

"OLE VIRGINIA HAMS" AMATEUR RADIO CLUB, INC  
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Repeaters -- WA4FPM -- 146.970/146.370 & 224.660/223.060 -- KE4HCT -- 448.325/443.325(New - Not Operational)  
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BBS--BBSHRG/N4WJN (SYSOP--BILL)

# OLE VIRGINIA TIMES

AUGUST 1995

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ALSO...WE'VE THROWN IN SOME PHOTOS OF THE  
LAST FIELD DAY EVENT AT LONG PARK!



Night Operations with KE4HCT, KU3M & KD4KBX at the OVH FIELD DAY

## COMMENTARY FROM THE OVH CHIEFTAN

Erv, KD4DFB - President of the Club

Hey OVH;

I seem to be out of sync (or sorts) which is allegedly due to the results of last months newsletter. However, I'll think of something to say. First I'll recap what I contend as a memorable Field Day. A special thanks to Rick for a job well done.

For Aug., we are back to our "normal" meeting place which has been all spruced up, water proofed and less echo-ee. But of course NOVEC has raised the rent \$5.00 per hour. We have

been having excellent attendance at the meetings. Thanks and let's keep it up, it's been fun and we have accomplished a lot. I've asked Harry W4PVA and Chuck KE4JWY to look into some ARES type activities that we could participate in or get training in. This would benefit the new licensees a whole bunch.

Jim WD4OJY is doing a great job in setting up some short (i.e. 30 min.) programs for us. Looks like were good thru Sept. anyway. We are sponsoring a no-code tech and code classes this fall

starting on 12 Sept., so solicit your friends, neighbors and peers to be HAMS.

At the last meeting it was neat watching Butch W4HJL trying to be a gentleman. In the wind and rain he was maning the doors to let Mary Lou in while she entered thru the side doors, sat down and was participating in the meeting. That's All Folks..Sorry but the heats got to me.

THANKS FOR LISTENING...73 and CUATM de Erv

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To Be Decided Soon

**WEEKLY VHF NET CONTROL**

Thursdays - 8:00 PM - 146.97 & 224.660 Mhz  
Harry Vorhauer W4PVA

The OVH Times is the official publication of the "Ole Virginia Hams" ARC and is published on a monthly basis. The OVH ARC is a non-profit organization dedicated to the promotion and enhancement of Amateur Radio. The OVH ARC meets at 8:00 PM every third Monday of the month, at the Northern Virginia Electric Coop, located at 10323 Lomond Dr., Manassas, VA. Prospective members are invited.

Local information can always be obtained, at any time, through the usage of the OVH repeaters (146.97 & 224.660 Mhz). All are welcome.

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**PROGRAMS ?!?! YOU WANT PROGRAMS ?!?!**

Hi All:

It's me again. I'm back, but only til February. I'll try and put something together for each meeting that we all might enjoy. Maybe we can even learn a thing or two or get to know a new friend or even chat awhile with an old one. Let me give you a rundown of what I've got so far and each month I will remind you of what's coming up and also tell you what's new. OK, here goes:

**AUGUST: ARRL Roanoke Division Director**

John Kanode, N4MM, the ARRL Roanoke Division Director has gladly agreed to attend the August meeting. John has been the Roanoke Division Director for many years and drops by from time to time to bring us up to date on all that's happening in the ARRL. It's been awhile since we've seen John so there will be lots to talk about. John is also a 'big gun dx'er' having won many if not all the dx awards available today. I'm sure we might find out first hand what the band conditions are now and what they look like in the near future. A great get together for all at OVH, both old and new members....

**SEPTEMBER: The OVH Repeater Functions**

Art Whittum/W1CRO, will bring us up to date on the workings of the New Controller!

That's all for now, see you at the meeting and as always....

.73 for now



Tommy/K4AFU manning the OVH generators at Field Day

## The View From Here... The Top Of The Tower

Hey OVH! It's hot as heck out there lately! Whew! Let's hope that the Fall ushers in some relief.

