



SARC RADIO NET NUMBERS / CHECK-INS

Weekly HF Dawn Patrol – 50 - For week ending Thur 03AUG2023.

(See report)

Monday – 3 ()

Tuesday – 4 (See report)

Wednesday – 4 ()

Thursday – 4 – 2m Parrots Nest.

Friday 80m (After Dark Net) – 10 (See report)

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

REMEMBRANCE DAY CONTEST

AUG 12th 0300 UTC - 13th 0300 UTC

WAE CW CONTEST

AUG 12th 0000 UTC - 13th 2359 UTC

ILLW

(SARC going daylight portable)

AUG 19th 0001 UTC - 20th 2400 UTC

ALARA CONTEST

AUG 26th 0600 UTC - 27th 0559 UTC

WW DIGI DX

AUG 26th 1200 UTC - 27th 1159 UTC

SARCFEST

SEP 23rd 0800 – 1600 hrs

(see poster on last page)

HF Dawn Patrol Report

- Jeff VK2WSR

The numbers for the Dawn Patrol for the week ending 3-08-23 were 50. This represents the highest weekly numbers in the Post Chris (VK4YE) era. In honour of this achievement of the 1/2 century, those that can lift their microphone (all VK's) were: 2WSR (4), 4BT (4), 4FABG (4), 4CW (4), 4ANB (4), 2YHP (4), 4DMB (3), 2UMA (3), 2ZDR (3), 2XI (3), 4TSA (3), 2GAN (2), 4GCR (2), 4YE (2), 2CVD (2), 2MBJ (1), 4EEE (1) and 4WC (1).

The above were, callsign (appearances). Thanks all that participated in this momentous event.

It might be noted that VK4's won the week with 10 joining the Dawn Patrol to VK2's 8.

As for topics of discussion, you name it, and it was either discussed or thought about by someone during the nets.

Tuesday - Net Report

DIGITAL MODES

- Paul VK2AMT

TUESDAY 01 AUGUST, 2023

For this week's Diginet, we had John VK2ZJJ and Duncan VK2DLR logging in once again. We had our normal couple of overs on Parrots Nest to start with. Jeff VK2WSR was waiting on our 80 metre frequency of 3.590 USB.

We used Fldigi and Olivia 8-500. The local noise for Duncan and I was S8-9 and the signals were a bit stronger than the noise. That was enough for Olivia to keep decode accuracy at 100% throughout. There was a good discussion about earthing your station, including safety, lightning and signal earthing needs. Jeff has a complex fan earth system under way. There were a couple of reminders about the wisdom of disconnecting everything during a storm, good advice to keep in mind when the spring storm season starts. That's what is enjoyable about the Diginet, the excellent quality of the keyboard "discussion".

Another good evening with great support from Jeff and Duncan. Much appreciated as always.

– Cheers from VK2AMT (as VK2SRC).

Friday After Dark Net Report

- Andrew VK2XI

Hi Peter, 10 stations joined the Friday After Dark Net. 2XI as VK2SRC, 2ZDR, 4CW, 4FABG, 2WSR, 4TSA, 4BT, 2ARD and our first DX After Dark Net login ZL4ROB from across the ditch in Auckland, 2UMA was listening only. Thanks to all for putting up with a net controller who was very distracted by a young grandson.

– Cheers from Andrew VK2XI

SARC Update

- Chris VK2ACD

'Pic from VK2ARD mowing parrots nest'.



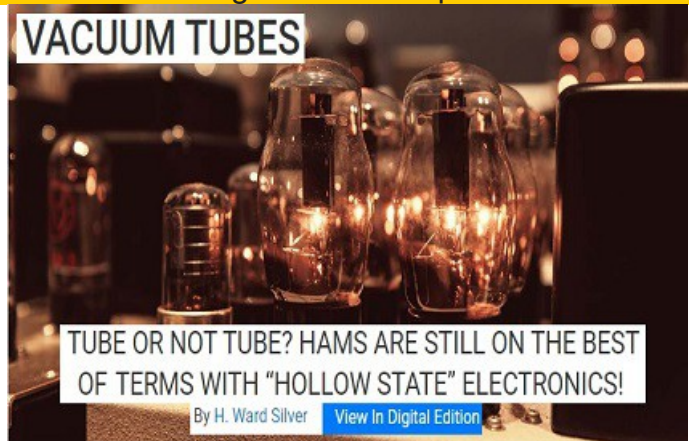
6-DAY LISMORE (FORECAST). Click image to open METEYE (2480 for East Lismore).



Forecast for East Lismore

	Tue. 8 Aug	Wed. 9 Aug	Thu. 10 Aug	Fri. 11 Aug	Sat. 12 Aug	Sun. 13 Aug
Max (°C)	20	20	23	25	23	24
Min (°C)	7	6	5	8	5	5
Chance of rain (%)	70	60	5	5	5	10
Rainfall range (mm)	0 to 2	0 to 1	0	0	0	0

OTHER INTERESTING BITS Click on the 4 images below to open.



SPOT THE DIFFERENCE The right-hand image has 10 alterations. Can you spot them?



Answer: https://drive.google.com/file/d/1YRONBhm75d7fWBPGmOGw8RfjI0b_VNKI/view?usp=sharing



2023 SARCFEST

SARC Clubrooms,
412 Richmond Hill Road
Richmond Hill, 2480.

Saturday September 23 @ 08:00 - 16:00

ENTRY: FREE - SELLERS: FREE

EFTPOS Facilities Available

Sellers, please bring your own tables and shade.

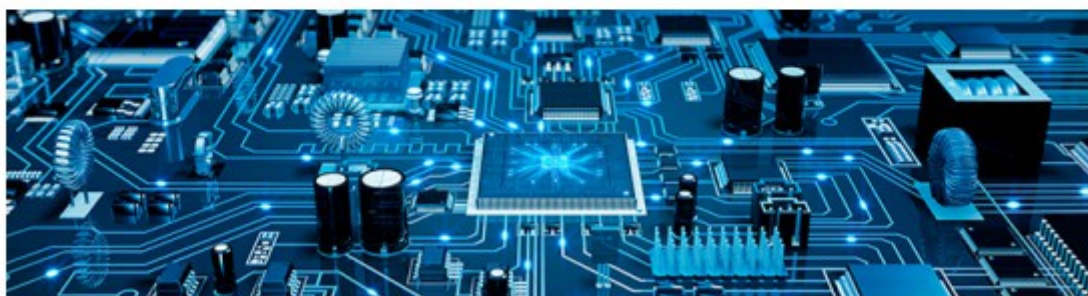
FOOD: yes, SARC catering will have tea, coffee, and hot food available from 0800 onwards.

SARC Sales Start at 0900

WHAT'S FOR SALE? In keeping with SARCFEST traditions; we'll have a whole lot of new and used parts and components. We'll be advertising any 'big ticket' items on the club website as we get them ready for sale.

Grab some bargains and help us reclaim our shelf space.

AND... Of course we'll have the famous (infamous?) SARC E-Waste Trailer. Gold coin donation territory. Anything in the trailer will be going to e-waste at the end of the day.



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