (9 AM EST) CWs Wed, Fri
1400 UTC (9 AM EST) CWf Tue, Thu

Daily Visitor Operating Hours:

1500 UTC to 2045 UTC - (10 AM to 3:45 PM EST)

### Afternoon/Evening Schedule:

2100 UTC (4 PM EST) CWf Mon, Wed, Fri 2100 " " CWs Tue, Thu 2200 " (5 PM EST) CWb 2300 " (6 PM EST) DIGITAL Daily 0000 " (7 PM EST) CWs Mon, Wed, Fri 0000 " " CWf Tue, Thu 0100 " (8 PM EST) CWb 0200 " (9 PM EST) DIGITAL Daily 0245 " (9:45 PM EST) VOICE Daily 0300 " (10 PM EST) CWf Mon, Wed, Fri 0300 " " CWs Tue, Thu 0400 " (11 PM EST) CWb Daily

## Frequencies (MHz)

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CW: 1.8025 3.5815 7.0475 14.0475 18.0975 21.0675 28.0675 50.350 147.555 DIGITAL: - 3.5975 7.095 14.095 18.1025 21.095 28.095 50.350 147.555 VOICE: 1.855 3.990 7.290 14.290 18.160 21.390 28.590 50.350 147.555

#### Notes:

CWs = Morse Code practice (slow) = 5, 7.5, 10, 13 and 15 WPM CWf = Morse Code practice (fast) = 35, 30, 25, 20, 15, 13 and 10 WPM CWb = Morse Code Bulletins = 18 WPM CW frequencies include code practices, Qualifying Runs and CW bulletins.

DIGITAL = BAUDOT (45.45 baud), BPSK31 and MFSK16 in a revolving schedule.

Code practice texts are from QST, and the source of each practice is given at the beginning of each practice and at the beginning of alternate speeds.

On Tuesdays and Fridays at 2330 UTC (6:30 PM EST), Keplerian Elements for active amateur satellites are sent on the regular digital frequencies.

A DX bulletin replaces or is added to the regular bulletins between 0100 UTC (8 PM EST) Thursdays and 0100 UTC (8 PM EST) Fridays.

Audio from W1AW's CW code practices, CW/digital bulletins and phone bulletin is available using EchoLink via the W1AW Conference Server named "W1AWBDCT." The monthly W1AW Qualifying Runs are presented here as well. The audio is sent in real-time and runs concurrently with W1AW's regular transmission schedule.

### **W1AW** continued:

All users who connect to the conference server are muted. Please note that any questions or comments about this server should not be sent via the "Text" window in EchoLink. Please direct any questions or comments to w1aw@arrl.org.

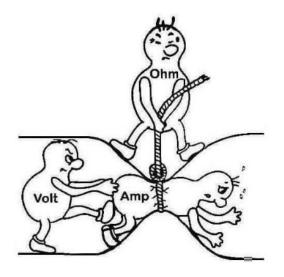
In a communications emergency, monitor W1AW for special bulletins as follows: Voice on the hour, Digital at 15 minutes past the hour, and CW on the half hour.

All licensed amateurs may operate the station from 1500 UTC to 2045 UTC (10 AM to 3:45 PM EST). Be sure to bring a reference copy of your current FCC amateur radio license.

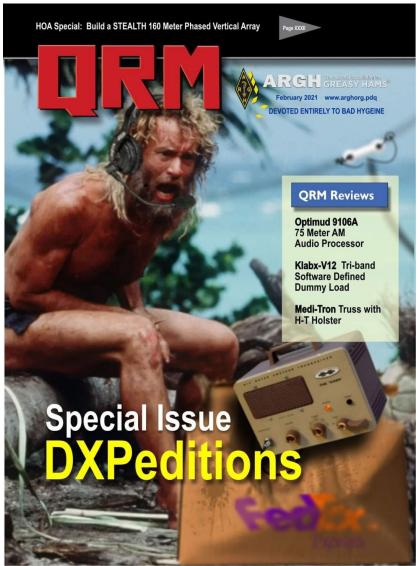
The weekly W1AW and monthly West Coast Qualifying Runs are sent on the normal CW frequencies used for both code practice and bulletin transmissions. West Coast Qualifying Run stations may also use 3590 kHz.

Please note a W1AW Qualifying Run replaces a regularly scheduled code practice transmission on any particular day and time.

(thanks to W8DOW)







# AMATEUR RADIO/COMPUTER SWAP

# SUNDAY, DECEMBER 3, 2023 L'ANSE CREUSE AMATEUR RADIO CLUB 50th ANNUAL SWAP & SHOP



## Balkan American Community Center

1451 E. Big Beaver Road Troy, MI 48083

# 8 AM – Noon

(Vendors with Pre-Paid tables get in at 6:30 AM For set up only. No pre-sales will be allowed to be fair to all Swap attendees)



(Kids under 12 Free)



### NEW & USED EQUIPMENT:

- RADIOS Amateur, Commercial, CB
- ELECTRONICS & COMPONENTS
- COMPUTERS AND SOFTWARE
- ACCESSORIES

#### DOOR PRIZES:

(deposit swap ticket at club table)

- I" \$ 100, 2" \$50, 3" \$25
- ARRL GIFT CERTIFICATES

#### SWAP FEATURES:

- FREE PARKING
- FOOD & DRINKS
- VE TESTING
- Talk-In: ECHO Repeater 147.08+ 100h;

## Radio Raffle

### Icom 7300



- HF/50 Mhz Transceiver
- Real-time Spectrum Scope

Raffle ticket: \$10. Available at the club table/advanced reg.

Winner will be drawn before the end of swap

(You do not need to be present to win!)

### FCC EXAM SESSION:

VE Testing: Doors open at 9:00 AM. You will need to bring \$15.00 cash, copies of existing licenses or CSCEs, (originals will not be accepted), two pieces of ID (one must have a photo). You must provide an FRN by registering in the FCC CORES system before exam day.

Questions: Contact Gregg, n8geo@arrl.net

#### For Additional Information Contact:

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\*Please see reverse side for advanced registration form\*

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