Well, it's been quite a Summer. First the OVH Hamfest and then then Field Day. I hope you all got a chance to come out and mingle with the crowd and socialize. Let me first say that I have quite a ways to go to become as proficient in code work as the two folks shown on this page. Does the term "Whiz Bang" mean anything here? As I toil with studying the code, build the tower box for the 440 machine and cope with life...I sure wish I could do code like these guy can! And so I continue with dits and dahs



Yes, Field Day was fun and exciting, especially when in the wee hours of the morning Harry/TheVoice Of John/NQ4Q at the OVH Field Day Manassas, started giggling for some unknown reason! Odd, I thought. Harry's not usually like that! Harry then motioned to me and to my chagrin I discovered that "Sammy Skunk" (park resident) had come to pay the OVH Field Day a visit in the middle of the night! It wasn't really a fiasco, but my "not too smart" pup thought "Sammy" might be fun to play with! I didn't think so. The disaster was averted, thankfully so.

Back to the present. I heard some fine club member remark of my last editorial as "diarrhea of the mouth"? How could this be? Oh, heart be still! Say it's not so...Joe! It brings a smile to my face, to say the least. I am thankful that the club members read this newsletter, and I openly encourage your comments and ideas. Just beware...you might find your name in print! I make no excuses for attempting to be very "active" in club affairs. I enjoy Ham radio and hope to make a contribution to the club in general. I find no problem with other members, such as above, who hold different views...but I challenge you to become as "active" as I. Do a little here, do a little there, it'll all add up. This is why I continue to study the code. Stand on the same ground with me, that's all I ask.

*73 de The Editor*

**OVH Training Classes To Start  
Fall Classes:**

### **No-Code Technician Class**

Each Tuesday 7-9 PM at the Stonewall Jackson Senior High School in Manassas. 12 sept thru 14 Nov. The text is the ARRL "NOW YOUR TALKING" 2nd edition. Instructor is Erv/KD4DFB.

### **5 WPM Code Class**

Each Thursday 7-9 PM at the above location. 14 Sept thru 16 Nov. Instructor is Charlie /WA4YGI.

Next VE Session: 18 Nov

Harry/W4PVA operates during the night at the OVH Field Day



# QST DE W1AW

From ARRL Headquarters  
Newington CT June 30, 1995  
To All Radio Amateurs

## Vanity Call Sign Fee Set

The Federal Communications Commission has adopted a fee for amateur vanity call signs of three dollars per year, to be collected for the entire 10-year term at the time of application for such a call sign. The beginning date for these fees is September 18, 1995. These fees are the result of a mandate from congress that the FCC collect fees to recover some of its regulatory costs.

The FCC said that the revenue requirement for amateur vanity call signs is 840,000, dollar(s) and estimates that it will process 28,000 applications for them.

No start date for applications for vanity call signs has yet been announced, and the necessary FCC form 610-VS have not yet been released. These fees apply only to vanity call sign applications, not to any other amateur license transaction.

AUGUST 2, 1995

## 2 METER RECORD CLAIMED

AN OVERWATER DISTANCE RECORD ON THE 144 MHZ BAND HAS APPARENTLY BEEN SET BETWEEN HAWAII AND WASHINGTON STATE.

ON JULY 1, 1995, PAUL LIEB, KH6HME, ON MAUNA LOA VOLCANO, WORKED JIM COSTELLO, W7FI, IN WOODINVILLE, WASHINGTON, NEAR SEATTLE, A DISTANCE OF 4333 KILOMETERS. THE PREVIOUS RECORD WAS SET BETWEEN KH6HME AND XE2GXQ, ON BAJA CALIFORNIA, A DISTANCE OF 4276 KM, ON JULY 13, 1989. THIS TROPOSPHERIC DUCTING OPENING BEGAN JUNE 28 WHEN THE 144.170 MHZ BEACON ON MAUNA LOA, 13,680 FEET (4170 METERS) ABOVE SEA LEVEL, WAS HEARD ON THE WEST COAST, ACCORDING TO QST VHF COLUMNIST EMIL POCKOCK, W3EP, WHO CALLED THE NEXT THREE DAYS "THE MOST WIDESPREAD HAWAII-TO-WEST COAST OPENING EVER RECORDED."

