

AMATEUR RADIO CLUB OF COLUMBIA COUNTY, INC.



THE ARCCC, INC. WELCOMES YOU!

The meeting will begin at 7 PM

The meeting host will mute participant audio when the
meeting starts

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GENERAL MEETING
MEETING #92
Tuesday, March 23rd, 2021
7 PM

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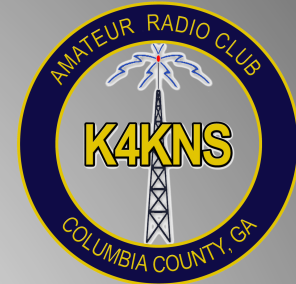


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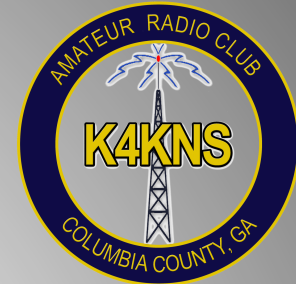
MEETING AGENDA

- Welcome
- Applications for New Membership
- Treasury Report and Previous Meeting Minutes
- Upcoming Events
- Old Business
- New Business
- Committee Updates
- East Central/Columbia County ARES
- AmRRON
- Review Motions and Assignments
- Adjourn
- Presentation: Intro to DMR, Eric Baksin, KC9ASC



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 VE Test Session on March 13th:

Corbin Cooney

Russ Dedrickson, KO4LDT

Russell Fenton

Jose George

Jesse Gill

Randolph Kanipe

Jameson Lewis

Marcus Roseman

Mark Sisson

Camilla Reid

David Reid

Marc Thompson

Glenn Todd

Aparna Vijayan

Mark Wilson

New member application:

Marion Butler, KO4NSY

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



A photograph of a round table set up as a swap table. On the table are various items including a box of tissues, a small electronic device, a box labeled "SWAP TABLE", a pen, and some papers. A blue sign on the table reads "SWAP TABLE".



AmazonSmile

Support Amateur Radio Club Of Columbia County Inc.

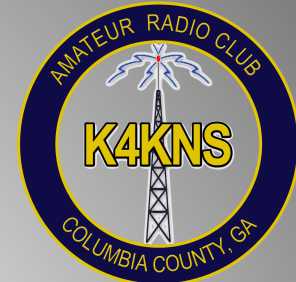
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Amazon donates.

Go to smile.amazon.com

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\$51.73 was donated to ARCCC,
Inc. on February 21st

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



ARCCC, INC. MONTHLY REPORTS

Treasurer's Report,
as of March 14th, 2021:

Secretary's Report

- [Posted on Website](#)

CHECKBOOK SUMMARY

VE ACCOUNT		AMOUNT
9695 - VE Account		\$959.10
ARCCC ACCOUNTS		AMOUNT
7513 - Main Account		\$5,152.89
4913 - Pay Pal Account		\$1,000.00
Pending Transfer from PayPal		\$ 2,767.89
Petty Cash - Treasurer		\$150.00
Petty Cash - Asset Committee		\$0.00
Pending Deposit - Checks		\$0.00
Pending Deposit - Cash		\$0.00
TOTAL AMOUNT		\$9,070.78
Less Commitments		
- Repeater Committee		(\$4,204.90)
- AWS & Domain Name Renewal		(\$171.79)
- Purchase of HTs for VE Sessions		(\$125.00)
TOTAL AVAILABLE FUNDING		\$4,569.09



UPCOMING EVENTS

- 04-10-2021 [Ridge ARC Tailgater](#)
- 04-27-2021 ARCCC, Inc. April Meeting
- 06-05-2021 Atlanta Hamfest
- 06-26/27-2021 [ARRL Field Day](#)
- 08-21/22-2021 [Huntsville Hamfest](#)
- 08-28-2021 CCEMA Public Safety & Preparedness Day
- 09-03/05-2021 [Shelby Hamfest](#)
- 11-06/07-2021 [Stone Mountain Hamfest](#)

