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## The Modulator

Newsletter and happenings of the Big South Fork Amateur Radio Club. Serving the Big South Fork Region since 1992.

*If you enjoy reading our publication, be sure to open it fully or you will be automatically dropped from our mailing list in 6 months.*



Interested in emergency communications? We have team in Fentress, Morgan and Scott counties looking for volunteers.

ARES



2026 has been designated by the ARRL Board of Directors as the Year of the Club, recognizing that radio clubs are the backbone of ARRL. The growth and development of amateur radio rely on our vibrant community of radio clubs. As BSFARC is an Affiliated Club we are eligible to participate! This should be an exciting promotion for our hobby and could help us better focus on the needs of our members while getting the word out to others.



ARRL has announced free membership for full-time students aged 21 and younger.

ARRL Membership

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# ARRL America250 Worked All States

**A Year-Long Worked-All-States Operating Event Celebrating the 250th Anniversary (Semiquincentennial) of the signing of the Declaration of Independence.**



While the object of the America250 WAS event is to make as many contacts with W1AW/portable states as possible, on as many bands and modes as possible (except 60 Meters), all operators are encouraged to explain celebrating America's 250th anniversary with the ARRL America250 WAS Award to the degree that your operating time allows.

## **Summary:**

- The America250-WAS begins as a **Basic Worked All States Award** by contacting all 50 States in 2026.

## **Endorsements:**

- Contacting W1AW/Portable stations in all 50 States.
- Contacting ARRL Affiliated Club Call Signs in all 50 States.
- Contacting all 50 States on CW and Phone and Digital for a 'TRIPLE PLAY'.

## **Working All States toward achieving your America250 WAS by contacting W1AW/Portable Stations:**

There will be week-long activations of portable W1AW/portable stations in all 50 states, and potentially in several US Possessions/Territories, that will generate on-air activity to achieve this unique WAS Award. For this operating event, ARRL will provide a listing of all W1AW/portable stations, who will each operate for 7 days (from a Wednesday through the following Tuesday) for 2 separate weeks in the year (an early week between January and July, and a late week between July and December). A few weeks will be listed as non-W1AW/portable weeks due to contests and ARRL Field Day.

## **- There will be three (3) specialty Endorsements, including:**

- Earn WAS by contacting W1AW/portable stations in all 50 states (applying for this endorsement will become possible sometime into July or thereafter when the first wave of 50-state activations is completed and the second wave of state activations is underway - ending December 31, 2026).

- Earn WAS by contacting ARRL Affiliated Club stations in all 50 states (see our [Club Search web page](#) to determine the locations and call signs of ARRL Affiliated Clubs). *As an affiliated club we count for those making contact with us under the club's call sign of W4BSF.*
- Earn WAS Triple Play by contacting all 50 states *on all three modes* (CW/Phone/Digital)

**W1AW Operating Upcoming Schedule:**

3-4-2026: No activations

3-11-2026: Virginia W1AW/4, Guam W1AW/KH2

3-18-2026: Hawaii, Kentucky, Minnesota

3-25-2026: North Dakota, Oklahoma

4-1-2026: California, Mississippi, North Carolina,

4-8-2026: Washington, Missouri, New Mexico,

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## Club Bi-Monthly Training Session

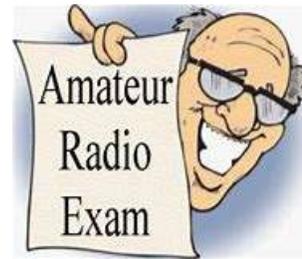
March 12, 2026

Our training will be held on March 12th - 2026 at 7:00pm Eastern at Roane State Community College in Huntsville TN. We will have a quick presentation on Anderson Power Pole connectors and why you should consider using them. After that we will move into a table top exercise and work on reporting a severe weather event. Please bring paper and a pencil/pen for recording your observations or documenting reports from others. It is sure to be a very interactive session!