IN THE EARLY EVENING OF JUNE 30, KH6HME WORKED W17Z AND N7KSI, BOTH NEAR THE COAST OF WASHINGTON, THE FIRST EVER 144-MHZ CONTACTS FROM THAT STATE TO HAWAII, AND THEN WORKED N7AVK, IN OREGON. THE BREAKTHROUGH CAME THE NEXT DAY, AT 0600, WHEN KH6HME WORKED SEVERAL SEATTLE-AREA STATIONS, BEGINNING WITH W7FI, AND WAS HEARD BY VE7SKA, WHO COULD NOT MAKE HIMSELF HEARD IN HAWAII.

USING COMPUTER SOFTWARE, THE VARIOUS SEATTLE-AREA STATIONS CALCULATED WHO WAS THE FARTHEST FROM MAUNA LOA, AND THE WINNER WAS W7FI. THE RECORD-SETTING DISTANCE WAS 58 KM FARTHER THAN THE SIX-YEAR-OLD RECORD.

UNFORTUNATELY, THE CONDITIONS DID NOT EXTEND TO HIGHER BANDS KH6HME MADE 432 MHZ CONTACTS WITH K6QXY AND W6SYA, BUT NO OTHERS WERE COMPLETED.

July 13, 1995

## Record Set At 3456 MHz

Extraordinary conditions for tropospheric propagation in the US Midwest have resulted in a new overland record on the amateur 3456 MHz band.

At 1224 UTC on July 12, Al Ward, WB5LUA, in Allen, Texas, worked Gary Morhlant, WA0BWE, in Maplewood, Minnesota, a distance of 841 miles. The previous record of 736 miles was set on May 1, 1992, between WB5LUA and W9ZIH, in Malta, Illinois.

As is often the case, this record-breaking activity began lower in frequency, with an initial contact between WB5LUA and WA0BWE on 432 MHz, with signals "59" both ways, according to Ward. An equipment problem forced them to skip 1296 MHz (where the overland record is 1287 miles).

2304 MHz came next, and the first Texas-Minnesota 2304 MHz QSO (where the record is 940 miles). Contact was then "easily established" on 3456 MHz. WA0BWE was running about 5 watts; WB5LUA was running 100 watts to a 5-ft dish at 65 feet.

On July 13, excellent tropospheric propagation continued in the midwest, with perhaps more distance records to come as a result. Thanks to WB5LUA for prompt reporting of these developments.

AUGUST 2, 1995

## 3 HAMS DIE IN LA SHOOTING

THREE LOS ANGELES-AREA AMATEURS ARE DEAD FOLLOWING A SHOOTING RAMPAGE AT A CITY FACILITY.

A DISGRUNTLED RADIO REPAIRMAN FOR THE CITY OF LOS ANGELES ON JULY 19 IS CHARGED WITH KILLING FOUR MEN, ALL SUPERVISORS AT THE CITY'S PIPER TECH CENTER. THE THREE AMATEURS KILLED WERE MARTY WAKEFIELD, N6BZ, 57, OF VENICE NEIL CARPENTER, KA6QIB, 61, OF PALMDALE AND ANTHONY GAIN, W6KFN, 78, OF MONTEBELLO. A FOURTH SUPERVISOR WHO WAS KILLED IN THE ATTACK, JAMES WALTON, WAS NOT A HAM.

GAIN, AN ADVANCED CLASS LICENSEE, WAS TRUSTEE FOR A REPEATER OPERATED BY THE CITY. HE HAD CHOSEN TO CONTINUE TO WORK RATHER THAN RETIRE, SAID A COWORKER, ROB HANSON, AA6BN. WAKEFIELD WAS AN ACTIVE DXER AND UNTIL MAY HAD BEEN AN ARRL VOLUNTEER EXAMINER. CARPENTER HELD AN ADVANCED CLASS LICENSE. ALL FOUR SHOOTING VICTIMS ALSO HELD FCC GENERAL RADIOTELEPHONE LICENSES.

