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# Lapeer County Amateur Radio Association

Club Founder: Hollis Hayes W8ACD

Edition for June 2012

\*\*The next regular club meeting will be held on Tuesday, June 12th, 2012 @ 7:30 pm\*\*

#### ARES Net

Every Tuesday at 8:00 pm on 146.620 - with 100 Hz PL (except club meeting nights)

### Thursday Night Net

Every Thursday at 8:00 pm on 442.750 + with 123 Hz PL

### Meetings

LCARA meetings are held the second Tuesday of each month in the Lapeer County Central Dispatch Center (911), 2332 W. Genesee St., Lapeer, MI at 7:30 pm

#### Newsletter

Items for the newsletter may be called in to the editor at 810-793-4986 or emailed to  $\underline{kevinboxey@hotmail.com}$ . The deadline for submission is the  $20^{th}$  of each month.

Website: <a href="http://www.w8lap.com">http://www.w8lap.com</a>

Facebook: Lapeer County Amateur Radio Association

## **Editorial Section**

#### The President Sez:

Hello everyone. GCRC is gracious enough to allow LCARA members to crash their field day activities this year since our participation in this county has historically been low. I attended the their meeting on Tuesday, May  $15^{th}$  to find out more about the field day activities they have planned. It sounds like all of the radio positions are filled (equipment wise) but there may be other pieces of the puzzle that could be used like coax, antennas, generator etc. If you are interested in attending please contact me and I will forward your name and planned activity to them (times you would attend and what you would like to operate for example). The field day location is actually in Lapeer County (along the western edge) and there is a map later in this Wavequide.

Also, please review the community service calendar and support these events if possible. We are still looking for operators for both events in June.

See you at the meeting.

Kevin KB8TAR

#### The VP / EC Sez:

First let me say thanks to all who assisted with the events in April. We donated 800+ manhours to our county with a total of almost \$19,000 "in kind "donation. Great job. NOTE, in addition to the Genesee Field Day location listed by Kevin there'll be another setup in Otter Lake approx 1/2 block from the park entrance. Feel free to stop by either location. Personally I'll be in Otter Lake. Also thank you to everyone who assisted with Op. Care. 73, see y'all at the meeting on the 12th.

Tom KD8EBY

#### The Treasurer Sez:

Greetings to one and all. The treasury this last month has not had any major expenses, the only thing out of the ordinary was having to pay two electric bills in the month of May. That does happen once in a while do the short length of the billing cycle. Otherwise there has been no unusual expenses.

I want everyone to be aware that Operation Care Memorial Day is coming. It is a major supplement to our treasury, so please help out. For those that have never tried it, you will be pleasantly surprised how much fun it is. Contact Tom Oliver KD8EBY to sign up for a slot to help.

I hope that everyone is enjoying our great weather like I am, it is going to be a great time to get the OpCare trailer out and prepare it for the upcoming outing.

Best wishes and 73

William Miller KD8VP Treasurer

# **Editorial Section**

#### The Repeater Trustee Sez:

The repeater seems to be fine from reports I received from Tom KD8EBY and Bill KD8VP. Bill mowed the lawn and checked out everything. Details below: but first: Health Status: I'm still in Flint taking a vacation so that my wife can get some rest after my surgery over the last couple weeks. I should be back in Lapeer late next week after my follow-up Dr's appointments and some family time with the wife's relatives.

Here's what my medical situation was and is now: At a routine bi-annual cardiac check-up and stress test two blocked arteries were found no pain, no heart attack, no damage. I had an angioplasty on June 2 and decided with my Cardiologist the a double by-pass was a better long range decision than stents, worked the Genesee County Skywarn flood event June 3<sup>rd</sup> that night from a motel room in Grand Blanc, had my pre-operation testing done on Friday June 4th and came home to mow the lawn and pack for the long term. Bypass surgery was scheduled for June 8<sup>th</sup> to be at the hospital @ 5:30 AM surgery @ 8:00 AM successfully completed at 12:30 PM. Two days in the ICU/ACU and then in Cardiac Care/ Rehab unit until Tuesday the 15<sup>th</sup>. The trip to the motel was an eye opener, I now fully understand why I'm not driving for at least two more weeks and not riding in the front seat with air bags!! I've got to find the mule that kicked me in the chest!!!

The current plan is to be home sometime next week and meeting with Bill KD8VP and possibly Perry from North Branch to get some hands on training on the Repeater and Controllers. I've had time to study the set-up which we have and some options for the future. I'm looking forward to being up to speed on the current setup in the next month or so and then to present some options for the future including but not limited to: internet linking, possible adjacent county linking, improved ARES/RACES/SKYWARN coordination in Region 3. It's a plate full for now but if I've got to be laid-up for 5-6 weeks it will keep me from getting more bored!

Thanks for your gracious thoughts and contacts.

