

SARC RADIO NET NUMBERS / CHECK-INS

Weekly HF Dawn Patrol – ? - For week ending Thur 13APR2023.

Monday – 4 ()

Tuesday – 7 (Including VK1PWE later on)

Wednesday – 3 ()

Thursday- (Dual-Bander)

- 6 – 2m Parrots Nest. (Cooler changes)

- 6 – 70cm Parrots Nest. (Etch-A-Sketch memory)

Friday 80m (After Dark Net) – 4 ()

SARC nets and times: <https://sarc.org.au/nets-broadcasts/>

SARC repeater information: <https://sarc.org.au/repeaters/>

CALENDAR NOTES

Events of interest to SARC are in **BLUE & RED**

Other events of interest for our subscribers are in **GREEN**

UPCOMING EVENTS

CLICK ON EVENT NAME TO OPEN

WORLD AMATEUR RADIO DAY

APR 18th 0000 UTC - 19th 0000 UTC

SPRTTY CONTEST

APR 22nd 1200 UTC - 23rd 1200 UTC

WORKDAY – SARCFEST PREP

APR 29th 0900 hrs – 1600 hrs

HARRY ANGEL MEMORIAL SPRINT

MAY 6th 1000 UTC – 1146 UTC

COMMITTEE MEETING

MAY 21st 1300 hrs – 1600 hrs

AND THE WINNER IS ...

- SARC

The results are out for the 2023 John Moyle Field Day and SARC has won the WIA Presidents Shield for the highest overall score.

VK2SRC 1st Portable 24 hour Multi-op VHF Phone

VK2AMT 1st Home 24 hour All band Phone

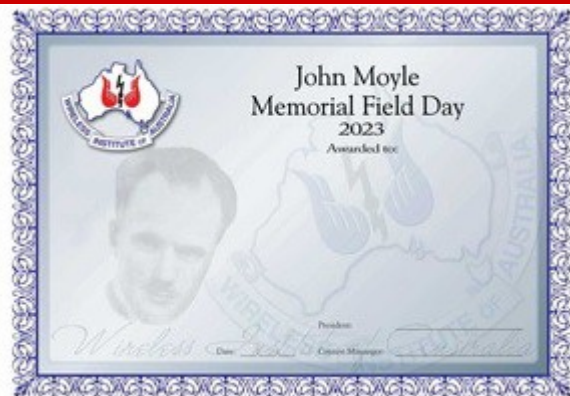
VK2ZDR 5th Home 24 hour All band Phone

VK2XI 6th Home 24 hour All band Phone

VK2DLR 1st Home 24 hour VHF Phone

VK2ACD 4th Home 24 hour VHF Phone

Congratulations!



Tuesday-Net Report

DIGITAL MODES

- Paul VK2AMT

TUESDAY 11 APRIL, 2023

This evening, logging in with Paul VK2AMT, as VK2SRC were: John VK2ZJJ, Jeff VK2WSR, Duncan VK2DLR, Dave VK2ZDR and Andrew VK2XI. Scott VK1PWE from Canberra dropped in later on. As usual, we had a couple of overs on Parrots Nest 2 metres before we changed to 40 metres, 7.048 USB.

We used Fldigi and Olivia 8-500. This week I dropped the Signalink levels down and I am sure that helped, along with simplifying the coax cables. Both Duncan and I received and decoded Jeff about the same. The audio from Jeff via the remote setup sounded a bit rough and choppy, not as clean as Duncan, for example. As in last week's Diginet, decode from Jeff could be 100% or very low and signal strength was about the same. I am still a bit amazed that the remote setup allows encoded audio to be received and decoded as well as it does.

Later in the evening, about 9.25pm, Scott VK1PWE dropped in for a few overs. Good signals from down south as usual. Scott also reported some patches of garbled text from Jeff even though signal strength was S+15, so it's not just Duncan and I. Discovering what those rough patches of decode are might take some doing. Another good net. Thanks to all who participated.