Savannah River Academy - ARISS Contact

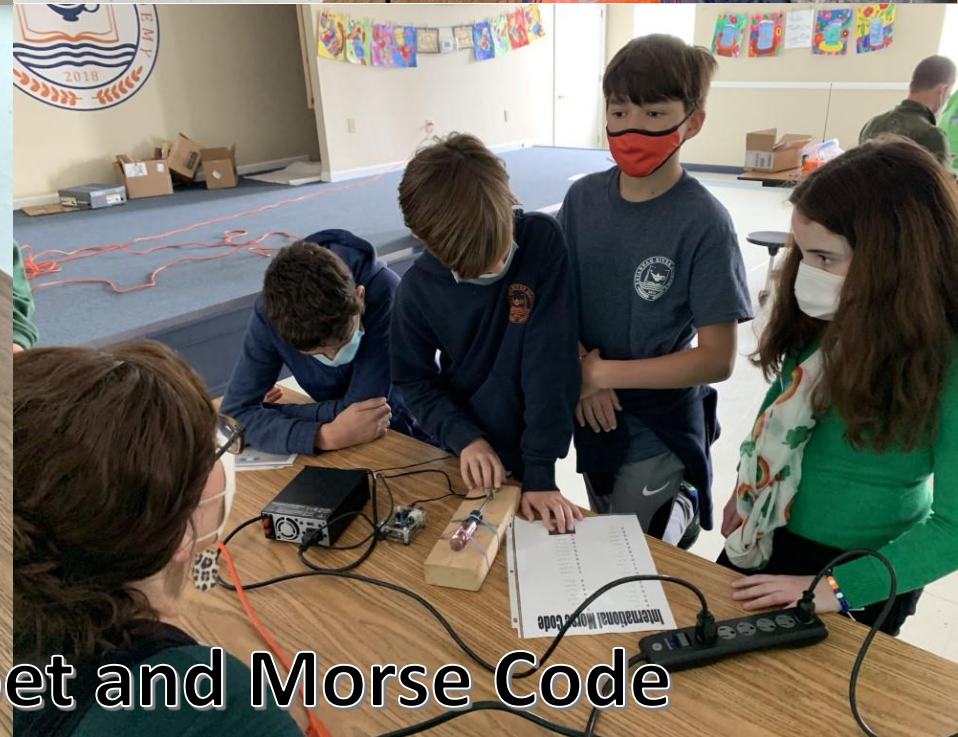
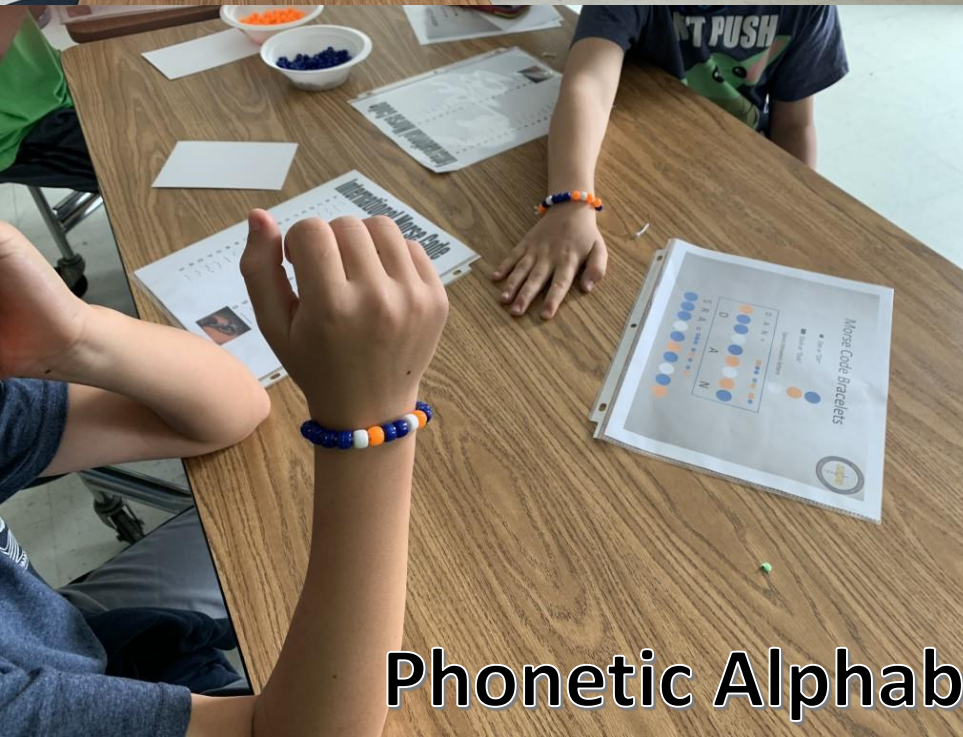
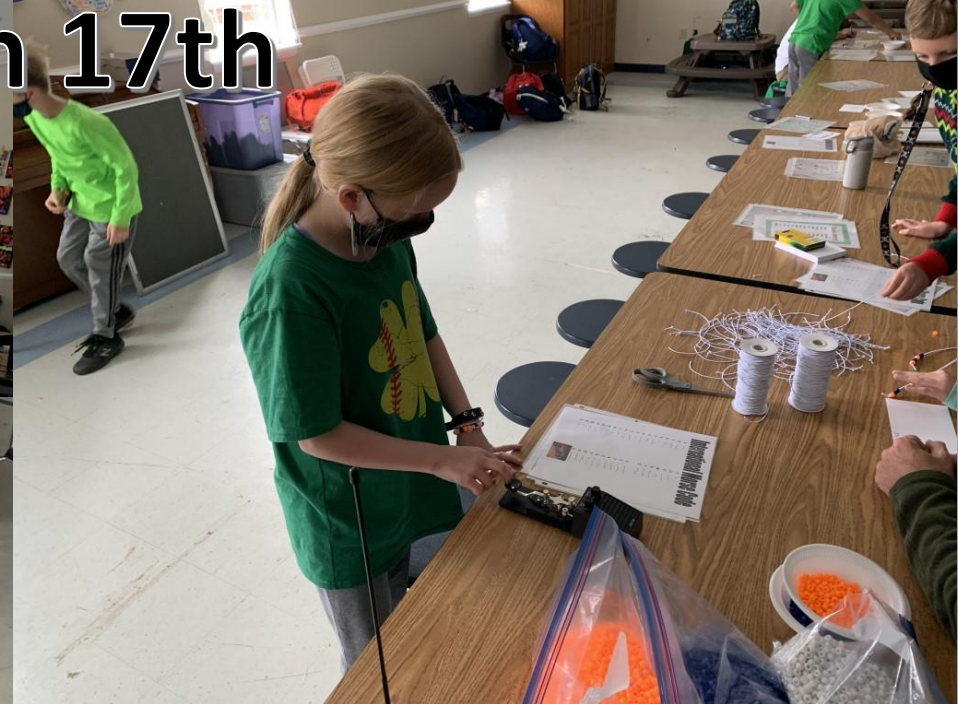


