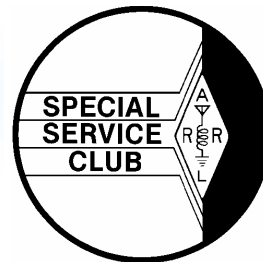




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**CQ CQ CQ this is W9ZL special event station for the EAA Airventure 2008.....**

Yes it's approaching soon , the FCARC has once again been invited to hold a special event station at the EAA's Airventure 2008. We will be operating the station on Thursday July 31, Friday August 01, Saturday August 02, and Sunday August 03. Operator shifts are half- day. Participants in the AM shifts will have the option to meet at a restaurant to be announced at 06:30AM. Pm shifts will start at noon.

For the second year the special event station will be a part of the EAA Kids Venture. This is a big change from years past when our event was a separate entity. With this change last year we where brought more into the Airventure event and we where provided with a number of new perks not provided in the past.

There will be eight operating positions available for each shift daily. Participants will have the option of receiving an admission wristband to attend the show. Sign up sheets for the event will be available at the monthly meeting starting in May.

We will also need help in stetting up antennas on Saturday July 27 2008.

**Jon Oldenburg AB9AH**  
EAA Special Event Chairman

**FCARC Officers**

- *President– Frank Livermore (N9LT)*
- *Vice-President— Dave Sprangers (ND9DW)*
- *Treasurer—Karen Long (KC9BMH)*
- *Secretary– Mike Smith (N9IAT)*
- *Membership Co-ord—Dan Vanevenhoven (N9LVS)*
- *Technical Director—Andy Palm (NIKSN)*
- **Members At Large–**
- *John Touzinsky (K9KI)*
- *Tom Riederer (N9UY)*
- *Tony Mach (AB9IO)*

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Check out the FCARC **6 Meter Net** Thursday nights at 8 pm on 52.570 FM

**Fox Cities Amateur Radio Club, Inc.  
General Membership Meeting  
Agenda for May 19th, 2008  
Board of Directors FCARC**

President: Frank N9LT; Vice-President: Dave ND9DW; Treasurer: Karen KC9BMH  
Secretary: Mike N9IAT; Membership Coordinator: Dan Vanevenhoven; Technical Director: Andy N1KSN  
Members at Large: Tony AB9IO, Tom N9UY, Tim KC9FSH

**“Dave Sprangers ND9DW is our 2007 “Ham of the Year”**

**Presiding:** President, Frank Livermore N9LT

**Quorum count:** Vice President; Dave Sprangers ND9DW

**Call to Order: 7: 00 PM**

**Introduction of Members, Roll Call!**

**New Members: N/A**

**Old Business:**

QSL card design choice – N9IAT design with storm clouds

B.) Technical Director Nominations – Repeater Committee (June)

C.) Flag Day Parade – FCARC not selected

**2008 ELECTIONS**

**Vice President Nomination: Dave Sprangers, ND9DW**

**Treasurer Nomination: Karen McDonald, KC9BMH**

**Member At Large Nominations: Tom Riederer N9UY, Tony Mach AB9IO, Tim Hale KC9FSH, John Touzinsky K9KI**

*Final Call for Nominations (Write-In Candidates)*

Ballot distribution and collection, Frank N9LT Chair, Mike N9IAT, and one member in attendance

**New Business:**

A.) The Wave is rented for November for \$250 – Cost taken from \$1,000 seed fund

B.) Motion 04142008-1 Passes: To compensate Alan Bomis \$100 for his work replacing the .76 repeater antenna

**Committee/Coordinator Reports:**

**Field Day Coordinator – N9UY**

**Communityfest Coordinator – KC9FSH**

**Repeater Chair – W9RIC**

**MS Walk Report/Summary – ND9DW**

**Soleburner Run/Walk Report/Summary – KB9LRD**

**JDRF Run/Walk Report/Summary – WJ9K**

**Annual Committee Reports – Open Floor**

**Financial Report (Annual) – KC9BMH**

**ELECTION RESULTS**

**Hal Report: Transmission Line Losses, N1KSN**

**Announcements: NWS Tour June 7<sup>th</sup>, VE Testing June 14<sup>th</sup>, Field Day June 28-29<sup>th</sup>, Communityfest July 4<sup>th</sup>, EAA Airventure July 31<sup>st</sup>-August 3<sup>rd</sup>, FCARC Corn Roast August 3<sup>rd</sup>**

**Raffle Winner [KG8RF]**

**Adjourn:** (Accepting a motion to adjourn) N9UY (2nd) N9LVS (V: M)

## • Membership Renewal Reminders

As a reminder only—following is a list of the membership renewals coming up this month and the following few months. If you have already renewed—thank you. If not, you can renew with Karen (KC9BMH) at the next club meeting.