Every other year we host a weather safety and spotter training session from the National Weather Service. This year you can either attend virtually through the web or at another location on the area. We will host a session in the spring of 2027.

SKYWARN Training



Let us know if you are ready for the exam at [W4BSF@BSFARC.ORG](mailto:W4BSF@BSFARC.ORG) as we can schedule a session just for you!

## Local and In-Person Exams

The VE (Volunteer Examiner) team has made the transition to electronic submission for testing documents. While we still only do in-person testing the applicant can choose to take a paper exam or complete their test using a computer. Forms are then emailed to the applicant, ARRL and to the FCC for faster processing. The ARRL testing fee is still \$15 for adults and under the age of 18 it is only \$5. The \$35 license fee is paid directly to the FCC and with the ARRL youth program they will reimburse the youths that fee! We will work with you to schedule an exam in your area at a convenient time. No more waiting, long drives or trying to take an on-line test with multiple cameras. We try to make it as easy as possible to take but it's up to you to pass!

***The technician question pool will change in July 2026.***

The National Conference of Volunteer

Examiners (NCVEX) will be held in

# Club Bi-Monthly Meeting

April 9, 2026

Our next regular club meeting will be held on April 9th - 2026 at 7:00pm Eastern at Roane State Community College in Huntsville TN. This will be our bi-monthly business meeting plus a meet & greet. We always meet the 2nd Thursday of each month. Our agenda will include planning of special events and training sessions for 2026.

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## Meeting Minutes

If you did NOT receive the meeting minutes for the last meeting you may have been dropped from the club roster. Our member only portal password has also been changed. Contact Ricky (W4NRTango at gmail.com) to check on your membership status. Our dues are still only \$10.00 per year for the first person in your household!

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Previous copies of 'The Modulator' are now on our web site. You can also subscribe to the newsletter there too.



Charles A. (Charlie/Chuck) Condie, age 82, of Oneida, TN, formerly of Sewickley, PA and Aliquippa, PA, passed away peacefully on

Examiner Coordinators (NCVEC) Question Pool Committee (QPC) has removed two questions from the General Class question pool and one question from the Extra Class pool from use. Due to recently published FCC rule changes affecting the 60-meter band (see previous ARRL News story), General Class questions G1A04 and G1C09 are no longer valid were removed from use on examinations. Extra Class question E4D05 were also removed because it contains more than one correct answer. Our VE team is using the most current question pool to help ensure the integrity of this program.

## LICENSE EXAM

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Please welcome Stephen West KR4JIQ to the club and to the world of amateur radio. Stephen having past his test recently has already become 'radio active' by attending a meeting and joining us on some weekly nets.

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Calendar of Events 2026  
(Tentative) Dates in yellow have NOT been confirmed yet.



February 11, 2026, at his home after a brief illness. He was a wonderful husband, father, stepfather, grandfather and great grandfather who will be greatly missed by his beloved family.

Before moving to Oneida in 2008, he worked in Broadcasting in the Pittsburgh, PA area for 43 years. He retired from WPXI-TV (WIIIC-TV) after 38 years. Charlie was born in Pittsburgh, PA and raised in Aliquippa, PA until he was married. He graduated from Aliquippa High School in 1962 and Electronic Institute in 1963. He held a Radio Telephone First Class License with Radar Endorsement.

In addition to his parents, William A. and Catherine Condie, he was preceded in death by his brother, William Dale Condie, and his first wife of 33 years, Jeanne G. Condie. He is survived by his wife of 25 years, M. Carol (Devlin/Fiala) Condie of Oneida, TN; sons, John A. Condie (Pam) of Grand Rapids, MI, and William A. Condie (KJ) of Freeport, FL; stepson, Robert L. Fiala (Justine) of Bellmawr, NJ; grandchildren, Sydney Wiseman (Nick), Samantha Lindhome (Andrew), Alexandra Lorson (Dan), Tanner Condie; step-grandson, Jacob Fiala, and step-granddaughters, Lillian R. Stahl-Fiala, and Allison Nulph (Max); 2 great grandsons; one great granddaughter; many nieces, nephews, and other family members and friends.