Joe Medved, KD8CIL

AEC Communications

#### The Secretary Sez:

The meeting was called to order at 7:30 with the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag and introduction of members and guest. Joe, KD8CIL is in the hospital. The Secretary report was given by Flo, KC8CAB. The report was accepted by Tom, KD8EOA and seconded by Dan, KC1BUD. The Treasurers report was given by Bill, KD8VP. The report was accepted by Tom, KD8EOA and seconded by Dan, KC1BUD. The Trustees report was given by Bill, KD8VP, as Joe, KD8CIL was in the hospital. Bill, KD8VP said the Operation Care is on the repeater. The report was accepted by Tom, KD8EOA and seconded by Dan, KC1BUD. We are in need of more net control operators. Break was from 7:55 to 8:15. A motion was made by Mike, KN8Z and seconded by Tom, KD8EOA to drop the Christmas Party from the constitution. A vote on the Christmas Party will be made every year instead. 50/50 was won by Mike, KN8Z. A motion was made by Jamie, KC8PMW to close the meeting at 8:45.

Flo KC8CAB

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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10 Big Fish Triathlon Ortonville D3 net 145.31+131.8 Hz PL at 6:30 pm	11	12 LCARA club meeting 7:30 pm	13	14 ARES net 442.750+ 123 Hz PL at 8 pm	15	SWAP - Midland, MI  -T&C at TBD on M-24 -GCRC testing 9:30 am @ Baker College room S-103 -GCRC Field bay setup at 9:00 am
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Holidays and Observances: 17: Father's Day

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Holidays and Observances: 4: Independence Day						



# 2012 Community Service Calendar



Beatty-Daley Challenge (5k) - June 2

\*\*Big Fish Triathlon (Ortonville) - June 10

Field Day - June 23-24

July 4<sup>th</sup> Operation CARE - July 4-8

\*\*Tri for Life Triathlon (Otter Lake) - July 15

\*\*Imlay City Blueberry Stomp - Aug 4

CRIM race - Aug 25

Labor Day Operation CARE - Aug 31-Sept 3

Family Preparedness Day - Sept 8

Please keep these dates open in your calendar (\*\* outside county help requested)

#### MICHIGAN 2012 HAMFEST CALENDAR

June 2 - IRA Swap, Hudsonville

June 3 - Chelsea Radio Swap 'n Shop, Chelsea

June 9 - Luce County ARS Swap, Newberry

June 16 - Midland ARC Hamfest, Midland

June 17 - Monroe Swap, Monroe

July 5-8 Michigan Section Campout, Lupton

July 28 - 2012 CMARC Trunk Sales, Lansing

July 28 - 29 Maker Faire - Dearborn

July 29 - Portage ARC, Randolph, OH

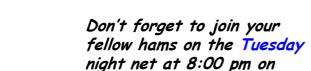
August 4 - UP Hamfest, Escanaba

Sept 23 - Cleveland Hamfest and Computer Show

Oct 21 - Kalamazoo Hamfest, Kalamazoo, MI

LCARA Swap Sunday, August 19<sup>th</sup> Lapeer, MI

For more information see: http://www.arrl.org/hamfests/search/





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#### NET CONTROL SCHEDULE

29 May - KC8JBK

05 June - KD8GAV

12 June - NO NET

19 June - KB8TAR

26 June - KD8EBY

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If you are interested in participating please contact me with your plans and I will get in touch with the GCRC folks.

Kevin KB8TAR



June 9th planning meeting at 9:00 am at the Tim Horton's on the corner of Court and Center

June 16th pre-setup starting at 9:00 am

June 23-24 field days



#### Please support this public service event by contacting KD8EBY



#### In Running Memory of Thomas Daley and Michael Beatty



June 2<sup>nd</sup> 2012 9:00 a.m. Downtown Lapeer

To register please go to racemilestone.com or active.com and search Beatty-Daley Challenge

Event Schedule

Beatty Mile

Daley 5k

Beatty-Daley 5k Walk

To be considered for the mile men must have run 4:15 or better and women 5:15

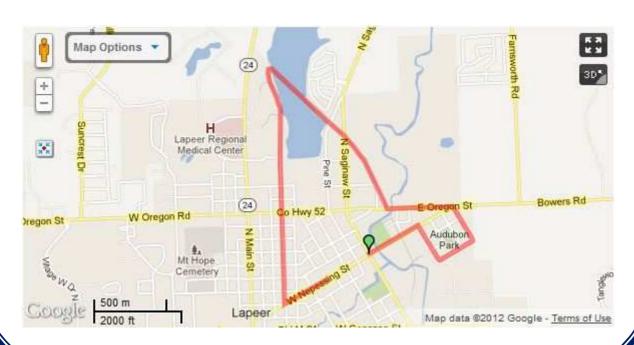
The Beatty-Dailey Challenge is a USA Track and Field (USATF) Sanctioned Event.

Online Registration is available through active.com Search Beatty-Daley Challenge

Top 3 prize purse- details coming soon!

