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LARC HOLIDAY PARTY! Saturday, December 16 Elks Lodge #80 - 5910 S 58th Street, Lincoln Maureen Sadler, KDØONM

Doors open at 18:00, and dinner will begin at 18:30. The annual awards will be given after the dinner is served. There will be a cash bar available for those who like to enjoy an adult beverage with their meal.

LARC will provide turkey, ham, stuffing, corn, gravy, rolls, and a dessert. The holiday party is a benefit for 2023 club members and those who have paid their 2024 dues. So, if you are paid up, plate up!

If you are not a member for 2023 and haven't paid your dues for 2024 - but would still like to join in the fun - you may pay your 2024 dues at the door.

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

There is no need to RSVP. There will be plenty of food for everyone! We look forward to seeing you there.

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LARC Meeting

Wednesday, December 13 LARC Clubhouse | 4420 NW 41st St, Lincoln, NE

Club meetings are free and open to all. No need to have a ham license or club membership. We welcome anyone who has an interest in amateur radio.

Program Elections!

Half of the positions on the board are open for the candidates you will choose at the December club meeting. You will find their biographies in this document.

Please come and vote for your preferred candidates. A quorum of club members is required for the election to be valid, and we need as many club members as possible to come and vote.

If you are a club member for 2023 and/or 2024 you may vote.

Event Calendar

December

4 Mo 18:30 LOG Folding	LARC Clubhouse	4420 NW 41 st St
7 Th .18:30 VE Exams	College View Church	4801 Prescott Ave
13 We19:30. LARC Meeting	LARC Clubhouse	4420 NW 41 st St
14. Th .19:30 SATERN Meeting	Salvation Army	2625 Potter St
17. Su .17:00 LARC Board Mtg	LARC Clubhouse	4420 NW 41 st St
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President's Message

Aaron Rogge, NØADR, LARC President



December is here, so Happy Holidays, everyone! This month, we have two major events. The first is what is referred to as the "Annual Business Meeting" in the club bylaws. Four of the eight Board positions are up for election. Please take a moment and read

through the bios in this LOG. Plan to attend the December club meeting to select the candidates you feel will best help lead your club for the next two years. Your vote is very important!The second event is the annual holiday party. On Saturday, December 16, join us at the Elks Lodge #80 to enjoy a meal and fellowship. Club award winners will also be announced. This party is a benefit for all club members. We will accept your membership fee at the door if you need to renew or want to join LARC.

Thank you to all the volunteers who helped this year with public service events, Lincoln Hamfest, Volunteers on the Air, flea markets, Field Day, teaching classes, cleaning and mowing at the clubhouse, LOG folding, and so much more. I am immensely grateful for all you did to grow and sustain the Lincoln Amateur Radio Club.

As we wrap up 2023, I leave you with this short verse:

Irish Ham Radio Blessing by Sheila Cicci (Brownielocks) May your antenna be strong and mighty, May your contacts be clear and plenty. And may your friends be many and forever.

2023 Events!

Aaron Rogge, NØADR

Here is a list of upcoming Events in 2023:

December 16 * Annual Holiday Party

ARRL Contest Calendar

December

- 1-3 160 Meter
- 9-10 10 Meter
- 17 Rookie Roundup CW

LOG Folding

Aaron Rogge, NØADR

Thank you to the November LOG folding crew: NOADR, KCØDHM, WDØEZI, KCØHN, KØJSL, KRØKAT, KØKPH, KDØPTF, Jon Peterson. Ayden Rogge, Liam Rogge, and Mitch Ryan.

Join us for the next folding session! Date: Wednesday, January 3, 2024 Time: 6:30 pm Location: LARC Clubhouse, 4420 NW 41st St

Nets

Paul Mundt, KF9TV

The Lincoln Amateur Radio Club offers various daily nets that welcome all hams. The nightly ARES Net is daily at 9PM local time. There is also a Lunch Bunch Net on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday at 12 Noon. This is an informative and fun net, once again open to all. These nets are on 146.76 and 442.7MHz. Join us if you can.

Crop Walk

Heather Chesnut, KDØBXA

Sunday October 8, 2023 KDØBXA, NØFTZ. NØFYE. KCØHN, KØKPH, KEØTNR.

A big thank you to all who helped.



Alex Lewis W3ALX

I first become interested in radios and how they worked at age 15 when I was asked to be the radio operator on a small sailing vessel for a youth program I was involved in. The first step was to get my Restricted Radiotelephone Operator Permit. After high school and a couple years of college, I joined the United States Navy and was thrilled when I was assigned to Radioman "A" School in San Diego

California. I served in the Navy and Naval Reserve from 1985 to 1993 and had the pleasure to work and learn at very interesting Communication Stations in the mainland US, Hawaii, and my primary station in Western Australia.

I always had an interest in Amateur Radio but for some reason waited another 2 decades to do something about it. After a couple weeks of selfstudy, I finally took the test and received my Technician license in July 2015. Before working on my upgrade to General, I set out to learn about the various modes and uses of the HF bands and researched various radios and home-brew antennas ideas. I purchased my first HF rig and got my General license to September 2017. Since joining LARC, my primary interests have been in ARES/SkyWarn, working various digital modes in HF, and learning creative ways to make stealth antennas to use in my HOA neighborhood.

