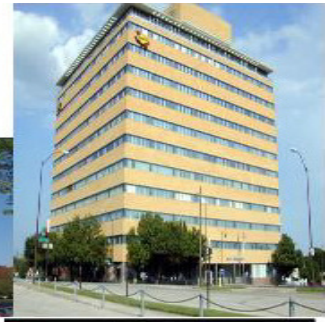




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“Covering Tulsa through the air”

MEETING PLACE FOR NOVEMBER 23rd IS SHILOH'S:

The TRO meeting for November will be at Shiloh's Restaurant, 2604 North Aspen in Broken Arrow at 1900. Come 30 minutes to an hour early if you plan to eat.

ARRL FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP:

By Mark Kleine – N5HZR

Each year the ARRL Foundation awards scholarships to deserving amateur radio operators from the funds that they manage. West Gulf Division's own Dr. David Woolweaver K5RAV, President of the ARRL Foundation, says that they issued \$550,000 in scholarships last year. He said, “this year, through a generous contribution from Amateur Radio Digital Communications, Inc. (ARDC), they will be issuing 130 scholarships totaling \$900,000!”, there are twenty \$25,000 scholarships, four \$15,000, seventeen \$10,000 scholarships, nine \$5,000 scholarships as well as dozens of \$1,000 and \$500 scholarships.

Now is the time to act for Seniors in High School or any college student returning next fall. The ARRL Foundation Scholarship application period for the academic year 2022-2023 opens on November 1st and ends on December 31st, 2021. Do this NOW, before the holiday season gets too hectic.

The descriptions of the many scholarships available are online.

<http://www.arrl.org/scholarship-descriptions>

It is also effortless to apply as the scholarship application is online.

<http://www.arrl.org/scholarship-application>

Since only amateur radio operator students may apply, the chances of being selected for a scholarship are good. It would be a shame for our Oklahoma students to miss this opportunity.

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ARRL Foundation Scholarship - continued

Since 1973, the ARRL Foundation, with the generosity of many donors and the hard work of a long line of dedicated Foundation Directors, has positively impacted the lives of many young amateur radio operator students. Being awarded an ARRL Foundation scholarship could mean the difference in whether a student can pursue their education in 2022-2023 or not.

Make sure every amateur radio operator student in your area knows this is available, and start that application process TODAY!

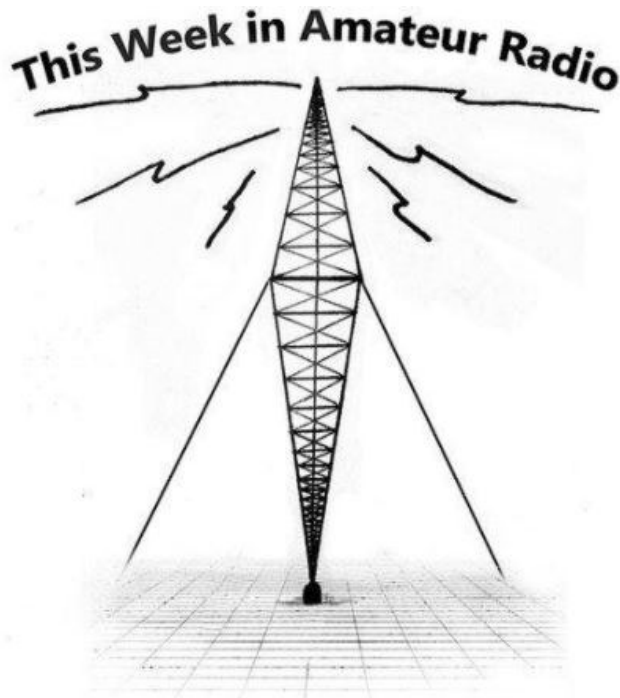
GREEN COUNTRY HAMFEST 2022:

We plan to turn on ticket sales and flea market table reservations December 1, 2021!

The Hamfest will be April 8-9, 2022 at the Claremore Expo Center. We will be the 2022 Oklahoma **ARRL State Convention**. Admission will be \$8.00 in advance and \$10.00 at the door. Flea market tables \$10.00 in advance and \$15.00 at the door, if there are any left. We still have a few details about the prize package to work out, but the prizes posted at greencountryhamfest.org will be in the package.

