



London Amateur Radio Club

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Field Day 2015



These Hardy Souls Made Field Day Possible:

Ken Blackall

Brian Borowski

Mark Bramwell

Ruth Dahl

Doug Elliot

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Jim Morris

Tom Pillon

Chuck Reid

Rob Vanderminnen

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Hielke Berends

Brian Bouckley

Norm Campbell

Mike & Karen Doncaster

Bob & Melba Eveland

Brett Gilbank

Corbin Lippert

John Pedersen

Vic Polewsky

Don Tod

John & Sharon Visser

Mike Watts

MS Bike Tour

Big Thanks to:

Brian Bouckley, Norm Campbell, Ruth Dahl,
Karen Doncaster, Mike Doncaster,
James Davidson, Doug Elliott, Bob Eveland,
Brett Gilbank, Scott McIntosh, Doris Miller,
John Pedersen, Ansil Rock, Zachary Seguin,
John Visser Sr, Sharon Visser, John Visser Jr,
Mike Watts

Ham Radio Basic Course

A very Hands On and Applied Approach, utilizing the Club Station at SoRM

Sep 12	Intro/Basics	Doug Elliott	
Sep 19	Waves, Propagation	Mike Cook	
Sep 26	Feedlines, Antennas	Mitch Powell	
Oct 3	Station Setup	Doug Elliott & Spicers	
Oct 10	Thanksgiving - no class		
Oct 17	Receivers	Dave McCarter	
Oct 24	Transmitters & Modulation	Dave McCarter	
Oct 31	V, I, R, Power	Dave McCarter	
Nov 7	L, C, X_L , X_C , Resonance	Dave McCarter	
Nov 14	Devices, Power Supplies	Mark Bramwell	
Nov 21	RFI, Safety, Regulations	Mike Watts	
Nov 28	Testing	100 multiple choice questions	Mark Bramwell, Mike Watts

HAMFEST 2015

Sunday, September 20th

9:00 to 12:00

Hellenic Community Centre

133 Southdale Road

Admission: \$8.00, (Age 10 and up)

Table: \$15.00 Extra Tables : \$10.00@

Coffee and Muffins available for a small cost

Commercial Dealers in attendance

Wheelchair Accessible with Handicap Washrooms

Bring & Buy: Let LARC sell your items (2 items max) at our club table. More Info: <http://www.larc.ca/larctable.html>

Coordinated by: Ruth Dahl VE3RBO

Radio Amateurs of Canada News

New South Western Ontario Section Manager

Allan Foley VE3XAL of New Lowell, near Stayner.

New Director

Phil McBride VA3QR of Acton, east of Guelph

ARES

Section Manager ONS

Allan Boyd VE3AJB of Little Current. Not Exactly ONS!

Section Emergency Coordinator ONS

Scott Carter VE3CGN of Dutton

London Emergency Coordinator

Doug Elliott VA3DAE of London

E.C. for Middlesex County North, Central, East : Vacant!

E.C. for Woodstock: Vacant!

Simulated Emergency Test

Ontario Section: October 7, 2015

The Simulated Emergency Test is a North America-wide exercise in emergency communications, administered by the ARRL and the RAC Emergency Coordinators and Net Managers.

Both the Amateur Radio Emergency Services (ARES) and the National Traffic System (NTS) are involved.

The SET weekend gives communicators the opportunity to focus on the emergency-communications capability within your community, while interacting with NTS nets.

RAC administers our Canadian SETs. Among other objectives we aim to strengthen the relationship between ARES and served municipalities and relief agencies.

It is vitally important that this be done at the local EC level.

Purpose of S.E.T.

- To find out the strengths and weaknesses of the ARES, NTS and other groups providing emergency communications.
- To provide a public demonstration to served agencies such as Red Cross, Emergency Preparedness and, through the news media, of the value to the public that Amateur Radio provides, particularly in time of need.
- To help radio amateurs gain experience in communications using standard procedures and a variety of modes under simulated-emergency conditions.

S.E.T. Format

The scoring format reflects broad objectives and encourages use of digital modes for handling high-volume traffic and point-to-point welfare reports out of the affected simulated-disaster area.

Participants will find SET an opportunity to strengthen the VHF-HF link at the local level, thereby ensuring that ARES and NTS are working in concert.

The SET will give all levels of ARES the chance to handle exercise-related traffic.

Test messages should carry the word "TEST" before the precedence; that is, "Test Priority" on phone and "TEST P" on CW. The text of such messages should also begin with the words "TEST MESSAGE."

S.E.T. Who Can Take Part?

Any licenced Amateur with a desire to take part, serve their community, and gain valuable experience dealing with accurate priority message traffic in a Professional manner.

Most Operations are on VHF, through repeaters and with Simplex.

Speak with Doug Elliott, VA3DAE, to sign up.

Our Guests of Honour



Henry Klausnitzer, SBStJ, CD, CEM

Emergency Management
at City of London, Canada

Previous:

St. John Ambulance, 2 PPCLI, & 2, 3, & 4 RCR

Education: Canadian Forces College, NCMPDC



Cori Woods

Emergency Management Technologist
at City of London, Canada

Previous: Fire Marshal & Emergency Management
Office, Mohawk Shared Services, Donorworx Inc.

Education: Sheridan College's Emergency
Management and Business Continuity program,
Political Science degree from Western University.

Our October 8th Meeting

Guest of Honour

Mitch Powell, VE3OT

Introducing “The New Top Bands”



Canadian
0 - 30MHz
Band Plan

