

DECEMBER MEETING

7:30 pm, Wednesday, December 12 LI-COR, Lincoln, Nebraska

DECEMBER CLUB MEETING

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It is time to elect club members to the LARC Board. It is critical for all members to come and vote.

Look inside this edition for write-ups submitted by each candidate. Come to the club meeting on Wednesday, December 12, and vote for the candidates you want to see on your LARC Board of Directors. Make your voice heard!

Please bring a snack to share and a canned food item for the Salvation Army kitchen.

— Aaron Rogge, NØADR

EVENT CALENDAR

DECEMBER

M	12/03	7:00 pm	LOG Folding	Red Cross	220 Oakcreek Dr
Th	12/06	6:30 pm	VE Exams	Red Cross	220 Oakcreek Dr
Sa	12/08	11:00 am	HPQRP Homebrewers	Breadeaux Pizza	1425 Silver St, Ashland
W	12/12	12:00 pm	QCWA Luncheon	The Eatery	2548 S 48th St
W	12/12	7:30 pm	LARC Meeting	LI-COR	4647 Superior St
Th	12/13	7:30 pm	SATERN Meeting	Salvation Army	2625 Potter St
Sa	12/15	5:00 pm	LARC Holiday Party	Elks Lodge #80	5910 S 58th
Th	12/20	7:00 pm	LARC Board Meeting	Red Cross	220 Oakcreek Dr
М	12/24	midnight	LOG Deadline	Email articles & ads to log@k0kkv.org	

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Th	01/03	6:30 pm	VE Exams	Red Cross	220 Oakcreek Dr
М	01/07	7:00 pm	LOG Folding	Red Cross	220 Oakcreek Dr
W	01/09	12:00 pm	QCWA Luncheon	The Eatery	2548 S 48th St
W	01/09	7:30 pm	LARC Meeting	LI-COR	4647 Superior St
Th	01/10	7:30 pm	SATERN Meeting	Salvation Army	2625 Potter St
Sa	01/12	11:00 am	HPQRP Homebrewers	Breadeaux Pizza	1425 Silver St, Ashland
Th	01/17	7:00 pm	LARC Board Meeting	Red Cross	220 Oakcreek Dr
Tu	01/29	midnight	LOG Deadline	Email articles & ads to lo	og@k0kkv.org

Lincoln Amateur Radio Club, Inc.

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2018 BOARD OF DIR	RECTORS
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PRESIDENT'S COLUMN



As 2018 comes to a close, I want to thank the Board members for their hard work to make things happen and the committee chairs and their support folks for making all the events

fun, interesting, and enjoyable for all. I want to thank everybody who helped with LOG folding each month, and thanks to those who stepped up in a pinch to help with other events out of the normal. We've had some fun and interesting programs at our club meetings, and I hope to bring some interesting, ham radio-related technical programs for 2019.

Please come to the December club meeting to support those running for the Board. They are all very good folks and want to help the club continue to move in a postitive direction.

Remember the Christmas/Holiday party at the Elks Lodge on December 15 and plan to attend. The cost for those who are not club members will be either a full membership or associate membership. If you were either a full or associate member in 2018, your meal is on LARC. Awards for the Cornhusker State Games and the LARC annual awards will be

presented at this party.

It's been an exciting and fun year with many new licensees and members coming to the club meetings. Come to get to know them and have some fun!

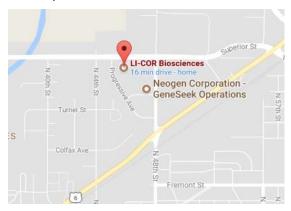
See you at the club meeting!

—Ed Holloway, KØRPT

CLUB MEETING LOCATION

MEETING LOCATION FOR JANUARY

LI-COR Biosciences 4647 Superior St Lincoln, NE 68504



GOOGLE MAPS
https://goo.gl/maps/UEnkqqUHDB62

— Ed Holloway, KØRPT











OCTOBER VE EXAM



We held our regular session at the Red Cross building on November 1. We had six participants, of

which five passed for their Tech licenses. The results are as follows:

TECHNICIAN

- ◆ Andrea Cogdill, KEØTNQ, Lincoln
- ◆ Benjamin George, KØRSI, Lincoln
- ◆ Brian Sehnert, KE4NEB, Dorchester
- ◆ Kimberly Cartwright, KEØTNR, Lincoln
- ◆ Zachery Wheat, KEØTNT, Elkhorn

Congratulations to our new licensees!