Charlie was a member of the Doric Masonic Lodge #630 in Sewickley, PA, where he was a member for over 50 years. He was also a member of the Oneida Masonic Lodge #695 where he was a Past Master in 2013 and 2017, a member of the Kerbella Shriners in Knoxville, TN, a member of Sunshine Chapter #279 Order of Eastern Star in Robbins, TN, a member of Sapphire Chapter #259 Order of Eastern Star in Oneida, TN, a member of the Rugby Methodist Church in Elgin, TN, a member of the Society of Broadcast Engineers, a member of ARRL and Big South Fork Amateur Radio Club, and was licensed in Pittsburgh, PA as K3HGR and changed to W4IIC when he moved to TN, and was an active amateur radio operator for 67 years.

01/1/2026	Love City 2026 Annual Hamfest
3/13/2026	MTARS Tullahoma Hamfest
3/14/2026	MTARS Tullahoma Hamfest
3/12/2026	BSFARC Training/Meet & Greet
3/21/2026	Sevier County 2026 Hamfest
4/9/2026	BSFARC Meeting/Meet & Greet
4/12/2026	Freefest Bartlett Swap (Memphis)
4/18/2026	Greenville TN Hamfest
4/18/2026	POTA Support Your Parks Weekend
4/19/2026	POTA Support Your Parks Weekend
4/25/2026	Big South Fork Spring Planting Day Festival
5/14/2026	BSFARC Training/Meet & Greet
5/15/2026	Hamvention Dayton OH
5/16/2026	Hamvention Dayton OH
5/16/2026	TN Mountain Laurel Festival
5/17/2026	Hamvention Dayton OH
6/6/2026	KY QSO Party
6/6/2026	Museum Ship Weekend SES
6/7/2026	Museum Ship Weekend SES
6/7/2026	KY QSO Party
6/11/2026	BSFARC Meeting/Meet & Greet
6/13/2026	Knoxville Hamfest/ARRL convention
6/27/2026	ARRL Field Day
6/28/2026	ARRL Field Day
7/9/2026	BSFARC Training/Meet & Greet
7/11/2026	Greater Nashville & Middle Tennessee Hamquest
7/18/2026	MCARC (McMinn) Ham Fest
7/18/2026	POTA Support Your Parks Weekend
7/19/2026	POTA Support Your Parks Weekend
8/13/2026	BSFARC Meeting/Meet & Greet
8/22/2026	Huntsville AL Hamfest
8/23/2026	Huntsville AL Hamfest
8/23/2026	Cedars of Lebanon Hamfest – Lebanon, TN.
9/11/2026	Endurance Horse Ride
9/12/2026	Endurance Horse Ride
9/6/2026	Tennessee QSO Party
9/10/2026	BSFARC Training/Meet & Greet
9/19/2026	W4DXCC by SEDCO Pigeon Forge
9/19/2026	Big South Fork Haunting in the Hills Story Telling Festival
10/8/2026	BSFARC Meeting/Meet & Greet
10/17/2026	Big South Fork Blue Heron Ghost Mine
10/17/2026	POTA Support Your Parks Weekend
10/18/2026	POTA Support Your Parks Weekend
10/23/2026	NB 100 Race
10/24/2026	NB 100 Race
11/12/2026	BSFARC Training/Meet & Greet
12/5/2026	Skywarn Recognition Day
12/10/2026	BSFARC Meeting/Meet & Greet
12/12/2026	ARRL 10-Meter Contest
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## LOCAL HAM FESTS 2026



Charlie had a special message for his friend Gene back in Pennsylvania: W3ETF DE W4IIC  
73 FER NW OLD FRIEND GOING QRT FER  
NW DE W4IIC CL.

In Lieu of Flowers donations may be made in Charlie's name to the Oneida Masonic Lodge #695, 176 W 3rd Ave, Oneida, TN 37841.



