



## **IN-Newsletter**

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*Covers the period June 4 – June 10, 2017*

## **Upcoming In-Person Meetings and Events:**

### ***PCC.II***

June 26 – 29 @ Orlando, FL

July 20 @ HQ, Newington, CT

### ***HAM RADIO 2017***

July 14 – 16 @ Friedrichshafen, Germany

### ***ARRL 2<sup>nd</sup> Board Meeting***

July 21 – 22 @ Farmington, CT

### ***Administrative & Finance Committee***

July 20 @ HQ, Newington, CT

### ***JARL (Tokyo Hamfest)***

September 2 – 3 @ Tokyo, Japan

### ***Programs & Services Committee***

### ***New England Division Convention***

September 8 – 10 @ Boxboro, MA

## **ARRL Audio News**

Below is a link to last week's edition of the ARRL Audio News podcast, dated June 9, 2017:

<https://www.blubrry.com/arrlaudionews/24355593/arrl-audio-news-june-9-2017?sbe=1>

## **Chief Executive Office**

Reported by Tom Gallagher, NY2RF

Tom Gallagher filmed a new webisode of "60 Second Century" for his July *QST* editorial, "Mythbusting: ARRL Not 'Big Radio Club'." The video was shot by Michelle Patnode here at HQ and will appear on all ARRL's social media accounts. Below is a link to his June video: "Fighting the Last War, or the Next?"

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=aW1HnNIvzUI>

Carla Pereira passed the Technician's License exam. She is very excited to start operating. Her call sign is **KC1HSX**.

## **Development**

Reported by Lauren Clarke, KB1YDD

Discussions have been ongoing to finalize Terms of Reference documents for five new scholarships through the ARRL Foundation; three of these scholarships have been sent to the ARRL Foundation Board for official approval.

Development is pleased to welcome two new members to the Legacy Circle: Debbie, KD5EFM, and Mickey, AK5D, Driver, and Ben Patton, N4AXE.

Photos from the 17<sup>th</sup> Annual ARRL Donor Recognition Reception, held on May 18 at America's Packard Museum in Dayton, Ohio, can be viewed at: <http://tinyurl.com/2017ARRL-Donor-Reception>.

### **Field Services**

Reported by Dave Patton, NN1N

#### *Field Organization*

Leona reports that an SM nomination petition was received from SM, Jack Ciaccia, WMØG of the Colorado section for the term beginning October 1, 2017.

As our SM nomination deadline was **Friday, June 9<sup>th</sup>** by 4 pm, Leona reports that there will be no upcoming SM elections for the term beginning October 1, 2017.

The following SM's will continue as Section Manager for the following sections:

Jack Ciaccia, WMØG - Colorado  
Mark Tharp, KB7HDX – Eastern Washington  
David Benoist, AG4ZR – Georgia  
Diana Feinberg, AI6DF – Los Angeles  
Carol Milazzo, KP4MD – Sacramento Valley  
Bill Hillendahl, KH6GJV – San Francisco  
Lee Cooper, W5LHC – South Texas  
Darrell "Dan" Ringer, K8WV – West Virginia  
Monte Simpson, AF7PQ – Western Washington

#### *WIAW*

Joe updated the web code practice files and their archives. He also updated the code practice file QST source web page. Joe installed the temporary 40-meter antenna to be used for the regularly scheduled transmissions. Scott worked on slow and fast code practice texts for the upcoming week. He also processed VUCC applications and credits.

### **Production**

Reported by Becky Schoenfeld, W1BXY

The August issue of *QST* is in production and goes to press on Wednesday, June 21.

Nearly all of the text for the 2016 Annual Report is with the designer for layout.

## **Radiosport**

Reported by Norm Fusaro, W3IZ

Paper/Fieldcheck Processing Time	1 – 2 Weeks
Logbook Processing Time	1 – 2 Business Days
2017 DXCC Applications	5563
2017 WAS Applications	639
2017 VUCC Applications	228
2017 WPX Applications	303

## **Sales and Marketing**

Reported by Bob Inderbitzen, NQ1R

Yvette Vinci prepared the bulk email notification for the July 2017 digital edition of *QST*, distributed to ARRL members on Friday, June 9. The distribution list included 117,458 members.

Yvette reports that in June we processed 23 paid-in-full Life Memberships and 20 new Life Membership pledges. “Reminder letters” were sent to 499 members making quarterly payments toward Life Membership.

Jackie Ferreira reports that online ordering was brisk over the weekend, as members responded to a *Handbook* promotion bundling the title with a companion book.

Sales and marketing information was prepared to support a publication planning meeting attended by Bob Inderbitzen and other colleagues.