THIS WEEK IN AMATEUR RADIO:

This Week in Amateur Radio airs on Electron Benders' KOKT FM 90.9 in South Tulsa at 10 am each Saturday.



www.kokt.org

and

<https://www.facebook.com/KOKTFM>

TRO TREASURY REPORT OF 11/21/21:

Treasury Report of November 21, 2021

Total TRO Accounts Beginning Balance	\$7039.34
Checking Beginning Balance	\$3096.00
10/28 Membership Renewals	+\$160.00
10/28 W5BS Donation	+\$75.00
11/01 Transfer from PayPal	+\$350.00
Checking Balance	\$3681.00
PayPal Beginning Balance	\$388.98
Withdrawal to checking account	-\$350.00
PayPal Ending Balance	\$38.98
Cash Beginning Balance	\$70.00
Cash Ending Balance	\$70.00
Savings Beginning Balance	\$3484.36
10/29 Interest Earned	+0.62
Ending Savings Account Balance	\$3484.98
Total TRO Account Balance	\$7274.96

Respectfully Submitted by Steve Miller – AA5V 11/21/2021

ENGINEERING REPORT:

By Joe Gorkos – N5TEX

This last month Bob, Merlin, and I went to City-Plex to repair the 146.88 repeater. They replaced the power distribution unit and was able to restore the repeater back to normal. Not all the remote receivers are on line at this time and need more troubleshooting.

All other repeaters are working.

REPEATER STATUS

146.805 (-) PL 88.5 Prosperity Center 71st & Yale - Working

146.880 (-) PL 88.5 (CityPlex), 82.5 (Skiatook) or 141.3
(Keetonville receiver) 81st & Lewis – Working

146.940 (-) PL 88.5 Sun Building, 9th & Detroit – Working

927.700 (-25 MHz) (902.7) CityPlex - Working

Metro Link:

444.1 (+) PL 88.5 Skyline East 41st & Skelly Drive – Working

444.725 (+) PL 88.5 GRDA tower NW of Skiatook – Working

444.950 (+) PL 88.5 Prosperity Center 71st & Yale – Working



ARES Net

Thursday evenings at 8:00 PM

1st, 2nd and 3rd Thursdays on the 147.39 MHz repeater

4th and if there is a 5th Thursday use the

TARC Super Link System 443.850 MHz PL 88.5 Hz

CLUB MEETINGS

Tulsa Repeater Organization

Fourth Tuesday of the month, except June (Field Day) and December (Christmas) 1900 (7PM)
Meetings are held at Shiloh's Restaurant at 2604 North Aspen in Broken Arrow.
Schedule for 2021: NOV 23, DEC 14

Tulsa Amateur Radio Club

Third Tuesday of the month 1900 (7PM)
Check the TARC website at <http://www.w5ias.com> for location.
Schedule for 2021: NOV 16, DEC 21

Broken Arrow Amateur Radio Club

First Monday of the month (except for holidays) 1900 (7 PM)
Due to the Covid19 distancing directive, check the BAARC website at www.w5drz.org for meeting information.
Schedule for 2021: NOV 1, DEC 6

Rogers County Wireless Association

Second Saturday of every month at 0800 (8 AM)
Due to the Covid19 distancing directive, check the RCWA website at www.rcwa.org for meeting information.
Schedule for 2021: NOV 13, DEC 11

VE TEST SESSIONS

WALK-INS ARE WELCOME AT ALL SESSIONS!

Due to the Covid19 pandemic check with the contact for each testing session for their plans.

Tulsa Repeater Organization

Third Thursday of odd-numbered months, 1900 (7 PM)
American Red Cross 10151 E 11th (11th & US 169) Tulsa, Oklahoma 74128
Contact: Merlin Griffin WB5OSM at WB5OSM@hotmail.com or (918)520-7668 - leave message

Broken Arrow Emergency Management

First Saturday of odd-numbered months - 0900 to 1100 (9:00 to 11 AM)
Broken Arrow Public Service Complex 1001 N 6th Street Broken Arrow OK 74012
Contact: Loyd Beeson, AE5MM at ae5mm@arrl.net or (918)638-2393 (text msg or voice)

Broken Arrow Amateur Radio Club

Second Saturday of even-numbered months at 0930 (9:30 AM)
Broken Arrow Public Service Complex 1001 N 6th Street Broken Arrow OK 74012
Contact: Don Doyle AC5II at AC5II@arrl.net or (918)379-0962

Rogers County Wireless Association (New session in Owasso)

First Saturday of each quarter at 0900 (9:00 AM)
Trinity House, 9210 N Garnett, Owasso OK 74055
Contact: Dustin Dye, AB5C at contact@rcwa.org or (918)734-0869

Tulsa Amateur Radio Club

Third Saturday of every month at 0900
Pentecostals of West Tulsa 2124 W 41st Tulsa OK
Contact: John Carr, K5TBL at K5TBL@arrl.net or (918)289-1718

ARRL VEC SESSION

Last Saturday of even-numbered months, 1000 to 1130 AM
Broken Arrow Public Service Complex 1001 N 6th Street Broken Arrow OK 74012
Walkins welcome until 1030
Contact: Skipper Smith, NQ2J at: nq2j@cox.net or (918)853-8118

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Our Website: www.tulsahamradio.org

Our Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/TulsaRepeaterOrganization/>

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