Volunteer Examiners (VEs) who participated this month were WØBCL, KØKTZ, KCØPJR, KØQBZ, AEØRP, and KØSIL.

We will continue to meet at the Red Cross, 220 Oakcreek Drive.

Upcoming exam dates are January 3, February 7, and March 7.

— Chris Evens, KCØPJR

LOOKING FOR WRITERS

Have you designed a project that others might be interested in or made a discovery you want to share? If so, drop us a line at log@k0kkv.org.

We are always looking for new ideas and articles to share.

— Jeri Lyn Rogge, NØJLR



SOCIAL MEDIA

LARC is on Facebook and Twitter! Keep up with events, weather updates, and other topics of interest to the Ham community by liking our Facebook page and following our Twitter feed.

Search for "Lincoln Amateur Radio Club" on either network, or navigate to fb.me/LARCLincoln and twitter.com/K0KKV. You can also receive LARC Twitter updates by text message — without a Twitter account! Text "FOLLOW K0KKV" to 40404.

If you have questions or content to submit for distribution, please email me at W5NEB@arrl.net. Get social with us!

— Justin Williamson, W5NEB

JOIN LARC TODAY!

LARC membership is yearly, January through December. See the back cover of this LOG for additional details.

LARC HOLIDAY PARTY

WHEN: December 15, 2018

TIME: Doors open at 5:00 pm

Supper begins at 6:00 pm

WHERE: Elks Lodge #80, 5910 S 58th St

Lincoln, NE 68516

COST: Free to all 2018 & 2019 LARC

members (meat provided, please

bring a dish to share)

RSVP: Email Heather, kd0bxa@gmail.com

More details available on page 9.





NOTE OF SADNESS



We are sorry to report the death of Debra Dell Zygielbaum, daughter of Art Zygielbaum, KØAIZ, on Thursday, November 8, as the result of an

automobile accident near Napa, California.

Art is grateful for your emails and texts of condolence. You may read more about Debby via this memorial website: www.ctwsoft.com/debby.

— Jeri Lyn Rogge, NØJLR

DECEMBER CLUB MEETING



For the December 12 meeting, please bring an item for the snack table to enjoy during the Board election ballot-

count break time. Drinks and a sheet cake will be provided by the Snack Shack.

As in years past, we will be collecting canned food items for the Salvation Army kitchen. Please bring your donation to the meeting.

— Bev Bennett, KDØPTR, and Chuck Bennett, KDØPTK, "LARC Snack Shack"

2019 BOARD NOMINEES — BIOGRAPHIES

BRYAN LEAVITT, WØBCL

My name is Bryan Leavitt, call sign WØBCL. I have been a licensed Ham since February 2007 and currently hold an Extra Class license. I have been active in the club since I was licensed.

I am not native to Nebraska, as I grew up in Las Vegas, Nevada. I came to Lincoln in 1992 as a student at UNL and now work in the School of Natural Resources on the UNL East Campus.

I have been on the Board for the last several years and currently serve as vice president. I am active in the following club activities: Storm spotting, hosting the Sunday night net, and participating in public service activities such as Field Day, the Cornhusker State Games, and the Lancaster County Super Fair. I am a VE and have been involved in numerous exam sessions and have also helped teach the Technician, General, and Extra classes during that same period.

I am proud to be a member of a group that provides such outstanding service to the community, and I hope to continue to represent you for another term on the Board.

HEATHER CHESNUT, KDØBXA

I became interested in Ham Radio when my dad was studying for his license. I attended Field Day and loved every minute of it. Since I passed my test, I have felt that the Lincoln Amateur Radio Club has become a second family to me.

I always look forward to attending the club

meetings and seeing everyone there. I was the Saturday night net controller for two years after having my license for only two months. I love being a trained storm spotter and deploying when severe weather occurs. During the spring and summer, I enjoy all of the public service events — including the triathlon at Holmes Lake, the Cornhusker State Games. I have coordinated the CROP Walk for the last several years.