ALL THREE AMATEUR-LICENSED VICTIMS WERE ACTIVE IN THE LOS ANGELES CITY AMATEUR RADIO VOLUNTEERS, A CLUB AIMED AT HELPING CITY EMPLOYEES BECOME LICENSED, WITH AN EYE TOWARD EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS FUNCTIONS, HANSON SAID. THE ALLEGED KILLER HAS BEEN CHARGED WITH FOUR COUNTS OF MURDER.

*Courtesy Of Milt/N4SN & W1AW*

# 1995 OVH Field Day Results

This is the break down for the field day effort. Score was up slightly from last year, mainly due to the increase in the CW QSO's. (CW contacts count for 2 points vs. 1 point for voice). I enjoyed working with everyone this year and hope that you will give me the opportunity to do this again next year. I promise that we will have food prepared earlier in the day!!

## Total QSO's Per Band

80 Meter CW 29  
 40 Meter CW 120  
 20 Meter CW 50  
 2 Meter CW 5 (Packet QSO's)  
*Total CW QSO's = 214*

80 Meter SSB 62  
 40 Meter SSB 43  
 20 Meter SSB 50  
 15 Meter SSB 57  
 2 Meter FM 19  
*Total SSB/FM QSO's = 231*

## Novice QSO's

80 Meter CW 8  
 40 Meter CW 2  
*Total Novice QSO's = 10*

**Total QSO Score = 659**

**Total QSO Score = 659 \* 2 = 1318**

## *Bonus Points:*

*100 points for Emergency Power*  
*100 points for Public Relations (Setting up in the Park,*  
*Visitors Log) 100 points for WIAW Message*  
*100 points for Packet Message*  
*100 points for VHF/UHF QSO's (min. of 10, we had 19)*

**Total overall score = 1818 points**

73's to all

**RICK -- KU3M**



Rick/KU3M....The Leader Of The Pack

OVH Field Day at Long Park



## Local Club News

### OVH 440 Repeater Work Draws To An End!

Work on the new OVH 440 Repeater is near completion, and it is hoped that the machine will be operational in the next week. Just keep your fingers crossed!

A 4'x4' concrete pad was laid and the tower box for the machine has been bolted into place and weather sealed. Power has been run underground and back filling of the site has begun.

Many thanks go out to Jim/WD4OJY (aka "Mr. Concrete") and woody/KD4DEG (aka "Mr. Home Improvement"). Both of these fine folks donated time and effort to complete the job. Question; how many bags of 80 lb. concrete does it take to fill a 4'x4'x12" form? "Mr. Concrete can tell you!

Stay tuned for more exciting news on the new 440 machine!

Oh by the way. We're still looking for a good solid state repeater capable of 100 watts or close to it, to replace the radio we have at the present time.

### QRM Still On OVH 2 Meter Repeater!

Interference still plagues the OVH 146.97 Repeater. The Technical folks are not too certain what's causing all the trouble, but they are now leaning toward a tower and

antenna problem. The technical folks want to make sure that the problem does not start with the equipment of the OVH, as such \$ 500 has been approved for the replacement of the main antenna.

(Editor's note - Yikes! That sounds like a healthy amount of money for something that has not been identified as the problem. But there again, I'm not on the Technical Committee!)

It is quite apparent that due to the incredible amount of interference noise and the setting of the squelch at a much tighter position, the range of the repeater has decreased and the amount of hams on this frequency have also decreased. Lets hope the problem gets identified soon.

### OVH Packet Node Problems Corrected

Hats go off for Alan/KD4KBX and Bill/N4WJN, for their persistence and time in working out the OVH Node problems. Alan spent some long hours troubleshooting the mess up at the node site. All is working at this time.

It appears that the main 2 meter radio at the site was not "hearing" very well and would drift off frequency at certain times. A new rig was purchased with club funds and exchanged at the node site.

Thanks again guys, you did a great job!