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## Club Apparel



The club has ordered some extra t-shirts and currently has 7 medium, 3 large and 8 XXL shirts available. Let Kelly KI4JAV know if you want and she will bring them to the next meeting. They are only \$7.00 each thanks to Rugby Screen Printers as we are able to purchase at a discounted rate. Show your support for BSFARC and Rugby Screen Printers by ordering yours today!

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## Annual Spring Planting & Music

03/06/2026 - 03/07/2026

### Charlotte Hamfest

**Location:** Concord, NC

**Type:** ARRL Hamfest

**Sponsor:** Mecklenburg ARS

**Website:** <http://charlottehamfest.org>

[Learn More](#)

03/07/2026

### Cave City Hamfest

**Location:** Cave City, KY

**Type:** ARRL Hamfest

**Sponsor:** Mammoth Cave ARC

**Website:** <https://www.ky4x.org/hamfest>

03/13/2026 - 03/14/2026

### MTARS Hamfest - Tullahoma, TN

**Location:** Tullahoma, TN

**Type:** ARRL Hamfest

**Sponsor:** Middle Tennessee Amateur Radio Society (MTARS)

**Website:** <http://www.qsl.net/mtars>

[Learn More](#)

03/21/2026

### Sevierville Fest 2026

**Location:** Sevierville, TN

**Type:** ARRL Hamfest

**Sponsor:** Sevier County ARS

**Website:** <https://www.seviercountyars.info>

04/18/2026 - Greeneville  
Hamfest

**Location:** Greeneville, TN

# Festival

April 26, 2026 | 9:00 AM -  
4:00 PM (ET)



Step back in time at the 26th Annual Spring Planting and Music Festival as crafters demonstrate traditional skills you don't see every day, like blacksmithing, basket-making, hand-spinning, weaving, woodcarving, and even herbal garden traditions and paling fence-building. Admission and parking is free! The BSFARC will be setup near the Bandy Creek Visitors center in Big South Fork.

You'll also find plenty to do throughout the day, including:

- Children's activities
- Interpretive talks
- Fun run
- Bird watching
- Vendors demonstrating and selling handmade goods
- Food for purchase

And of course an Amateur Radio demonstration booth. That's where YOU come in as we need a leader who can help organize the setup and be responsible for on our air presence. A great way to do POTA and to talk about how ham radio is useful in the park. Please reach out to [W4BSF@BSAFRC.ORG](mailto:W4BSF@BSAFRC.ORG) if you can help in anyway as time is short.

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Museum Ships On The Air  
Weekend June 6-7th



**Type:** ARRL Hamfest

**Sponsor:** Andrew Johnson ARC

**Website:** <http://greenvillehamfest.com>

[Learn More](#)

06/13/2026 -

## [Knoxville Hamfest, ARRL Tennessee State Convention](#)

**Location:** Knoxville, TN

**Type:** ARRL Convention

**Sponsor:** Radio Amateur Club of Knoxville

**Website:** <http://www.w4bbb.org>

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## State QSO Parties



Here is a link to a YouTube video about state QSO parties: [LINK](#)

March 1st: [North Carolina](#)

March 14-15th: [Oklahoma](#)

March 14-15th: [Idaho](#)

March 15-16th: [Wisconsin](#)

March 21-22nd: [Virginia](#)

April 4-5th: Louisiana

April 4-5th: Mississippi

April 11-12th: New Mexico

April 11-12th: Missouri

April 11-12th: Georgia

April 11-12th: North Dakota

April 18-19th: Michigan

April 18-19: Ontario Canada

April 25--26th: Quebec Canada

April 25-26th: Florida





This year we are without an event chairperson and are in jeopardy of not participating in the event. For the past couple of years Kelly KI4JAV and Bill KF4TY have taken the lead in getting things setup but are taking a step or two back. They are willing to help but we really need someone to step-up now as we are starting to miss some critical cutoff dates for the event. We have options to only activate the museum one day or limited hours or we can pass this event on to another club. It's up to us and the museum if we are to participate as the USS Tennessee BB43 station for 2026. Please reach out to [W4BSF@BSAFRC.ORG](mailto:W4BSF@BSAFRC.ORG) if you can help in anyway as time is short.

