



NARL

NEWS

The monthly newsletter of the Newington Amateur Radio League, Inc.

In this edition you will find details for our next NARL monthly meeting. Columns include the president corner, meeting minutes from past meeting, treasury report and various points of interests.

### **Next Meeting Topic:**

Our next NARL general meeting is Monday June 4, 2018 at 7:00 pm in the Newington Senior Center.

### **Previous Meeting Minutes:**

#### **Newington Amateur Radio League Meeting Minutes – May 7, 2018**

The meeting was called to order at 7:10 PM by Club President George Lillenstein, AB1GL, with 8 persons present. During introductions, we welcomed everyone including two visitors.

Treasurer Rich Lawrence, KB1DMX, presented the Treasurer's report. The April meeting minutes were not available to present, so there was no report from the Secretary.

Public Service Chair Paul Labieniec, KB1QQI, gave details about NARL's planned participation in providing public service communications for the Lucy Robbins Well 5K Run on Sunday, May 20. Our team of operators will be meet between 7:30 and 8:00 AM at the Newington Senior Center parking lot that morning. After receiving operating assignments, we will deploy around the course and proceed to monitor the race that starts at 9:00 AM. The W1AW 2-meter repeater will host our public service net.

The next public service event for NARL is the Shriner's Run in Newington in late July.

Plans for ARRL Field Day at Mill Pond Park on June 23 and 24 were reviewed. Our club has received permission to set up at the same location as last year that is at the gazebo and near the swimming pool.

Thanks to George, AB1GL, for bringing in his laptop computer to show a YouTube video on getting started with digital modes. This evening's video, produced by N4QAD, focused on FLdigi.

The meeting adjourned at 8:15 PM.  
respectfully submitted by Steve Ewald,  
WV1X, NARL Secretary

## **NARL is an active club**

- Field Day
- Hamfest
- Annual picnic
- Public service
- New licensee classes
- Buildathons and workshops
- Monthly speakers/presentations

**Please join us on many of  
our club activities**

## **Ham Radio is constantly growing !!!**

*Time to try something new!*

*QRP, work a satellite, build a transceiver or  
accessory, explore APRS, try a digital mode,  
work meteor scatter on six meters*

*Participate in a QSO party, give contesting a  
shot, experiment and build a new antenna, try a  
new mode/band.*

***Do you know of a nonprofit  
event that could use  
communications support?***

Send inquiries to:  
NARL, Inc.  
PO Box 310133  
Newington, CT 06111

Or join us at a club meeting and inquire  
about getting amateur radio support.

## **CT ARES Region 3 Net**

Please join us by checking into the ARES Area 3  
net on Monday nights at  
8:00 PM.

CT Linked Repeater System (KB1AEV) 147.345,  
standard offset, PL 77.

The current Net Manager is W1RGC Richard  
Claing – but Net Control Station Training is  
greatly encouraged. Email Richard if you'd like  
to handle the net or get NCS trained –  
[w1rgc@arrl.net](mailto:w1rgc@arrl.net).

<b>NTS Nets</b>	<b>Day (s)</b>	<b>Time (local)</b>	<b>Freq/offset/PL</b>	<b>NM</b>	<b>QTH</b>
<b>CT Phone Net (CPN)</b>	M - S	1800	3.973 MHz None / none	N1DIO	Gilford
<b>CT Phone Net (CPN)</b>	Sun.	1000	3.965 MHz None / none	N1DIO	Guilford
<b>CT Net (CN)</b>	Daily	1900	3.533 MHz None/none	WA4GGN	West Haven
<b>Western CT Traffic Net (WESCON)</b>	Daily	2030	147.18/+600/141.3	KB1NMO	Prospect
	Daily	2030	147.12/+600/141.3	KB1NMO	Danbury
	Daily	2030	145.41/-600/141.3	KB1NMO	Vernon
<b>Eastern CT Traffic Net (ECTN)</b>	Daily	2100	146.73/-600/156.7	W1MCT	Norwich
<b>Nutmeg VHF Traffic Net (NVTN)</b>	Sun, Mon, Tues, Thurs. Fri.,Sat/	2130	146.685/141.3	KB1RGQ	Bristol
	Weds	2130	147.090/110.9	KB1RGQ	Glastonbury



Thank you for joining or renewing your membership to NARL and/or the ARRL. NARL Membership is from Jan 1 to Dec 31.

Your membership contribution helps ensure the future of Amateur Radio in CT's Capital Region.

Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Call Sign: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**Email address is important – this is how you receive our monthly club newsletter and important announcements!**

\$20.00	<input type="checkbox"/>	New NARL Membership
\$0.00	<input type="checkbox"/>	New NARL Membership (NARL sponsored class)
\$20.00	<input type="checkbox"/>	NARL Membership Renewal (NARL Member Since:)
\$49.00	<input type="checkbox"/>	New ARRL Membership / ARRL Renewal (please circle)
\$10.00	<input type="checkbox"/>	Student or additional family members
_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____
Total: \$ _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	Donation – Funds collected as club donations are used for repeater expenses and various club activities. NARL is an IRS designated 501 (c) (3) organization. Federal Tax ID: 06-1391927

As a NARL member, I will comply with the NARL By-Laws and follow the rules of the club, attending club meetings and supporting club activities as a volunteer.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature Date

For NARL use only

Amount to NARL: \_\_\_\_\_ Amount to ARRL: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Check #: \_\_\_\_\_ By: \_\_\_\_\_

Bring a completed membership form to the next club meeting or mail to:  
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P.O. Box 130133  
Newington CT 06111