I have served on the Board before for several years, and I am currently the only female serving on the Board. Someone has to keep these guys in line, on task, and on time (*cough* ED *cough*). Vote for ME!

JUSTIN WILLIAMSON, W5NEB

Howdy! My name is Justin Williamson, and I was licensed as KEØOYY in November 2017, after taking WØBCL's technician class. I upgraded to a general license in March 2018, and then I upgraded to the Extra Class in October 2018.

Since joining the LARC, I've enjoyed the opportunities to give back to our community through the club and helping with the Lincoln Marathon, the Cornhusker State Games, and storm nets. I've been glad to serve the club as an assistant emergency coordinator for ARES and as the chair for both the public relations and social media committees. It has also been my pleasure to help grow our club by being an ARRL instructor and VE. I just finished teaching my first technician course.

I'm a former Texas peace officer, and I now work on the residential construction side

of the ALLO project here in Lincoln. I live in Lincoln's Irvingdale neighborhood with my wife and toddler daughter.

I look forward to being able to expand my contributions to the club, which is why I respectfully ask for your vote. If you have any questions about me or my qualifications, please email me: W5NEB@arrl.net. Thank you!

MICHAEL LONG, KØSHC

I am Michael Long, KØSHC. I have been a member with the Lincoln Amateur Radio Club since April 2004. I hold a General Class License.

I have served the club on three committees: Holiday party (2017-18), public service (2007-present), and convention (2018-2019). I have served on the Board for three years, first by apointment, and then winning an election.

I hope to remain on the Board for another term. There is much work to do, and I would very much like to stay and continue working on all projects that come before the Board. It is an honor to serve you. My goal is to do club business responsibly for continued success and many years of Amateur Radio fun and enjoyment. I hope you will continue to give me this opportunity.

JEFF BENNETT, WØWKP

My name is Jeff Bennett, WØWKP. I have been a licensed ham since January 2006.

I am running for the LARC Board and looking to further a renewed excitement for being an LARC member and the future of the hobby. Since members are the heart and soul of LARC, it is key that members be involved in activities, including different leadership roles. When members are actively involved, this creates pride in the purpose and vision of their club. Every member is valuable to the success of the Lincoln Amateur Radio Club as each brings knowledge and unique abilities to the daily activities of the club.

I would also like to see a renewed interest in learning opportunities where members can grow in their knowledge of all that Amateur Radio has to offer. Thanks for considering me for the Board.

BILL PUGSLEY, WØZWV

Bill grew up in Lincoln. Early on, his dad, Al, who was a long-time ham and a member of LARC, encouraged Bill to become a Ham. In 1955, Bill was licensed as WØZWV. Bill quickly became a member of LARC as well. He retired from the Lincoln Health Department in 2001. During his working years, he maintained his license and always kept active in Amateur Radio activities, including storm spotting, disaster preparedness, and local club activities.

Bill holds an Extra Class license. He has completed the ARRL ARES training classes as well as 10 FEMA courses and has completed several other courses relating to emergency response.

He is currently serving on the LARC Board and hopes that he can continue to serve the club. Many activities are coming in the future, and he would like to be able to contribute some of the knowledge he has gained over the years to help the club moved forward.

LARC ELECTION BYLAWS

The following sections of the bylaws regulate the election of board members:

- 1.04 Voting Rights: Each Club member is entitled to cast one ballot in any Club election. At the annual meeting a Club member for either the current year or the following year is entitled to cast votes for Directors. No proxy votes are allowed at any time.
- 1.04.01 Supporting Business Member Voting Rights: The Supporting Business Member shall have no voting rights.
- 2.01 Annual Business Meeting: The Club's Annual Business Meeting for the election of eligible Directors and other presented business transactions, shall be held concurrently with the December Club meeting at a time and place designated by the President of the Board. In the event a quorum is not present, the Annual Business Meeting shall be held at successive regular Club meetings until a quorum is present.
- 2.05 Quorum: A quorum shall consist of not less than 15% of the Club members represented in person. A simple majority of the votes cast shall be necessary for the adoption of any matter voted upon.
- 3.01 An elected Director shall:
 - 3.01.01 Have a vital interest in Amateur Radio and the Club.
 - 3.01.02 Be a Full Club member for six (6) months immediately prior to nomination.
 - 3.01.03 Be a licensed Amateur Radio Operator.
 - 3.01.04 Not miss more than three consecutive Club or Board meetings without substantial cause.
 - 3.01.05 Be willing to serve on one or more committees as necessary.
- 3.04.01 Elected Directors' terms shall begin on January 1. The Director's term ends at the end of the day on December 31st of the second calendar year. Four (4) Directors shall be elected each year and may serve unlimited terms. A Director, appointed to fill a vacancy, shall serve until the expiration of the term s/he was appointed to fill.
- 3.06 Elections: Successors to elected Directors whose terms expire shall be elected by Members at the Annual Club Business Meeting. Each Member shall cast one vote for up to four (4) nominees from the slate listed on the ballot; those nominees receiving the greatest number of votes shall be declared elected.

—Aaron Rogge, NØADR

LARC HOLIDAY PARTY: SATURDAY, DECEMBER 15



The theme for this year's Holiday Party will be exactly like last year: Family! The cost can't be beat! We will get to that in a moment. First, a big thank you to Randy King, KØNC, and Maureen Sadler, KDØONM. LARC has been provided access to the Elks Lodge #80 for the holiday party. It is a very nice facility with all the amenities. It even has a lounge available to obtain libations.

Here are the details: LARC will provide turkey, ham, and stuffing from Hy-Vee. We will serve these items on the line using the warmers and kitchen utensils provided by the Elks Lodge. Please bring a side dish to share! Iced tea, lemonade, and punch would also be great. The date is Saturday, December 15, 2018. The doors will open at 5:00 pm, and we will start serving dinner at 6:00. The annual awards ceremony will happen after the meal is served.

The holiday party is a benefit to 2018 LARC club members and those who have paid their 2019

dues. So, if you are paid up, plate up!

If you are not a member yet and would like to join in the fun, Greg Brown, KTØK, and Heather Chesnut, KDØBXA, will be at the door to accept your dues for 2019. All "dues rules" about Full Membership and Associate Membership, governed by our LARC bylaws, apply.

If you are still a holdout and don't want to be a member of the club but want to join in the fun, we'll accept \$20.00 at the door for your meal and give you a 2019 membership with our thanks! Call it a holiday party cover charge with yearlong LARC perks.



Elks Lodge #80, 5910 S 58th St, Lincoln

Entertainment for the evening will be the company of fellow Hams and their families. We will also enjoy soft holiday music.

We look forward to seeing everyone there. Please email Heather, kd0bxa@gmail.com, and let her know you will be attending (and how many are coming with you) so we can order the right amount of food.

— Heather Chesnut, KDØBXA, & Maureen Sadler, KDØONM

MEET YOUR FELLOW HAM - DAVE WHITWORTH, NØVMT



Dave Whitworth, NØVMT, received his Technician license in 1991 and is a long-time member of LARC. He is a certified storm spotter and is actively involved in Nebraska and Lancaster County Emergency Management and the ARRL Nebraska Convention, just to name a few. Dave rarely misses LARC monthly club meetings.

In over 20 years as a Ham, Dave has been an active ARRL Field Day committee member, helping prepare for Field

Day as well as set up and take down antennas. He is responsible for maintaining the Field Day inventory and makes sure everything is properly stored for the next year. In 2014 and 2018, he set up an extension ladder to demonstrate its as a tower to support an antenna for emergency communications. He also spent the night at Mahoney Park watching over the radio equipment at Field Day. Ask him about the special lights he installed in the Field Day 'house.'



Dave's favorite Ham activity is to erect and climb towers and install and repair antennas. He especially enjoys meeting new Hams and has Elmered many new Hams over the years. He was instrumental in building a homebrew power point distribution box. Dave is a licensed electrician. He is a founding member of the Lincoln Salvation Army Team Emergency Network (SATERN) ham radio club. He spent countless hours wiring the SATERN emergency communication trailer and climbed the club station tower and installed the various antennas.

