



Sarc Radio Net numbers/check ins:

Weekly HF Dawn Patrol – 53 for the week ending 13th December

Monday_INFO Net – 9 - News

Tues_Sarc Digi Net – full “*Digital Modes Report*” below

Wed_70cm Net – 6- WX radar

Thursday_(ex 6mtr) Net – 5- Radios & buttons

Friday Night Net – 6- Bridges & weather

UPCOMING EVENTS

EVANS HEAD FLY-IN

January 10, 2020 @ 12:00 pm - January
12, 2020 @ 4:00 pm

COMMITTEE MEETING

January 19, 2020 @ 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

February 9, 2020 @ 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

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GREAT EASTERN FLY-IN (11-12th January 2020)

Organisation for operation at the Evans Head Fly-In was kicked off. Personnel will be VK2ACD (event organiser, with KWW, PMG, DLR and LRB). We will be setting up on Friday January 10, about 1200 hours.

More information: <http://www.greateasternflyin.com/>

Equipment for sale from the late VK2BBR

I am managing the sale of Rob's equipment on behalf of his wife & family.

All equipment is open to offers, only reasonable offers will be considered.

Note all offers should be **cash only** unless previously arranged.

All offers are to be sent to VK2QJ

email: vk2jub@gmail.com

PH: 0429370009

Equipment list attached separate to this Newsletter (also in PDF)...

PLEASE NOTE: Offers closing 28th Dec.

Cheers Graeme VK2QJ

DIGITAL MODES

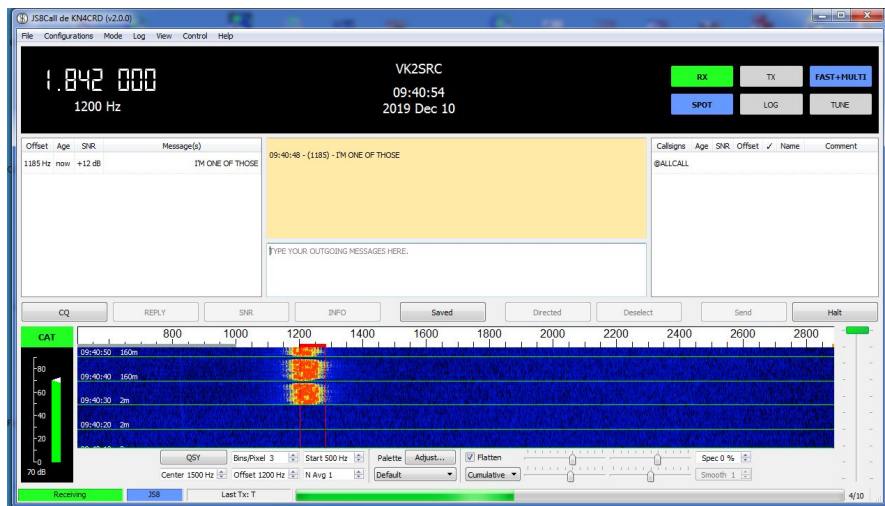
TUESDAY 10 DECEMBER 2019

Yet another Tuesday night rolls around, digi net time. Joining *Paul VK2PMG* under the club callsign of *VK2SRC* were *Malcolm VK2OTA*, *Leith VK2EA*, *Duncan VK2DLR*, *Kris VK2KWW*, *Dave VK2ZDR* and *John VK2JWA*. As usual we had a customary two rounds of chat and personal news. There were a couple of “sorry can’t do digi tonight”, messages so it was Duncan and I once again. We QSY’d to our normal frequency of 144.230 USB.

We used JS8Call again, the new version 2.0.0. This has the choice of three speeds, we used the middle one “fast”, quite a bit quicker to transmit than the old version, making it more usable as a conversational mode. Duncan and I both transmitted with 15 watts, this resulted in me receiving Duncan at +12 and he received me at +10. The decoding accuracy was fine at 15 watts, in spite of storm cells approaching our region. The static crashes on VHF did not affect decoding accuracy. I would guess however that on HF the storms would have been a fair bit noisier.

The net was very successful in spite of there being just two of us. The storms close approach had us disconnecting the coaxes and closing the net at 9.55pm. Thanks to all who logged in and participated.

Cheers from Paul VK2PMG



GENERAL INFORMATION:

Lismore 7-day forecast

Sun Dec 15	Mon Dec 16	Tue Dec 17	Wed Dec 18	Thu Dec 19	Fri Dec 20	Sat Dec 21
 Mostly sunny	 Hazy	 Hazy	 Hazy	 Hazy	 Mostly sunny	 Mostly sunny
32°C 17°C	37°C 19°C	27°C 17°C	28°C 15°C	33°C 13°C	32°C 15°C	35°C 18°C

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