

ZERO BEAT

Official Newsletter
Kingsport Amateur Radio Club/Bays Mountain Radio Club

August 2009

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Important Dates

Every Sunday
2 Meter Net on 146.970 at 8:30 PM
(Backup Repeater is Gate City 146.820)

September 10
KARC/BMRC Club Meeting at the Toy F. Reid Employee Center
7:00 PM, Room 219

September 12
Breakfast Get-Together at Golden Corral, Eastman Road

September 14
Test Session, Kingsport Computers, Ft Henry Drive
6:30 PM

SNACKS

September – Phil Alley
October – Lynn Anderson
November – Phyllis Maness
December – Christmas Party

September Birthdays

25 Gary Churchwell (K4NR1)

Club Picnic

Club members got together August 14 at the Eastman Recreational Area Shelter 9 for the annual picnic. The club provided hot dogs and hamburgers and the rest of the members brought various side dishes. Everyone had a great time.

Upcoming Hamfests

September 26 & 27

10th Annual Ten-Tec Hamfest

1185 Dolly Parton Parkway

Sevierville, TN

(2 1/2 miles east of downtown Sevierville on Highway 411 North)

October 17

Gray Hamfest Association

Appalachian Fairgrounds

101 Lakeside Street

Gray, TN

For more information, visit <http://www.grayhamfesttn.org>



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Earl L "Barney" Hancock, Kingsport (KC4QQL)

Earl L. "Barney" Hancock, 79, of Kingsport, was born on Aug. 21, 1930, in Dayton Ohio and died on Aug. 26, 2009, at his home.

Test Session

There will be an Amateur Radio Test Session held at Kingsport Computers on Ft. Henry Drive on **Monday, September 14th at 6:30 pm**. All classes of testing are available from Technician to Extra. Remember to bring a copy of your current license and a photo ID with you. The testing fee is \$15 – If paying in cash, try to bring exact change or you can pay with a personal check made out to ARRL/VEC.

Sunday Night Net

If you are interested in volunteering your time to call the net, visit w4trc.org and click on the Net Control Ops Sign-Up link on the left of the page. You can choose any net date available.

Interested in placing information in the newsletter?

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