Dave is also a regular LARC volunteer for the Lincoln Lancaster County Super Fair and, for years, spent ten days (9:00 am–9:00 pm) transporting attendees throughout the fairgrounds in a golf cart he equipped with lights and a horn.



Without fanfare, helping with whatever needs to be done, Dave will be there. He is one of several Hams who rarely misses checking into the nightly ARES, 2 meter 146.76 Net and is a regular at the monthly LOG folding event.

The three aspects that are necessary to keep Ham radio functional are perseverance, dedication, and goodwill. But the most

important of them all is goodwill.

Meet your fellow Ham: Dave Whitworth, NØVMT, Ham Radio Ambassador of Goodwill.

—Chuck Bennett, KDØPTK

NOVEMBER LOG ASSEMBLY CREW



Thank you to KDØDIU, WDØEZI, NØJLR, KBØKA, KRØKAT, KBØMYH, KDØPTF, NØVMT, John Peterson, and Patrick for helping to prepare the November 2018 LOG for

mailing.

Plan now to join us for the next folding session on January 7! When we have at least 15 people prepping the *LOG*, the job is easy and fun for everyone.

— Jeri Lyn Rogge, NØJLR

GENERAL CLASS

The General class will be offered starting January 16. If you have your Tech license and are interested in upgrading, please mark your calendars.

—Aaron Rogge, NØADR

RADIO SPORT

DECEMBER

◆ 8-9 10 Meter

◆ 16 Rookie Roundup–CW

JANUARY

◆ 1 Straight Key Night

◆ 5 Kids Day

◆ 5-6 RTTY Roundup

◆ 19-21 January VHF

FEBRUARY

11-15 School Club Roundup
 16-17 International DX–CW

— ARRL Contest Calendar

2019 LARC DUES

It is time to renew your 2019 membership. LARC memberships run on the calendar year, January through December.

You may renew at any club meeting, online at <u>k0kkv.org/membership</u>, or fill out the form on the back page and mail it in.

Your dues help keep this club running and provide for things like the monthly LOG. If you enjoy what this club does and this LOG, please renew or begin your membership.

—Aaron Rogge, NØADR

BEST CHOICE UPC LABELS



Please bring UPC labels from Best Choice products purchased at Russ's or Super Saver to club meetings.

SUPPORTING BUSINESS MEMBERS

BRENT MANSHEIM INSURANCE

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COLLEGE VIEW DENTAL

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ABOUT

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To learn more about becoming a supporting business member, contact Ed Holloway, KØRPT, at 402/326-1139 or k0rpt@arrl.net.

ABOUT THE LINCOLN AMATEUR RADIO CLUB

The Lincoln Amateur Radio Club, Inc. (LARC), is a nonprofit organization devoted to the promotion of Amateur Radio. The club sponsors activities and programs to promote growth in Amateur Radio, as well as furthering the experience of those already licensed, and to create international good will.

The Lincoln LOG is mailed monthly to all paid members of LARC and to all Lancaster County, Nebraska, Hams.

If your label says, "COMPLIMENTARY," please consider joining the club and supporting its activities. Even if you are not currently active, your contribution will help to ensure the future of Amateur Radio. Annual dues are only \$20. For your convenience, please join by completing and mailing in the form below or visit k0kkv.org and use PayPal.

The LOG solicits your input. If you have an idea for an article, wish to contribute an article or photo, or want to place an ad in the LOG, contact the editors at log@k0kkv.org. The deadline for each issue is generally the last Tuesday of the previous month.



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City: State: Zi Phone: Email Address: License Class: □Novice □Tech □General □Ad		□ Cash □ Credit Card □ Check □ Data Uploaded			
Membership Information □ LARC (\$20 / Calendar Year: Jan - Dec) Year: □ ARRL: The National Association for Amateur Radio (\$49 / year) □ New □ Renewal					
Optional Donations ☐ Equipment fund \$: ☐ Social activities \$: Make checks to: Lincoln Amateur Radio Club, Inc. PO Box 5006 Lincoln NE 68505-0006 v2018.11					