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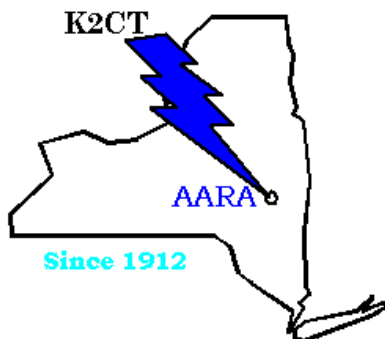
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AARA

AARA Meets at the
Bethlehem Town Hall
445 Delaware Ave
Delmar, NY 12054

Friday JUNE 14th

Social Hour 6:55 PM

refreshments
soda, diet soda, coffee etc.

June MEETING

John, K2QY will present a short program
on using the Elecraft K3 and P3
(panadapter) to help those that wish to
use this rig during Field Day

Field Day Hailes Cave Thatcher Park ,
Route 157 Voorheesville, NY
June 22nd 8AM thru June 23rd

Friday June 21 set up starts at 2PM
Please come to

K2CT Repeater

Talk-in repeater 145.19 (-) MHz
pl tone 103.5Hz

AARA Dues

Dues are \$15 with B-PLUS available at
the K2CT Web page in .pdf format
www.k2ct.net

OR

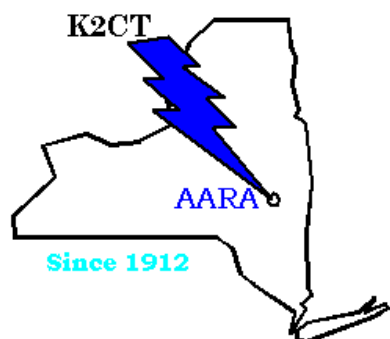
\$20 for mailing of the newsletter
Checks should be made out to AARA
and sent to:

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Slingerlands, NY 12159

ALBANY AMATEUR RADIO ASSOCIATION

FIELD DAY 2013

PARKING PASS



**Valid June 22 and 23 for
Hailes Cave site**

AVAILABLE TO AARA MEMBERS ONLY

AARA Golf Shirts

Orders for the AARA golf shirts are again being taken by W2XM.

The style and color are unchanged from the last edition.

Please place your order with Bob BEFORE JUNE 19 by providing \$19 cash or check (made payable to Bob Raffaele), being sure to specify the name, call sign, telephone number and –

THIS IS IMPORTANT - size (S, M, L, XL, 2XL, 3XL; 2XL and 3XL cost \$2 more).

Bob Raffaele, W2XM w2xm@arrl.net 459-8435

Dozens of pieces available - Connectors, adapters, gender benders, splitters, right-angle connectors: chassis-mount, cable-mount; SO-239/PL-259, BNC, TNC, Type N, SMA, Type F, others.

The price is \$1/item, except for the type F males, which are worth much less.

See me at AARA meeting or contact me beforehand.

Bob, w2xm@arrl.net, 459-8435



The shack of George, K2ONP
photo by Bud, WF2B

***** **CONTESTS ON THE AIR** *****

June 2013

All Asian DX Contest, CW	0000Z, Jun 15 to 2400Z, Jun 16
SARL Youth Day Sprint	0700Z-1100Z, Jun 16
Run for the Bacon QRP Contest	0100Z-0300Z, Jun 17
His Maj. King of Spain Contest, SSB	1200Z, Jun 22 to 1200Z, Jun 23
Ukrainian DX DIGI Contest	1200Z, Jun 22 to 1200Z, Jun 23
Marconi Memorial HF Contest	1400Z, Jun 22 to 1400Z, Jun 23
ARRL Field Day	1800Z, Jun 22 to 2100Z, Jun 23
SKCC Sprint	0000Z-0200Z, Jun 26
CWops Mini-CWT Test	1300Z, Jun 26 to 0400Z, Jun 27

July 2013

RAC Canada Day Contest	0000Z-2359Z, Jul 1
MI QRP July 4th CW Sprint	2300Z, Jul 4 to 0300Z, Jul 5
Venezuelan Ind. Day Contest	0000Z, Jul 6 to 2359Z, Jul 7
DL-DX RTTY Contest	1100Z, Jul 6 to 1059Z, Jul 7
DARC 10-Meter Digital Contest	1100Z-1700Z, Jul 7
CWops Mini-CWT Test	1300Z, Jul 10 to 0400Z, Jul 11
FISTS Summer Sprint	0000Z-0400Z, Jul 13
IARU HF World Championship	1200Z, Jul 13 to 1200Z, Jul 14
SKCC Weekend Sprintathon	1200Z, Jul 13 to 2359Z, Jul 14
DMC RTTY Contest	1200Z, Jul 20 to 1200Z, Jul 21

Signs of life from HeathKit. Take their survey. <http://hamradionation.com/index.php?topic=2061.msg7152#msg7152>
-- Bruce, WA3AFS

AARA Field Day
Hailes Cave at
Thatcher Park
Route 157
Voorheesville, NY
JUNE 22 - 23

ATVET Albany Troy Volunteer Examiner Team

If you are interested in amateur radio, and would like to take the exam, the Albany/Troy VE Team (ATVET) stands ready to assist. ATVET is a joint effort of the Albany Amateur Radio Association (AARA), and the Troy Amateur Radio Association (TARA). ATVET will again be holding their exam sessions in the C.I.I. Building (Low Center for Industrial Innovations), Room 3045, on the Campus of RPI, Troy, NY

May 11, 2013	Saturday	9:20 AM	10:00 AM
July 24, 2013	Wednesday	6:20PM	7:00 PM
October 12, 2013	Saturday	9:20 AM	10:00 AM
November 9, 2013	Saturday	9:20 AM	10:00 AM

More Info contact: ATVET LIAISON: Gerald Murray, WA2IWW atvet@n2ty.org or 518-482-8700

Antenna SALE

Making drastic price reductions on these antennas from the estate of W2HFN.

For 2 meters: A Cushcraft or Diamond brand vertical, five quarter wavelengths tall (the optimum height for low-angle radiation and, yes, it has gain over a half-wave dipole). I'm thinking "\$75."

For 40, 30, 20, 17, 15, 12, and 10: Cushcraft R-7000. With detailed assembly/installation manual. \$225?

For 75/80 and all other HF bands: 140' of insulation-coated 450-ohm ladder line fed with 75' - 100' of 75-ohm plastic-coated ladder line. There has been some fraying. \$50?

They are in my garage at this time.

Bob, W2XM w2xm@arrl.net 459-8435

send stubs to Saul, K2XA

Name _____

Phone _____

Call _____

Raffle to Benefit the
ALBANY AMATEUR RADIO ASSOCIATION
First prize: Fourth Generation iPad w/ Retina Display, 16GB Hard Drive
Newest Version, includes 1GB RAM, 1GHz Apple A6

Or
\$475 CASH

Drawing to be held on October 11, 2013

\$5 each

5 for \$20

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