### New Repeater Controller For OVH 2 Meter Repeater To Come On Line!

Rumor has it that Art/WICRO will be putting the new Repeater Controller into service within the week. Art has been working diligently on the Controller, setting up the macros and checking all the bells and whistles.

The old Controller will be installed into the new OVH 440 Repeater. Art will address the club membership on the operation of the new Controller at the September club meeting.

And for the benefit of some of our "over-seas" club members, like Mike/G0VEZ...yes, I believe it will happen very soon!

### Manassas Air Show Cancelled

Steve/N4OGR has reported that after his initial inquiries about participating as a club public service, at the annual Manassas Air Show, the air show has been cancelled for this year.

Apparently the City Of Manassas has decided against holding the event due to financial reasons. Cost.

As such, the OVH will not have the opportunity to set up a "special event station" at the airport this year. Hopefully, the show will go on next year.

OLE VIRGINIA HAMS AMATEUR RADIO CLUB, INC.  
MINUTES OF MEETING  
July 17, 1995

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The meeting was called to order at 8:05PM, with 18 members and 4 guests present for a total attendance of 22.

The meeting was presided over by Club President, Erv/KD4DFB and was opened with the pledge of allegiance, oral roll call and the signing of the attendance list. Due to the ongoing renovations at our usual meeting room in the NOVEC building, the meeting was again held at the Manassas City Rescue Squad Co. 1 meeting room. Erv thanked all those who participated in Field Day activities especially Rick/KU3M (Field Day Chairman).

#### COMMITTEE REPORTS

Joe/AB4QV read the treasurers report, Erv/KD4DFB moved that it be accepted as read, the motion was seconded and the report was accepted into the record without objection.

#### FAR

Alan/KD4K BX advised that Autocall was reinstating the "Ham of the Month" feature, if there any nominations out there, please submit them to WA3YLO. Alans' suggestion for scholarships is still pending.

#### PACKET

Alan, reporting for the Packet committee stated that the new transceiver was up and running but due to the improved sensitivity a receive filter would be needed, he had a borrowed

cavity filter in place but it would have to be returned soon.

#### TECHNICAL

Jimmy/WA2QEJ stated that our repeater interference problems were now believed to be antenna/tower related. The plan is to replace the antenna and all associated hardware when Russ/WB4HHN returns from his vacation.

#### MEMBERSHIP

Erv/KD4DFB read in Tim Schoenberg KF4BPG, Joe Smith KI4DG and Maggie Smith KE4LUL for membership. Voted in were N4OOM, KD4WQU, W0HYB, KF4AZY and NC Chris Lacey.

#### OLD BUSINESS

There were no old business discussions.

#### NEW BUSINESS

Steve/N4OGR proposed that the Club setup and run a special event station at this years Manassas Air Show on Sept 9/10. The motion was seconded and all were in favor. Steve will handle all the arrangements including fixing the recently donated AP8 vertical HF antenna. All those wishing to volunteer their help please see Steve.

Butch/W4HJL proposed that the Technical committee purchase a new 2m antenna for the repeater. The motion was

seconded and all were in favor of making the purchase not to exceed \$500.

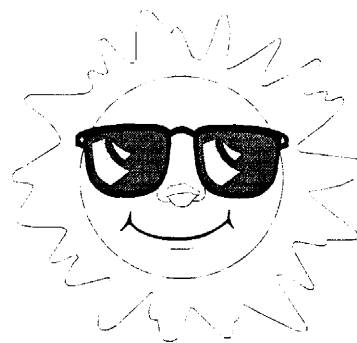
#### PROGRAM

Dick/W4LNJ manager of the "W4" QSL Bureau presented a very informative program on how the ARRL and local QSL Bureaus' operate. He gave an excellent explanation on the DO's and DONT's involved in the exchange of QSL cards. He also enlightened us on exactly what happens to our cards at the local level and why we have to sometimes wait years for those elusive cards to show up. Well Done Dick, and hope you picked up some volunteers.

The 50/50 was won by Joe/KI4DG.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:38PM.