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## BSF Endurance Horse Ride September 11-12, 2026

This two day event is held near the Bandy Creek visitors center in Big South Fork and is celebrating its 32nd year. While details are forthcoming they typically have a 25 and 50



October 23-24, 2026

***First a big thank you for the recent donation we received from the No Business 100 event.***

The race is on as they have opened registration which was sold out in a matter of hours. This year being even the course will be run in a counter clockwise direction. That means that our normal aid-stations will be active Saturday during the day. Our chairperson for coordinating communication volunteers is once again Joe N4YLA. This is a great way of not only giving back to the community but also practicing your emergency radio skills. No prior experience is necessary and if needed we can pair up unlicensed volunteers with a radio operator. We will be providing health and welfare communications in addition to participant information such as drops and those in need of transportation. More to come but reach out to Joe and let him know that you are able to help support this event. You can also drop us an email at [W4BSF@BSAFRC.ORG](mailto:W4BSF@BSAFRC.ORG) if you can help in anyway with this event.

The BSFARC web page is a work in progress and the link is below:

[No Business 100 Information](#)

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## Support Your Parks Weekend April 18-19, 2026

mile endurance horse ride starting early on Friday morning. The rides are then repeated on Saturday. Ken N4KAP has been involved for many years and will once again help coordinate radio operators. Our role will be to call in rider status (as they pass your location) and any health and welfare traffic. There are NO aid stations and we may be the only person the rider sees on the course. All locations can be driven to. More to come but reach out to Ken and let him know that you are able to help support this event. You can also drop us an email at [W4BSF@BSAFRC.ORG](mailto:W4BSF@BSAFRC.ORG) if you can help in anyway with this event.

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## Mountain Laurel Festival- Wartburg TN May 16, 2026

Looking to see if there is any interest in participating as a demonstration booth at the 11th annual festival. In the past we have operated an HF radio station from the courthouse grounds as a POTA station. There is no cost to the club but we need to provide our own table/chair and of course radios. This is another great opportunity to demonstrate our hobby to the general public. Drop us an email at [W4BSF@BSAFRC.ORG](mailto:W4BSF@BSAFRC.ORG) if you are interested in supporting this event as we need to register for it soon.

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Each quarter POTA holds a special event where they encourage both activators and hunters to participate. If you are interested in activating a park using the club call sign or maybe joining in a multi-park rove let us know as we are putting together an informal roster to help coordinate your activities for that weekend. Ideally we would like to see some stations on the 10-meter technician portion of the band or have some guests get on the air at a fixed location. Please join us for either an hour or the entire weekend of being on the air. Drop us an email at [W4BSF@BSAFRC.ORG](mailto:W4BSF@BSAFRC.ORG) if you are interested in joining with us in some way or simply hunting from home.

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## What really determines the efficiency of an antenna?

By: John VA3KOT

It is common knowledge that when an antenna has high SWR some of our transmitted power is wasted instead of being transmitted. But is this really true? The trouble with “common knowledge” is that it spreads without further scrutiny. “It must be true because that’s what everybody thinks”. But let’s consider another perspective.

What happens to our signal when it meets an antenna with high SWR? Some of the signal is radiated while the rest is reflected back down the transmission line to its source – the transceiver. What happens to the reflected signal when it reaches the transceiver? It is re-reflected back towards the antenna and the cycle repeats.

[Learn More](#)





## TN 3980 NET Update

Jim-K4OWH applied to the Supervisor of the ARRL Field Services for the position of Official Relay Station for the ARRL and for the Tennessee Section of the ARRL. The supervisor asked David-KM4NYI our Tennessee Section Manager and Harrell-WD4LAR-Tennessee Section Traffic Manager, for their approval which they both gave. Thus, Jim is being added to the ARRL data base and has been appointed Official Relay Station.