ARISS
Amateur Radio on the International Space Station



- The window for the contact is July-December, with 1-2 week notice of the exact date
- We have started educational presentations for the students leading up to the contact
 - Wednesday afternoons from 1:00-3:30, with 3 groups in 45-minute rotations, mostly grades 2-5
 - Next dates: March 24th, March 31st, April 14th, April 21st, April 28th, May 5th, May 12th, May 19th
- **We need more volunteers to help teach the students! Please [contact Rachel Jones](#), KO4HLC, if you can assist during one or more of these upcoming sessions**
- **Other volunteer opportunities:**
 - Need hams on local repeaters to talk to the students, dates TBA
 - Need operators to set up and assist students to make contacts on HF radios, dates TBA
 - Need kit builders to assemble 10 [morse code practice oscillators](#)
 - Planning for a balloon launch with APRS/WSPR beacon and a kid's fox hunt
- **SRA Spirit Night, March 25th, 6-8 PM**
 - Set up a display with flyers and information for outreach to students and parents

March 17th



Phonetic Alphabet and Morse Code



Old Business

- **Columbia County Public Safety and Preparedness Day, August 28th**
 - What are your ideas for club participation in this event?
 - We will need volunteers to coordinate and staff the event
- **Resuming In-Person Meetings**
 - Barring any unforeseen circumstances, we will meet at the Columbia County EOC for our meeting on April 27th
- **Collection of annual membership dues is underway**
 - Thank you to those who have already responded
- **ARRL Field Day 2021**
 - Field Day is June 26-27, 2021
 - Rule waivers for 2020 have been extended
 - We need a committee and co-directors to organize ARCCC's participation
- **Belair Rd Repeater Work**





COMMITTEE UPDATES

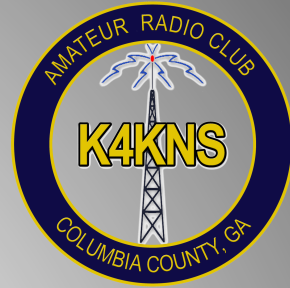
Directors provide QUICK UPDATES on their committees

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

Appointed Positions:

- K4KNS Trustee
- Public Information Officer
- QSL Manager

East Central/Columbia County ARES



Susan Messick, WA0B
Columbia County GA ARES EC



AmRRON



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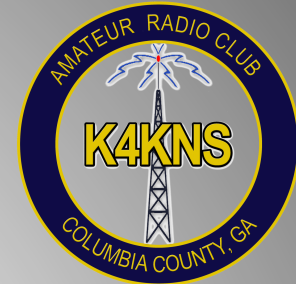
**The American Redoubt Radio Operators Network
and The American Preparedness Radio Network (TAPRN)**

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?



Presentation



Introduction to Digital Mobile Radio (DMR)

Presented by: Eric Baksin KC9ASC



BrandMeister

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THANK YOU!!!