
NOARC NEWSLETTER

January 2005

VP's Words

By Don Smith, N8HCS

From the Keyboard of the VP

The club meeting is Thursday February 24th 7:00pm at the White Pine Middle School. Just in case that was not settled on the W8CSO reflector. I see there are a few things to go over. Like what's going on with the repeater site and I am sure there will be other important stuff.

I see my old friend Ray Brooks passed away and he will be surely missed. In the past Ray was a loyal and supportive club member.

Again I would like to know what is going on here in gods country, sure is cold here and if you don't do anything in the winter any way well perhaps they should close Michigan, just put a chain across the bottom of it and don't let anyone in until spring. I mean what's so great about getting up at six in the morning to go to work, getting out of the hot shower, getting dressed and ready for the day. The day will go like this. Out the back door, well almost because during the night the snow blew up against the door and after forcing it open and bending the door so bad it wont straighten out any more you try and get it closed just to trudge out to car to find that the locks on the doors are frozen so you get some hot water and that only can make matters worse because it freezes as soon as it touches the lock, so you force the kev in anv way and break it off in the lock only to find out that

This Month's Meeting

By Criag Christilaw, K8CRC

MFJ 259 Analyzer

02-24-2005

Meeting will be Thursday, February 24th, at the normal time, and at the normal place. The program this month will be a presentation on the MFJ 259 Analyzer.



Grand Rapids Link Receiving Antenna, 5-Mile Hill

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TREASURER'S REPORT:

December 24, 2004

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| Beginning Balance Checkbook 11/27..... | |
| 2,328.65 | |
| SMARS, Marshall Hamfest | 24.00 |
| Marsh Seeburg-Liability Policy | 325.00 |
| Andrew Young Copies | 13.32 |
| Ending Balance as of 12/23..... | 1,956.73 |

Savings balance as of 12/23.....3,176.47

Grand Haven Comm Foundation 12/23..... 2,692.10

Grand total

all accounts..... 7.725.30

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

TECHNICIAN CLASS

BARBER SCHOOL, 1 BLOCK SOUTH OF THE VILLAGE HALL IN SPRING LAKE.

7:00 PM MONDAYS

Licensing class to help prospective Hams to earn their licenses.

The class will meet every Monday for several weeks, ending with a VE session.

NOARC NET

145.49 MHz, GRAND HAVEN

8:00 PM EVERY TUESDAY

Short net with check-ins, some discussion, and an informal get-together at Russ' on US 31 in Grand Haven afterward.

BREAKFAST

PINE STREET CAFE

7:00 AM SATURDAYS

Join us on Saturday to catch up on the latest.

MARSHALL HAMFEST

MARCH 19

CLUB TABLE PROVIDED.

NET CONTROL SCHEDULE

FEB 1- DON SMITH N8HCS

FEB 8- TOM LAU W8TML

FEB 15- TOM VANDERMEL KB8VEE

FEB 22- WOODY ALDRICH N8LBG

MAR 1- DEAN WHITNEY KF8NS

MAR 8- BRAD KING N8PFC

MAR 15- JOHN FISCHER KC8UNY

MAR 22- ANDREW YOUNG- N8ARY

THE NET IS AT 8:00 PM EVERY TUESDAY ON

145.490 MHz. PLEASE ARRANGE FOR A

REPLACEMENT IF YOU CANNOT MAKE YOUR

APPOINTMENT AS NET CONTROL.

CLUB WEBSITE: <http://groups.yahoo.com/w8cso>

President- Tom Fischer- K8000

Vice President- Donald Smith- N8HCS

Secretary- Tom Lau- W8TML

Treasurer- John Sundstrom- N8YQD

Fungineer (Formerly known as Activities Director)- Craig Christilaw- K8CRC

This month's editor: Andrew Young- N8ARY

Dues are payable in December. Current dues are \$35 individual, \$45 Family. Please register on the Club's website to receive announcements and communications from other club members, or provide your mailing address and telephone number via "snail mail."

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