A traffic-handling appointment is open to all classes of license. This appointment applies equally to all modes and all parts of the spectrum. It is for traffic-handlers, regardless of mode employed or part of the spectrum used.

The potential value of the skilled operator with traffic know-how to his country and community is enhanced by their ability and the readiness of their station to function in the community interest in case of emergency. Traffic awareness and experience are often the signs by which mature amateurs may be distinguished.

For those wishing to listen in on the TN 3980 NETs they have created a web page with software defined radios.

TN 3980 NETs

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## WHEN FANS GO BAD!

By Craig Bledsoe

A mushroom cloud of white smoke emerged accompanied by an assortment of hissing, arcing, and bubbling sound effects. It was a

## Tennessee Section Public Information Coordinator

After serving in the position for many years Dale Knight/AB4DK has passed the playbook onto Sky McCracken/KO4DKI. As PIC Sky will be creating a state-wide newsletter and will assist the TN ARRL leadership with getting the word out be it during an emergency or simply updating us and the general public about amateur radio activities/events. Congratulations Sky and thank you Dale.



## TN ARES Open Positions

Our club has been and continues to be a big supporter of emergency communications and TN ARES. We can continue that support by helping them to recruit a amateur radio operator to take on the role of Emergency Coordinator as we have vacancies in Fentress and Morgan counties. Joe N4YLA has submitted his application and awaiting a response for the Scott EC position. As a club we would also like to update our roster of ARES volunteers in order to help out the new ECs develop their teams. Drop us an email at [W4BSF@BSAFRC.ORG](mailto:W4BSF@BSAFRC.ORG) if you are interested in emergency communications.

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## Install a Ham Radio Window Feed-Through (No-Drill Step-by-Step)

By Ham Radio Prep

A window feed-through (window pass-through) lets you bring coax and a ground into your station without drilling. When installed well, it

really bad day for my hard-working Drake L7 amplifier, or as my fellow technical author and ham radio friend Eric Nichols KL7AJ quipped, "If this happened at the Vatican, everyone would know that we had a new Pope."

When the smoke had (literally) cleared, it was immediately apparent that the root cause was the explosive disintegration of the blade assembly that formerly had been clamped to the motorized hub of the primary cooling fan. The centripetal force violently threw bits and pieces of the plastic blades onto an assortment of chokes, coils, high voltage wiring, and two very abused Eimac 3-500Z tubes.

[Learn More](#)

also keeps the window insulated and secure. This guide shows a clean install using a Micro Patch feed-through and Window Wing Kit from Rocket Machine Worx (not sponsored), plus tips that apply to most similar products.

[Read full article at:](#)

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## UPCOMING EVENTS AND INFORMATION

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### Special Event Stations

Contact these stations and help commemorate an historical occasion or other special event. Many special event stations provide a special QSL card or certificate.

**Certificates and QSL cards:** To obtain a certificate from any of the special-event stations offering them, send your QSO information along with a 9x12 inch self-addressed, stamped envelope to address listed in the announcement. To receive a special event QSL card (when offered), be sure to include a self-addressed, stamped business envelope along with your QSL card and QSO information.

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## March 2026

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## 03/03/2026 | GERATOL NET 50 Plus Years of Service

Mar 3-Mar 14, 0001Z-2359Z, N1KL,  
Wheelwright, MA. GERATOL NET. 3.668 Extra  
Class Frequencies on HF. QSL. Kevin Lynch,  
POB 124, Wheelwright, MA 01094. [geratol.net](http://geratol.net)

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## 03/07/2026 | Pelican Island National Wildlife Refuge