Respectfully submitted,  
Charlie, WA4YGI  
Secretary



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## OFFICERS AND COMMITTEES

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T.B.D. ....\*\*\*\* \*\*

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T.B.D. ....\*\*\*\* \*\*

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### THE REFRESHMENTS

T.B.D. ....\*\*\*\* \*\*

### HISTORIAN

T.B.D. ....\*\*\*\* \*\*

### WEEKLY VHF NET

HARRY W4PVA ..... 703 368 6050

PLEASE TAKE NOTE OF THIS NEW MASTHEAD AND ADVISE ME OF ANY CHANGES/DELETIONS/ADDITIONS.

SCOTT/KE4HCT  
MARCH 15, 1995



# OLE VIRGINIA HAMS AMATEUR RADIO CLUB

## August 21 - October 01, 1995



**Monday**

**Tuesday**

**Wednesday**

**Thursday**

**Friday**

**Saturday**

**Sunday**

**August 21**  
 8:00 PM MEETING  
 -OLE VIRGINIA  
 HAMS  
 8:00 PM NET-WDBG WIRELESS-  
 147.240 V223.18  
 9:00 PM NET-HERNDON RG/  
 145.31

**August 22**  
 8:00 PM NET-  
 CUL PEPPER ARA/  
 147.12  
 9:00 PM ET-MT. VERNON/  
 146.655

**August 23**  
 8:00 PM NET-NVEMAN/  
 146.79  
 9:00 PM ET-FAUQ. ARA/  
 147.165

**August 24**  
 8:00 PM NET-  
 OVH-146.970/  
 224.66 MHz

**August 25**  
 New Moon

**August 26**  
 VEC - Spotsylvania, VA

**August 27**  
 8:00 PM DISTRICT 1 ARS NET 145.21  
 9:00 PM CAPITAL AREA ARS  
 NET/146.91  
 Lyndon Barnes Johnson  
 (1908)

**August 28**  
 8:00 PM NET-WDBG WIRE-  
 LESS-147.240 V223.18  
 9:00 PM NET-HERNDON  
 RG/145.31

**August 29**  
 8:00 PM NET-  
 CUL PEPPER ARA/  
 147.12  
 9:00 PM ET-MT. VERNON/  
 146.655  
 VEC - Annapolis, MD

**August 30**  
 8:00 PM NET-NVEMAN/  
 146.79  
 9:00 PM ET-FAUQ. ARA/  
 147.165

**August 31**  
 8:00 PM NET-  
 OVH-146.970/  
 224.66 MHz

**September 1**

**September 2**  
 1st Quarter  
 Hiram P. Maxxim Birthday Celebration  
 Bulgarian DX Contest  
 All Asian SSB Contest

**September 3**  
 8:00 PM DISTRICT 1 ARS NET 145.21  
 9:00 PM CAPITAL AREA ARS NET 146.91  
 VEC - EBERS, WV  
 Hiram P. Maxxim Birthday Celebration

**September 4**  
 8:00 PM NET-WDBG WIRELESS-  
 147.240 V223.18  
 9:00 PM NET-HERNDON RG/145.31  
 Labor Day

**September 5**  
 8:00 PM NET-CUL PEPPER  
 ARA/147.12  
 9:00 PM ET-MT. VERNON/  
 146.655

**September 6**  
 8:00 PM NET-NVEMAN/  
 146.79  
 9:00 PM ET-FAUQ. ARA/  
 147.165

**September 7**  
 8:00 PM NET-  
 OVH-146.970/  
 224.66 MHz

**September 8**  
 Full Moon

**September 9**  
 \*OVH Times Cut-Off\*  
 VEC - Alexandria, VA  
 VEC - Culpeper, VA  
 VEC - Davidsonville, MD  
 ARRL Sept VHF Contest

**September 10**  
 8:00 PM DISTRICT 1 ARS NET 145.21  
 9:00 PM CAPITAL AREA ARS NET 146.91  
 FAR HAMFEST, MD

**September 11**  
 8:00 PM NET-WDBG WIRE-  
 LESS-147.240 V223.18  
 9:00 PM NET-HERNDON  
 RG/145.31  
 ARRL Sept VIII Contest

