

# AMATEUR RADIO CLUB OF COLUMBIA COUNTY, INC.



THE ARCCC, INC. WELCOMES YOU!

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GENERAL MEETING  
MEETING #82  
Tuesday, July 28th, 2020  
7 PM

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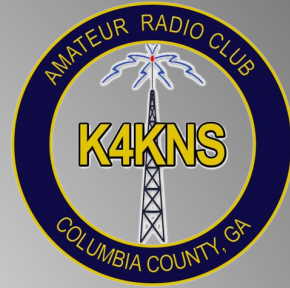


**INVOCATION**



# MEETING AGENDA

- Welcome
- Applications for New Membership
- Treasury Report and Previous Meeting Minutes
- Old Business/Updates
- ARRL Field Day Review
- New Business
- East Central/Columbia County ARES
- AmRRON
- Review Motions and Assignments
- Adjourn



# Welcome and Introductions

- Meeting host will conduct roll call, audio check with each Zoom participant
- Recognize Facebook Live participants
- Recognize Special Guests & Visitors





# VIRTUAL SWAP TABLE



ARCCC, Inc. Swap, Sell or Trade Page





# MEMBERSHIP APPLICATIONS

11 July VE Test Session:

- Kevin Seagle (KO4FMU)
- Joe Walker (KO4BUT)
- Timothy Willis (KO4FMV)

Are there any other ARCCC, Inc. Membership Applications for consideration?



# ARCCC, INC. REPORTS

## Treasurer's Report:

### Expenses

Equipment Purchase/Maintenance	\$ 185.69
Communications/Information Technology	\$ 59.95
Outreach	\$ 389.67
Admin Exp Accounts	\$ 64.00
Office Supplies	\$ -
Storage	\$ 747.00
PayPal Fees	\$ 52.62

<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>\$ 1,498.93</b>
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<b>NET INCOME</b>	<b>\$ 1,523.27</b>
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<b>TOTAL FUNDING AVAILABLE</b>	<b>\$4,990.53</b>
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### COMMITMENTS

Repeater Committee	(\$3,000.00)
Storage Fees	(\$448.20)
AWS & Domain Name Renewal	(\$176.67)

<b>FUNDING AVAILABLE TO SUPPORT OPERATIONS</b>	<b>\$1,365.66</b>
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## Secretary's Report:

— [Posted on Website](#)





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### Donations from AmazonSmile

Cumulative

**\$623.15**

Received to date

Most Recent

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Received in May 2020

The next donation will be sent in Aug 2020

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# UPCOMING EVENTS

- ~~8-22/23-2020~~ ~~Huntsville Hamfest~~ *cancelled*
- 8-8/9-2020 [QSO Today Virtual Ham Expo](#)
- 8-25-2020 ARCCC, Inc. August Meeting
- ~~9-4/6-2020~~ ~~Shelby Hamfest~~ *cancelled*
- 9-6-2020 ARCCC, Inc. BOD Meeting
- 9/12/2020 ARCCC, Inc. VE Test Session
- ~~11-7/8-2020~~ ~~Stone Mtn Hamfest~~ *cancelled*



# QSO Today Virtual Ham Expo

## QSO Today Virtual Ham Expo

Participate in this ground breaking, virtual international amateur radio expo. Packed with world renowned speakers, exhibitors, and special conference rooms built on a virtual reality platform. Attend from the convenience of your desktop, laptop, tablet, or smartphone.

**Coming to your laptop, tablet, and smartphone on:  
August 8 and 9, 2020**

Event	Zulu (GMT)	Pacific	Eastern
Expo Opens	8/8/2020 0:45:00	8/7/2020 17:45:00	8/7/2020 20:45:00
Keynote Address	8/8/2020 1:00:00	8/7/2020 18:00:00	8/7/2020 21:00:00
Saturday Speakers Begin	8/8/2020 15:00:00	8/8/2020 8:00:00	8/8/2020 11:00:00
Sunday Speakers Begin	8/9/2020 15:00:00	8/9/2020 8:00:00	8/9/2020 11:00:00
Live Expo Ends	8/10/2020 0:45:00	8/9/2020 17:45:00	8/9/2020 20:45:00
On-Demand Expo Begins	8/10/2020 1:00:00	8/9/2020 18:00:00	8/9/2020 21:00:00
On-Demand Expo Ends	9/9/2020 0:45:00	9/8/2020 17:45:00	9/8/2020 20:45:00

