### AMATEUR RADIO CLUB OF COLUMBIA COUNTY, INC.





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GENERAL MEETING MEETING #89 Tuesday, January 26th, 2021 7 PM

This meeting is being recorded



# INVOCATION



# MEETING AGENDA

- Welcome
- Applications for New Membership
- Treasury Report and Previous Meeting Minutes
- Upcoming Events
- Old Business
- New Business
- Winter Field Day
- Savannah River Academy-ARISS Support
- Committee Updates
- 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

## MEMBERSHIP APPLICATIONS



From the January 9<sup>th</sup> VE Test Session:

### David Slabodnick, KO4LDS

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



### VIRTUAL SWAP TABLE



#### ARCCC, Inc. Swap, Sell or Trade Page



# AmazonSmile

\$39.46 donated to ARCCC, Inc. on November 12<sup>th</sup>

- Log into <u>https://smile.amazon.com/</u>
- Select the Amateur Radio Club of Columbia County, Inc as your charity



#### Support Amateur Radio Club Of Columbia County Inc.

When you shop at **smile.amazon.com**, Amazon donates.

Go to smile.amazon.com

#### amazonsmile

# ARCCC, Inc. Board of Directors 2021-2022



- President Dan Marshall, N1ADM
- Vice President Bill Clark, WK4F
- Secretary Samantha Clayborn, KM4NSF
- Treasurer Rick McKnight, NO3K
- Board Member at Large David Corsiglia, WA6TWF



### ARCCC, INC. MONTHLY REPORTS

### Treasurer's Report, as of January 25, 2021

### Secretary's Report

Posted on Website

ARCCC ACCOUNTS	AMOUNT
7513 - Main Account	\$5,113.15
4913 - Pay Pal Account	\$1,000.00
Pending Transfer from PayPal	\$ 2,139.09
Petty Cash - Treasurer	\$150.00
Petty Cash - Asset Committee	\$0.00
Pending Deposit - Checks	\$0.00
Pending Deposit - Cash	\$0.00
TOTAL AMOUNT	\$8,402.24
Less Commitments	
- Repeater Committee	(\$4,204.90
- AWS & Domain Name Renewal	(\$171.79
TOTAL AVAILABLE FUNDING	\$4,025.55

## **UPCOMING EVENTS**



- 01-30/31-2021
- 02-23-2021
- 03-09-2021
- 03-13-2021

#### Winter Field Day

ARCCC, Inc. February Meeting ARCCC, Inc. BoD Meeting ARCCC, Inc. VE Test Session

# **OLD BUSINESS**



#### Belair Rd Repeater

- New coax can be installed without additional digging!
- Awaiting permission from county to proceed with installation

#### • Winter Field Day

- ARCA will **not** be participating as a club with ARCCC in Winter Field Day this year
- <u>Winter Field Day</u> rules for this year will allow home station operators to contribute scores toward a club total
- The option is still open to set up a club station at a public location, if someone would like to organize it

#### Resuming In-Person Meetings

- New board will continue make an assessment each month regarding in-person vs. online meetings
- Columbia County EMA will allow ARCCC to continue to use the EOC for meetings and VE tests

### **New Business**



- Savannah River Academy's application for an ARISS contact was accepted!
  - A few have already volunteered to plan and assist, but more volunteers would be welcomed
  - Planning a Zoom meeting with ARCCC volunteers, SRA POC, and the ARISS Educational Ambassador to plan our next steps
- The club website is back online!
  - Special thanks to the volunteers on the IT Committee
  - Seeking volunteers to review content on the web page to ensure it is current and accurate
  - Also seeking someone to serve as a Public Information Officer to coordinate the club's public outreach and messaging via email, web page, Facebook page, etc.

#### HTs for VE Team

- The club has provided inexpensive HTs (typically Baofeng UV-5R or UV-82), preprogramed with CSRA repeater frequencies, to give away to a successful examinee at every VE testing session
- The VE team has two radios left, and will need at least three additional radios to get cover the test sessions remaining this year



### Winter Field Day January 30-31, 2021



See the <u>Winter Field Day</u> Rules for additional information regarding group/club tallied scores.

Members participating from home using their own callsign who also wish to contribute their score toward the club total must all use the same name in the CLUB: line of the Cabrillo log.

To contribute your score toward the ARCCC total, please use "ARC of Columbia County". Do NOT use the club callsign in your personal contest entry.



# Cabrillo Log Example

START-OF-LOG: 3.0 **Created-By: N3FJP Winter Field Day Log CONTEST: WFD** CALLSIGN: N1ADM **CLUB: ARC of Columbia County** LOCATION: Grovetown, GA **ARRL-SECTION: GA** CATEGORY: 1H **CATEGORY-POWER: LOW** 

### Winter Field Day

You never know who might show up!





### Savannah River Academy ARISS Application







ARCCC, Inc. is sponsoring the Savannah River Academy for their application to schedule a contact with an astronaut on the International Space Station.

Rachel Jones (KO4HLC) and Rick McKnight (NO3K) are the ARCCC, Inc. POCs

### Requesting participation by ARCCC, Inc. members to provide support with equipment, expertise and ham radio demonstrations to support the school's STEM programs.

<u>Check out this YouTube video of an ARISS contact with a school in Maine on January 21<sup>st</sup>.</u>

Programs developed by the club for Savannah River Academy can also be adapted to support other area schools.

# **COMMITTEE UPDATES**



#### **Directors provide <u>QUICK UPDATES</u>** on their committees

- IT
- Repeater
- Net Control
- Volunteer Examiner
- Constitution and Bylaws
- Field Day
- Asset/Inventory
- Nomination
- Chaplain and Visitation
- Fundraising
- Mentoring
- Outreach

**Appointed Positions:** 

- K4KNS Trustee
- Public Information Officer
- QSL Manager



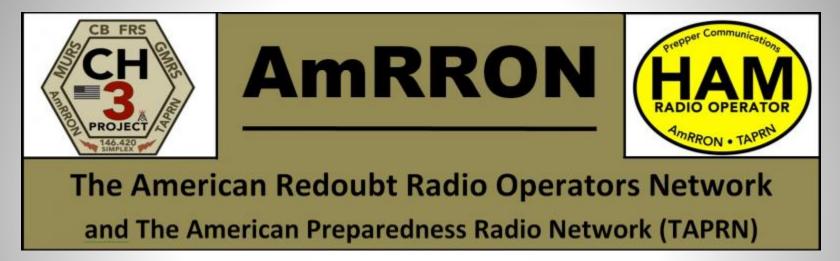
### East Central/Columbia County ARES



Susan Messick, WAOB CC GA ARES EC

### AmRRON





Devon Harris, KM4PHT

### 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!!!