4/1/2008 N9BC  
 4/1/2008 KC9DNL  
 4/1/2008 WB9MVQ  
 4/1/2008 KC9HYC  
 4/1/2008 KD8BTK  
 4/1/2008 N9MSH  
 5/1/2008 KC9DEF  
 5/1/2008 W9SBU  
 5/1/2008 K9OFU  
 5/1/2008 N9IAT  
 5/1/2008 KC9KZN  
 6/1/2008 W9FBC  
 6/1/2008 KC9HIP  
 6/1/2008 KB9CVR  
 6/1/2008 KC9ECV  
 7/1/2008 N9LVS  
 7/1/2008 W9APL  
 7/1/2008 N9YMC  
 7/1/2008 K9OQO  
 7/1/2008 KC9DMM  
 7/1/2008 K6JDF  
 7/1/2008 KD4GNP  
 7/1/2008 KK0I  
 7/1/2008 N9LSG  
 9/1/2008 KB1DBR  
 9/1/2008 KG8RF  
 9/1/2008 K9OSH  
 9/1/2008 N1KSN  
 9/1/2008 KC9GVM  
 9/1/2008 WB9OJE  
 9/1/2008 KB8MCZ

### Elmer's Contact List

This is a listing of HAMS who are willing to help other HAMS out in special areas. Feel free to contact these fellow HAMS with any questions:

Call / Name	Specialty Area	Phone #
N1KSN— Andy	CW	720-0617
W9ZC— Bob	Tech. Code	725-7974
N9OEQ— Chuck	HF & VHF Digital Modes	788-5497
N9TNW—Bill	HF & Satellite	739-6827
N9LVS—Dan	FCC Personal Data Changes	205-4899

Have something Ham related to sell? If so, contact Mike (N9IAT) at [mike@n9iat.com](mailto:mike@n9iat.com) to arrange for it's insertion in the next issue of this newsletter. We will run it in the newsletter and on-line at [www.fcarc.us](http://www.fcarc.us)

## •Upcoming Events

# VE Testing Dates

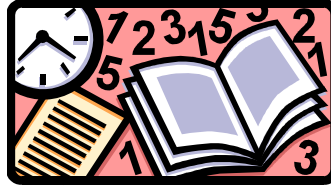
Interested in Amateur (HAM) Radio? Need to upgrade your license? The FCARC can help you with both of these.

With the exception of the November test date, all testing is done at the Red Cross Building at 1302 E. Wisconsin Ave. in Appleton. Test check in is from 8:00 am until 8:30 am. The cost is \$14.00.

Here are the dates for 2008:

**June 14, 2008**

**August 9, 2008**



### Thursday 6 Meter Net

Day: **Thursday**

Time: **8:00 pm**

Frequency: **52.570 FM**

If you would like to be a net control please contact Frank N9LT

### Wednesday 2 Meter Net

#### Net Control Operator schedule

June 11 AB9IO

June 18 KG8RF

June 25 N9SGG

## •Upcoming Events

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|------------------|---|
| June 16, 2008    | General Membership Meeting                  |
| June 28-29, 2008 | <b>Field Day Weekend!</b>                   |
| July 4, 2008     | Community fest (Riverside Park, Neenah, WI) |

Fox Cities Amateur Radio Club (W9ZL) invites everyone to tune in on Wednesday evenings at 8:00 PM on 146.76/R 100hz PL  
Check into the Wednesday night net. This is an open forum net and anything can be discussed, including; technical questions, equipment review and for swap and for sale items.

### **Join me in welcoming the following new members to the club!**

Keith Kemp KC9NLP

#### **Renewed Members:**

Tom Harke AA9A