

The Prez says

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The club has reserved the west pavilion at Crampton Park in Lapeer for the next club meeting on July 13th. This is the pavilion closest to the M24-M21 intersection. We have the pavilion reserved from 5 to 9 pm. Hopefully we will have a few members willing to bring their HF gear to share some DX activity with the club members who are not able to work the low bands. The tree situation isn't very good (for hanging antennas) with the closest suitable trees being 40 yards away or so but I'm sure someone can put them to good use for a little QRP action. I will be bringing the club's Buddipole antenna and my own HF radio. I have a 20 m wire dipole that we may be able to use as well. Note that power is available in the pavilion.

I think we should also have some food that night. Jamie and I will be starting the charcoal grill and bringing a macaroni salad and some baked beans. I'm sure other members will also be able to bring a dish to pass but if not then please come anyway. You will need to bring whatever meat you wish to grill, your own drinks, and your own eating utensils (plates, forks, cups, napkins, buns etc).

In the event of bad weather we will have the meeting at the EOC which is only 1/2 mile down the road. I assume we will know that bad weather is coming well in advance of having the LBB (Low Band Barbecue). Light rain shouldn't stop us since the pavilion is completely covered.

Please join your fellow club members on July 13th for the 1st annual LCARA LBB.

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