By day I am a Senior Cyber Security Engineer at Union Bank. I have lived in Lincoln since 1988 and my wife Joely and I have been residing in the North Hills neighborhood for over 16 years. When I'm not working the bands, I enjoy building and maintaining Linux systems that are used for Web servers and various kinds of cyber security gadgets.

I am proud to have served on the board as your Treasurer for the past two years, and thank you for your consideration to continue serving on the LARC board.



Jennifer Wendelin WØSHT

Hello Fellow Hams, As some of you may remember, this is my 2nd time running for the board. Both times there were only 4 people running and we need 5 so I threw my hat in the ring so we can have the vote. All for

the Club. I have been very blessed to have found this Group! I try to do everything I can to help advance our Club. Thankfully I've felt well enough to help out on a few of our Public Service Events this year (And not just the Fair). It good to finally be able to get out and do things.

I've had the honor of being an A.R.E.S. 2-Meter Net Control Operator for over 4 years. (November 2 was my 4th Anniversary) I've stepped up to do a net or 2 when the N.C.O. couldn't do their net. All for The Club. I'm a Certified Storm Spotter and a long time member of C.E.R.T./M.R.C.. I will continue doing everything I can to help the Club no matter what. It really is "All For The Club". Thank you all for all you do. 73



Shaun Munson KØSMM

Well Hello all, its the time of the year again for board elections. A little about me, as most know I have two kids and I'm happily married to my wife of 15 yrs. Since I got my license in June 2019, I have been active in Amateur Radio. I'm especially active in ARES, and really love what ham radio has to

offer, so many different possibilities and paths to choose from. Electronics have always been something that interests me, and ham radio was the way to incorporate everything together and fuel my passion to help others. I hold a general class license and, along with that I am the current ARRL Assistant Section manager for Nebraska, Assistant District coordinator for southeast Nebraska, and the Assistant Emergency coordinator for Lancaster County.

As a current board member I am up for re-election and I feel I would continue to be a great and positive influence on the board. I will continue to help the club move forward in a positive direction, and I plan to continue with outreach, and encouraging others to be active in the club.

I believe the Lincoln amateur radio club has a great community of members that will continue to flourish, and I hope to continue to be a voice for our members.

Thank you for taking the time to consider a vote for me. 73



Ed Holloway, KØRPT

I have been a member of LARC since 1991 and have served on the board a total of 12 years. Some of you may ask, why? Well, I believe in continuity of history, transparency and doing my part to help the club continue its rich history of being a

vital resource to our community. I believe in being a part of moving our club in a positive forward direction and doing all I can to enhance our capabilities like, the club station, the facility we hold our meetings, classes, log folding and testing. I have a great passion for the club and it tickles my heart to see all the activities throughout each month. It makes all the behind the scenes work worth it. Along with taking care of the club repeater for 25 years, convention, county fair and a few public service events sprinkled in, being a member of the board is my way of giving back to a club that has treated me very well. Being a member of the board is a team effort that you've entrusted in me over the last 8 years. I would appreciate your continued trust, support and vote of confidence as I run for the board for 2024-2026. Thank you!



Kenneth Cohn KCØHN

I am a husband, father of three and grandfather to three. I currently work for the State of Nebraska as a Service Desk Coordinator Senior. I became interested in electronics around the age of seven and completed a local challenge in Fairbury to repair a broken multi-meter, somewhere around age 10, for a small cash prize. I even got to keep the meter which I think is still in a box somewhere. I have always been

fascinated by electronics, radios and computers. I have been licensed for over thirty years and have been a member of the Lincoln Amateur Radio Club on and off for most of those thirty years. I was granted an Extra class license in May of 2022 and then my VE status in September of 2022. I am an active participant in our VE testing sessions and enjoypresenting free handheld radios to the candidates that pass their Technician class exam for the first time. I have also been a steady participant in public service events, such as storm spotting, the Nebraska State Fair (when it was in Lincoln), the Lancaster County Super Fair, Cornhusker State Games and several others throughout the years. I will be a conservative voice for the board and believe fiscal responsibility is required to ensure this club survives for future generations of hams to enjoy. I believe in efficiency. When something needs to get done, there is no room for bickering and squabbling. The board needs to be run by adults that can work together as a team to resolve issues, promote growth and continue our important public service work. I am asking for your vote to the Lincoln Amateur Radio club board to help keep this club on a positive trajectory. Thank you!



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The Santa Net is held every evening between Thanksgiving and Christmas on 3.916 MHz at 7:00PM Central Time (check-ins open 1/2 hour before).

Shaun Munson KØSMM

VE Report Chris Evens, KCØPJR, VE Coordinator

November VE Session:

We had a busier month than normal with two sessions. We had the normal first Thursday session at College View Church, and a second session at the club house following the end of the last Technician class. Six licenses were earned or upgraded in the two sessions.

TECHNICIAN

EXTRA

Keenan Lager, KFØOBZ, Lincoln Todd Mason, KFØOJA, Lincoln Joel Murch-Shafer, KFØOCC, Blair Martin Sneider, KFØOIQ, Lincoln **Congratulations to our new licensees!** Brett Bieber, KFØNKS, Lincoln Matthew VanCleave, NØMTT, Lincoln

Volunteer Examiners (VE's) who participated this month:

NØADR, WØBCL, KCØDHM, KCØHN, KWØNE, KCØPJR, and NEØTM.

Thank you for giving your time to those wanting to get into Amateur Radio.

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Gordon Trout, WØKBS

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