**Register by July 24, 2020 to receive early bird prize incentives!**



**ARRL  
Sanctioned  
Hamfest**





# OLD BUSINESS

- Belair Rd repeater repair, PM and upgrades
  - Funds for tower work have been reserved
  - Initial site preparation (trenching & installing innerduct) on June 6<sup>th</sup>
  - 1-5/8" and 1-1/4" coax has been secured
  - Both pieces of coax will not fit in the 4" innerduct
  - Repeater Committee met to develop a plan for going forward:
    - Need to purchase 2 X 1-1/4" connectors (approx. \$170)
    - Dig another trench for conduit for the 1-1/4" hardline (tentatively scheduled for Saturday, 15 August)
- Storage of club property
  - Members approved storage shed payment through end of September 2020
  - Donations Subcommittee has begun the process of identifying which items will be retained and which will be sold
  - Volunteers will be needed to assist with disposition, relocation, and possibly storage of club property
- Nominations Committee
  - Need committee members and a director!
  - Board of Directors election in November
  - Nominations will be offered at the October meeting
  - Slate must be presented to club members by email at least two weeks prior to the November meeting

Any updates or further discussion on these items?





# ARRL Field Day 2020

June 27 – 28, 2020







# ARRL FIELD DAY

- K4KNS operated as 2A from Camp Tanglewood on June 27th
  - Using club-owned IC-7100 and IC-7600 radios
- 44 SSB QSOs on 40m + 31 SSB QSOs on 20m
  - Preliminary score for K4KNS: 1,090
- Additional logs submitted for ARCCC:
  - K1OYQ – 1D (+654)
  - N1ADM – 1D (+274)
  - WK4F – 1D (+252)
- Cumulative claimed score: 2,270















# NEW BUSINESS

- Field Day Committee members needed for 2021 Winter Field Day and ARRL Field Day. New Field Day Committee Co-Directors:
  - Robert McManus, KN4KQJ
  - David Corsiglia, WA6TWF
- Proposal for combined ARCA-ARCCC Winter Field Day event
  - ARCCC's FD Committee would work with ARCA's FD Committee if the clubs would like to pursue this
- ARCCC guidance/assistance to set up and support a school radio club
  - Thomas Hardin (KO4FFA) hopes to establish a club at Evans High School
- Bring Your Own Project (BYOP) Workshop
  - Camp Tanglewood is not available on September 19<sup>th</sup> or 26<sup>th</sup>
  - Different venue or alternate dates
  - With increasing number of COVID cases, it may be prudent to wait until later in the year





# COMMITTEE UPDATES

**Directors provide QUICK UPDATES on their committees**

- Asset/Inventory Committee
    - Donation Subcommittee
  - Constitution and Bylaws Committee
  - Chaplain and Visitation Committee
  - Field Day Committee
  - Fundraising Committee
  - IT Committee
  - Mentoring Committee
  - Net Control Committee
  - Nomination Committee
  - Outreach Committee
  - Repeater Committee
  - Volunteer Examiner Committee
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- Public Information Officer (PIO)
  - K4KNS Trustee
  - QSL Manager

# East Central/Columbia County ARES



Pete LaPierre, K1OYQ  
CC GA ARES EC



# AmRRON



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**The American Redoubt Radio Operators Network  
and The American Preparedness Radio Network (TAPRN)**

Devon Harris, KM4PHT



# Questions?



# REVIEW

- Review motions and assignments
- We would welcome your presentations and ideas for presentations. We can still have presentations while our meetings are online!
- What would you like to see for a presentation topic next month?
- Is there a motion to adjourn the meeting?





**THANK YOU!!!**