Mar 7, 1400Z-2100Z, W4OT, Vero Beach, FL.  
Vero Beach Amateur Radio Club. 14.250  
14.035 28.350 21.290. QSL. Vero Beach  
Amateur Radio Club c/o:IRC EOC, 4225 43rd  
Ave., Vero Beach, FL 32967. [W4OT.com](http://W4OT.com)

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## 03/07/2026 | YL POTA Party - Erie Canalway

Mar 7, 1300Z-2359Z, N3ARB, Spencerport,  
NY. Upstate New York POTA (Parks On The  
Air). 14.320 7.230. QSL. Angela Brown, 123  
North Dr, Buffalo, NY 14226.  
<https://www.facebook.com/events/2353219948458429>

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## 03/14/2026 | 68th Anniversary of the Atomic Bomb Drop near Florence South Carolina

Mar 14, 0900Z-1500Z, W4ULH, Florence, SC.  
Florence Amateur Radio Club. 14.285 7.285.  
Certificate. Florence Amateur Radio Club, P.O.  
Box 5062, Florence, SC 29502.  
[www.w4ulh.net](http://www.w4ulh.net)

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## 03/14/2026 | Celebrating Florida's Statehood

Mar 14, 1300Z-2200Z, W4F, Winter Springs,  
FL. Lake Monroe Amateur Radio Society and

## 03/15/2026 | Battleship USS Wisconsin BB-64 on the air in honor of Wisconsin QSO party

Mar 15, 1800Z-2030Z, N4WIS, Norfolk, VA.  
USS Wisconsin Radio Club. 14264 21364  
28364 7264. QSL. Nauticus c/o Battleship  
Wisconsin Radio Club (N4WIS), One  
Waterside Drive, Norfolk, VA 23510.  
[n4wis.com](http://n4wis.com)

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## 03/21/2026 | First LORAN Experimental Stations

Mar 21, 1330Z-2100Z, K3S, Port of Baltimore.  
Nuclear Ship Savannah ARC. 7,14,18,21,28  
MHz. QSL. Ullis Fleming, 980 Patuxent Rd,  
Odenton, MD 21113. [qrz.com/db/k3s](http://qrz.com/db/k3s)

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## 03/21/2026 | New Jersey Knights of Columbus Free Throw Champtionship for Youths

Mar 21-Mar 23, 0000Z-0400Z, NJ2KC,  
Bridgeton, NJ. New Jersey Knights of  
Columbus Amateur Radio Club. 14.2500  
21.4125 7.2250 28.4500. QSL. Thomas M.  
Perrotti, N2JIE, 785 Vineland Ave, Bridgeton,  
NJ 08302-4822. [NJ2KC.org](http://NJ2KC.org)

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## 03/21/2026 | Solivita Car Show

Mar 21, 1300Z-1900Z, N4SRC, Kissimmee,  
FL. Solivita Radio Club. 18.124 24.980 14.074  
21.074. QSL. Solivita Radio Club, 117 Auburn  
Dr., Kissimmee, FL 34759.  
<https://solivitaradioclub.weebly.com>

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## 03/21/2026 | Virginia QSO

Ham Radio Outlet Winter Springs. 14255  
21335 28360. Certificate. Wojciech  
Kossowski, 1392 La Paloma Circle, Winter  
Springs, FL 32708.

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## 03/14/2026 | David Sarnoff Radio Club PI Day

Mar 14-Mar 15, 1800Z-0100Z, N2RE, Mount  
Laurel, NJ. David Sarnoff Radio Club. 14.031  
14.314 7.227 7.031. QSL. Donald G  
Corrington, 7 Pinewald Lane, Burlington, NJ  
08016-3421. <https://n2re.org>

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## 03/14/2026 | Launching of USS Midway Aircraft Carrier

Mar 14, 1700Z-2359Z, NI6IW, San Diego, CA.  
USS Mdway Museum Ship. 14.320 7.250  
14.070 PKS31 DSTAR on Papa System  
Repeaters. QSL. USS Midway Museum Ship,  
910 North Harbor Drive, San Diego, CA  
92101.

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