



Loveland Repeater Association Newsletter

<http://www.qsl.net/lra>

The official organ of the Loveland Repeater Association, a non-profit organization supporting all aspects of Amateur Radio in the Loveland, Colorado area.

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FM Repeaters

2 Meters (NØRQV).....147.195 MHz + (147.795 MHz input), 100 Hz Subtone (1* on, 0* off)
440 (NØRQV).....449.575 MHz – (444.575 MHz input), 100 Hz Subtone (1* on, 0* off)

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President’s Corner

From Ted Cline NØRQV

Both repeaters are working. I visited the repeater shack. Everything is just ducky.

But Steve Babcoke WB0UWE suggests some repeater antenna improvements. Work party in the Spring?

LRA Christmas Party is on Fri-Dec-13. Rick Kile WB7THT has 21 people signed up.

We are collecting 2003 membership dues, \$25/year for most of us.

Come join us at this Sat-Dec-7 meeting. Steve London N2IC will tell us about the World Radiosport Team Competition 2002.

73 Ted

Club meetings are held the first Saturday of each month at the Wayside Inn in Berthoud , CO (505 Mountain Ave (US 287), 970-532-2013). An optional \$7 breakfast buffet begins at 8 AM. Coffee, \$1 The meeting starts promptly at 9 AM.

Visitors are welcome. Come join us!

Next Meeting: Saturday, December 7th

Minutes of November 2nd Meeting Jody Klein, NØAJB

There were 28 members present. Dan Stout, KCØOED is a new ham and is the latest new LRA member. Welcome, Dan.

Reports:

Treasurer: Current Available Balance is \$ ____, with a bank balance of \$ ____.

Repeater: everything is ok.

Interference: None

Newsletter: 22 copies were \$ ____

ARES: no report

Old Business:

Dues are \$25 for 2003 and can now be paid.

The Christmas Dinner is December 13. Cost is \$18 per person and reservations are now being taken. Make checks to the LRA.

Macros: 2 macros are available to every one. Reverse macros are also available.

Hamcon: It was decided that the talk-in station will be inside with the special events station.

Election of Officers was held. Those elected:

President: Ted Cline, NØRQV

Vice-president: Tom Lewendusky, NØMWY

Secretary/Treasurer: Ron, WØOSK and Jody, NØAJB Klein

New Business:

50/50 was \$12 Steve, WBØUWE, won and donated his share to the repeater fund.

Treasurer's Report for November 2002

From Ron Klein, WØOSK

The club bank account totals \$ ____ as of November 30, 2002. Available cash after existing obligations is \$ ____.

Details of monthly account activity through November 30, 2002 are shown in the following table. This also shows the obligations for previous expenses and the repeater fund, and the resulting "available cash" we actually have. The increase over last month reflects the renewal by 12 members and the addition of Dan, KCØOED as a new member. The repeater fund has been credited with the full 50/50 proceeds and a \$5 cash contribution from an unknown source. Thanks to Steve, WBØUWE for contributing his share of the 50/50 drawing to the repeater fund.

Dues can now be paid for 2003 and are \$25.00. See me at a meeting or mail it to the PO Box using the form on the LRA website or part of this newsletter.

Beginning Balance as of 10/30/02	
Credits	
2003 Dues	
Contribution	
50/50 cash – Nov. meeting	
Total Credits	
Debits	
Xcel Energy – Electricity	
Qwest - Phone	
Total Debits	
Bank Balance as of 11/30/02	
Obligated funds	
<i>Repeater Fund</i>	
<i>NØRQV-digi + '01 Field Day</i>	
<i>WØAVV – Repeater Repair</i>	
Total obligations	
Available Cash as of 11/30/02	

December Program on WRTC-2002

From Ron Klein, WØOSK

Steve, N2IC/Ø will be making a presentation on the World Radiosport Team Competition which was held in Finland this past summer. If you ever wanted to know what happens when the top contest operators in the world are collected in one place and given equal stations to compete with, this is your chance. That is exactly what WRTC is about.

Steve has participated in several of these and will undoubtedly have an interesting story to tell.

For Sale:

MFJ-1278 Manuals, I think it went through some upgrade.

I will even throw in the nonfunctional MFJ 1278.
\$10.00 or best offer

PK-88 Manuals

\$10.00 or best offer

I will even throw in the nonfunctional PK-88

Alinco DJ-C1 300mW transceiver still in box with manuals.

\$50.00 or best offer.

Kenwood TM-231. Works, but nonvolatile memory does NOT work. NOT the battery.

Make offer

Alinco ALR-72. It loses its mind. NOT the battery.

Make offer

Contact: Kerry Miller [n0wiq@iglide.net]

4th Annual LRA Christmas Dinner

Rick Kile, WB7THT

wb7tth@earthlink.net

When: 13 December 2002 (yes that's a Friday). Cash bar at 6:30PM (that means you pay) with dinner at 7:00PM

Where: Wayside Inn, Berthoud, CO

What: The dinner this year will again be served buffet style and includes:

Fresh Garden Salad with choice of Dressing

Baked Ham

Roasted Turkey with Sage Dressing

Mashed Potatoes and Gravy

Honey Glazed Carrots

Rolls and Butter

Apple and Pumpkin Pie

Coffee, Iced Tea and Hot Tea

Cost: \$18 per person including tax and gratuity.

One change for this year is the elimination of door prizes.

Please contact Rick Kile, WB7THT, at wb7tth@earthlink.net to make reservations. Please pay in advance and make checks payable to the LRA.

Hope to see you there for an evening with great food, good friends and a bit of holiday cheer.

73's

Rick Kile, WB7THT

ARRLWeb offers on-line hamfest calendar: Need to know when and where the next hamfest or convention is? Visit the new ARRL Hamfest and Convention Database at <http://www.arrl.org/hamfests.html>.

There are no events listed for December in the Rocky Mountain Region.



Upcoming Swapfest Information

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HOW DO YOU WANT NEWSLETTER? E-mail(preferred) <input type="checkbox"/> Paper Mail <input type="checkbox"/>		E-MAIL ADDRESS	

DUES: Family Membership \$25.00 *NEW FAMILY MEMBERS ARE INCLUDED.*

Under 18 \$ 5.00 *PRO-RATED AT \$2.10/MONTH*

*****USE BACK OF FORM FOR ADDITIONAL FAMILY MEMBERS*****

INCLUDES 2 **FREE** MACROS

Contact: Ted, NØRQV 593-9303

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO **LRA**

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TOTAL ENCLOSED DUES