-Cheers from Paul VK2AMT (as VK2SRC).

fldigi ver4.1.20 - VK2SRC

File Op Mode Configure View Logbook Help

14170.000 Freq 14171.500 On Off 1102 In 599 Out 599 Cnty/Cntry Notes

Call Op Az

USB Qth St Pr L

but maybe not all.

That skin doctor in Ballina, years ago, left the needle in, and I was so tensed up that my back muscles spat it out. Astonished the mongrel! Never went back.

WSR S/N is +4-5 but still had a couple of rough decodes at the beginning.

de VK2SRC krIWa3\$ MquoTrR□6a[F_2□K_U□4□f□ r□+
 Before RSID: <<2023-04-11T10:59Z OL 8-500 @ 14170000+1500>>
 □"H□AGL□□ ouAy□ . . .
 VK2SRC de VK2DLR
 Thanks Paul

OK re the basil cell... An unpleasant lot of treatment to follow but better than left unchecked...
 Yes, The Coral Coast Net should be a good test... Puzzling the poor performance of the 991A????
 My plan for tomorrow is to construct a base plate that fits the step ladder. Initially it will be for the bottom of the 6m mast for armstrong rotation... ultimately a rotator...
 At the top of the

.....I suppose with that disease, the earlier the better.
 Most of us have stories of close misses.

Duncan is about -6 but 100%.

RSID CQ ANS QSO KN SK Me/Qth Brag T/R Tx Rx TX


WF -7 57 x1 NORM 1500 QSY Store Lk T/R

OLIVIA-8/500 s/n: -6.4 dB f/o +0.0 Hz [-130...-110...-100...-90...-80...-70...-60...-50...-40...-30...-20...-10...]

SARC WORKDAY - Chris VK2ACD

There will be a workday on the Saturday 29th April to sort items for sale at the July Sarcfest. At the clubrooms 0900 to 1500, with lunch provided.

6-DAY LISMORE (FORECAST). Click image to open METEYE (2480 for East Lismore).



Forecast for East Lismore

	Tue. 18 Apr	Wed. 19 Apr	Thu. 20 Apr	Fri. 21 Apr	Sat. 22 Apr	Sun. 23 Apr
Max (°C)	24	24	24	23	22	22
Min (°C)	14	13	13	13	12	12
Chance of rain (%)	60	40	50	80	80	70
Rainfall range (mm)	0 to 1	0 to 1	0 to 1	1 to 7	1 to 7	0 to 6

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Find the 'search words' and 'clue words' in the grid. Words can go horizontally, vertically and diagonally in all eight directions. Words within words are not counted. Hyphens, gaps and strikethrough words are not used in the grid. When you are done, the unused letters will spell out a hidden message.

ANTENNAS

R I S N D G E D I O L O B A R A P N E R
 U A Y L A E N A L P D N U O R G N T E K
 B C A N T N E N A A C F O N B U T S P C
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ADCOCK	DOPPLER	JPOLE	PORTABLE	STUB
ARRAYS	FEED	LOBE	QUAD	TELESCOPIC
BALUN	FIELD	LONGWIRE	QUAGI	VERTICAL
BEAM	FOLDED	LOOP	RADAR	WINDOM
CAVITY	GAIN	LOOPSTICK	RADIAL	WIRE
CORNER	GROUNDPLANE	MARCONI	REFLECTOR	YAGI
CUBICAL	HALFWAVE	MAST	RHOMBIC	ZEPP
DELTA	HALO	MOBILE	RING	
DIPOLE	HELICAL	MOXON	RUBBERDUCKY	
DISCONE	HORIZONTAL	PARABOLOID	SCANNER	
DISH	HORN	PHASE	SLOT	

VK2PAH

Message: ' _____

Note: Hidden message is an extract from The Radio Amateur's Handbook (1975). 'HF Antennas'

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