With ARRL Field Day fast approaching, final pushes were made to members promoting orders for 2017 Field Day supplies.

Membership applications returned from the ARRL Northwestern Division Convention, SEA-PAC (June 2-4) have all been processed. Of the 83 applications, 21 were from new and previous members.

Materials are being prepared for ARRL’s exhibit at the International Exhibition of Radio Amateurs, “HAM RADIO,” July 14-16 in Friedrichshafen, Germany.

Now shipping: [ARRL Frequency Chart](#), 11 x 17-inches. These revised charts include the new 630 Meter and 2,200 Meter bands. The charts include a note explaining that the effective date of these new allocations has not yet been determined ([more information](#)).

## **Hamfest/Member Contact/ARRL Representative/Meetings/Vacations**

Leona Adams	06/26 – 06/30	PTO	
Bob Allison	06/15 – 06/19	PTO	
Kathy Allison	06/15 – 06/19	PTO	
Ken Bailey	07/19	PTO	
Steve Capodicasa	06/16	PTO	
“	06/26	PTO	
Joe Garcia	06/15 – 06/16		PTO
“	07/05 – 07/07	PTO	

“	07/14	PTO
“	07/21	PTO
“	07/28	PTO
“	08/04	PTO
“	08/07 – 08/11	PTO
“	08/25	PTO
“	09/05 – 09/08	PTO
“	10/09	PTO
Lauren Clarke	06/23	AFP Fundraising Day, NYC
“	08/01 – 08/04	Bridge to Integrated Marketing & Fundraising Annual Conference, National Harbor, MD
Mike Corey	06/19 – 06/20	PTO
“	06/21	NYC Marathon Communications Coordinators Meeting
“	06/29	FEMA Region 1 Meeting
Steve Ewald	06/12 – 06/17	PTO
“	06/18 – 06/19	Tennessee State Convention, Knoxville
“	06/20	PTO
Tom Gallagher	06/22 – 06/28	PCC.II Meeting, Orlando, FL
“	06/24 – 06/24	ARRL South Florida Field Day events with Vice Director Joe Tiritilli, N4ZUW
“	07/20 – 07/22	ARRL 2 <sup>nd</sup> Board Meeting, Farmington, CT
“	08/28 – 09/03	JARL (Tokyo HAMFEST), Tokyo, Japan
“	09/04 – 09/11	PTO
Regina Galuppi	07/10	PTO
Scott Gee	06/29 – 06/30	PTO
“	09/15 – 09/18	PTO
“	09/22 – 09/25	PTO
Jen Glifort	07/05 – 07/07	PTO
Perry Green	TBD	Medical Leave
Dan Henderson	06 28 – 06/30	PTO
“	07/19 – 07/23	PSC Committee and Board of Directors meetings, HQ
“	07/05	PTO
“	07/20 – 07/22	ARRL 2 <sup>nd</sup> Board Meeting, Farmington, CT
Gail Iannone	08/10 – 08/16	PTO
Bob Inderbitzen	06/16	PTO
“	06/30 – 07/05	PTO
“	07/11 – 07/17	HAM RADIO, Friedrichshafen, Germany
“	07/18	PTO
“	08/21 – 08/25	PTO
Sean Kutzko	06/29 – 07/09	PTO
Maryann MacDonald	08/24-08/29	PTO
Allie McLellan	05/25 – 08/01	On Leave
Diane Middleton	06/23	PTO
“	06/28 – 06/30	PTO
Dave Patton	06/12 – 06/13	PTO
Carla Pereira	07/05	PTO
“	07/20 – 07/22	ARRL 2 <sup>nd</sup> Board Meeting, Farmington, CT
“	07/31	PTO
“	09-05 – 09/08	PTO
Diane Petrilli	06/15 – 06/19	PTO
“	06/26 – 06/30	PTO

“	07/07	PTO
“	07/14	PTO
“	07/28	PTO
“	08/04 – 08/11	PTO
“	09/29	PTO
John Proctor	06/14 – 06/28	PTO
Andy Shefrin	06/19	PTO
“	07/10 – 07/14	PTO
Becky Shoenfeld	07/24 – 07/28	PTO
Barry Shelley	06/09 – 06/12	PTO
“	06/23	PTO
“	06/27	PTO
“	07/20 – 07/22	ARRL 2 <sup>nd</sup> Board Meeting, Farmington, CT
Jon Siverling	07/19 – 07/29	PTO
“	08/18 – 08/23	PTO
“	10/06	PTO
Deborah Voigt	06/15 – 06/21	PTO

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