**September 12**  
 8:00 PM NET-  
 CUL PEPPER ARA/  
 147.12  
 9:00 PM ET-MT. VERNON/  
 146.655  
 OVH No-Code Class

**September 13**  
 8:00 PM NET-NVEMAN/  
 146.79  
 9:00 PM ET-FAUQ. ARA/  
 147.165

**September 14**  
 8:00 PM NET-  
 OVH-146.970/  
 224.66 MHz  
 YTRL Howdy Days

**September 15**  
 William Howard Taft (1857)

**September 16**  
 VEC - Laurel, MD  
 VEC - Smithsburg, MD  
 North American Sprint  
 ARRL 10 Ghz Contest

**September 17**  
 8:00 PM DISTRICT 1 ARS NET 145.21  
 9:00 PM CAPITAL AREA ARS  
 NET/146.91  
 MS 1/2 Marathon ARS

**September 18**  
 8:00 PM MEETING  
 -OLE VIRGINIA  
 HAMS  
 8:00 PM NET-WDBG WIRELESS-  
 147.240 V223.18  
 9:00 PM NET-HERNDON RG/  
 145.31

**September 19**  
 8:00 PM NET-  
 CUL PEPPER ARA/  
 147.12  
 9:00 PM ET-MT. VERNON/  
 146.655  
 OVH No-Code Class

**September 20**  
 8:00 PM NET-NVEMAN/  
 146.79  
 9:00 PM ET-FAUQ. ARA/  
 147.165

**September 21**  
 8:00 PM NET-  
 OVH-146.970/  
 224.66 MHz  
 OVH Code Class

**September 22**  
 VEC - Arlington, VA

**September 23**  
 Autumn begins  
 Virginia Beach Hamfest  
 Childrens Festival, NVA - ARS  
 CO WWW RITY Contest

**September 24**  
 8:00 PM DISTRICT 1 ARS NET 145.21  
 9:00 PM CAPITAL AREA ARS NET 146.91  
 New Moon  
 Virginia Beach Hamfest

**September 25**  
 8:00 PM DISTRICT 1 ARS NET 145.21  
 9:00 PM CAPITAL AREA ARS  
 NET/146.91  
 Koshi Hashimath

**September 26**  
 8:00 PM NET-  
 CUL PEPPER ARA/  
 147.12  
 9:00 PM ET-MT. VERNON/  
 146.655  
 OVH No-Code Class

**September 27**  
 8:00 PM NET-NVEMAN/  
 146.79  
 9:00 PM ET-FAUQ. ARA/  
 147.165

**September 28**  
 8:00 PM NET-  
 OVH-146.970/  
 224.66 MHz  
 OVH Code Class

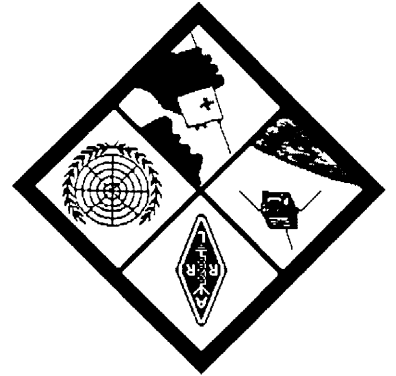
**September 29**

**September 30**

**October 1**  
 8:00 PM DISTRICT 1 ARS NET 145.21  
 9:00 PM CAPITAL AREA ARS  
 NET/146.91  
 1st Quarter  
 Jimmy Carter 71st  
 Birthday



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# NEXT OVH MEETING AUGUST 21, 1995

STARTING TIME: 8:00PM

*\* Note of Reminder - Meeting Place back at NOVEC  
Meeting Location !*

AT THE BASEMENT CONFERENCE ROOM, LOCATED AT  
NORTHERN VIRGINIA ELECTRIC COOP,  
ON LOMOND DR. TALK-IN 146.97

**SEE YOU THERE!**