Age group awards for the Daley 5k Run

A portion or the proceeds will be donated to the Thomas Daley Agricultural Scholarship and the Beatty-Daley Scholarship



The revised wording below is my interpretation of the discussion held at the May club meeting. Please review this updated proposal and be prepared to discuss it at the June meeting.

Kevin KB8TAR

## Proposed Bylaw Revisions

#### Article IV Dues

Membership dues shall be due at the October General Membership meeting. The Executive Board, as defined in Article VII, may suspend dues for any member where it finds that undue hardship would result.

All board members (President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer, Repeater Trustee) shall have their membership dues paid by LCARA.

Yearly membership dues shall be tiered as follows:

- A) \$20 for any member that does not participate in the required number of Operation CARE shifts.
- B) \$12 for any member that participates in at least 9 hours (3 shifts) at Operation CARE.
- C) No membership fee for any member that participates in at least 18 hours (6 shifts) at Operation CARE.

#### Article VIII Duties of Officers

The President shall preside over all meetings as far as possible and is responsible to the membership for the activities and growth of the Association. The President shall update the club's information in the ARRL website at least once per calendar year.

\*\*\* Please bring your comments on the proposed revisions above to the club meetings \*\*\*

## MUSEUM SHIPS WEEKEND EVENT sponsored by

## The Battleship New Jersey Amateur Radio Station

MUSEUM SHIPS WEEKEND 2012 June 2-3, 2012 0000Z June 2, through 2359Z June 3, 2012

rent frequencies DOES NOT count as 2 ships. Working a ship not listed will not count

Lightship



http://www.nj2bb.org/museum/

#### 2012 CERTIFICATE INFORMATION You must work at least 15 different participating ships

All stations that work at least 15 different ships of those participating (listed below) will receive a certificate if they send a copy of their log entries showing these contacts. Working the

NAME TYPE OF SHIP LOCATION CALLSIGN K1USN K1USN Braintree, MA Watson Museum USS Yorktown WA4USN Aircraft Carrier Charleston, SC **USS Hornet** Aircraft Carrier Alameda Point, CA NB6GC Corpus Christi, TX **W5LEX USS Lexington** Aircraft Carrier **USS Midway** Aircraft Carrier San Diego, CA NI6IW K6AA San Pedro, CA ST-695 Angels Gate Army Tugboat Battleship NJ2BB Camden, New Jersey USS New Jersey USS Wisconsin Battleship Norfolk, Virginia N4WIS USS Alabama Battleship Mobile, AL W6Z Fall River, MA Battleship N1EPL **USS Massachusetts USS Texas** Battleship Houston, Texas NA 5DV Pearl Harbor, HI кн6вв USS Missouri Battleship NI4BK USS North Carolina Battleship Wilmington, NC WW20K USS Oklahoma Mast Memorial Fire Control Mast Memorial Muskogee, OK SS Col. James M Schoonmaker **Bulk Carrier** Toledo, OH ксвлиѕ Ex MV Dresden Cargo Ship Rostock, Germany DLOMCM USS Arizona Signal Mast Mem. Signal Mast & Anchor Memorial Phoenix, AZ W7TBC CG Cutter/Pres. Yacht Oakland, CA. **МЕ6ЈР** USS Potomac USS Indianapolis CA-35 Memorial Crusier Indianapolis, IN WW2IND HMS Belfast (Saturday Only) Cruiser London, UK GB600E USS Littlerock Cruiser Buffalo, New York W2PE WASBAT USS Olympia Cruiser Philadelphia, PA \*\*SS Conte Biancamano Cruise Liner Milano, Italy II2IBCI USS Cairo Civil War Ironclad Gunboat Vicksburg, MS K5ZR0 NT4HI **USS Laffey** Destroyer Charleston, SC **USS Turner Joy** Destroyer Bremerton, WA NS7DD Destroyer Lake Charles, LA W5BII USS Orleck USS Cassin Young Destroyer Boston, MA WW2DD Baton Rouge, La W5KID USS Kidd Destrover \*\*USS Joseph P Kennedy, Jr NB1CR Fall River, MA Destroyer USS Stewart Destroyer Escort Galveston, TX KK5W MV Cap San Diego Freighter Hamburg, Germany DLOMFH TM1EJ MV France 1 Frigate(Meteorological survey) La Rochelle, France D. Fernando II e Glóira Frigate Cacilhas Dockyard Portugal CS5DFG VK4RAN HMAS Diamantina Frigate Brisbane, Australia \*\*HDMS Peder Skram OZ1RDN Frigate Copenhagen, Denmark Navio Hospital Gil Eannes Hospital Ship Viana do Castelo, Portugal CS1AAM USS LCI(L)-1091 Landing Craft Eureka, CA W6ZZK Icebreaker Stockholm, Sweden 8SØHRA SS Sankt Erik **USCGC Mackinaw** Icebreaker Mackinaw, MI W8AGB LS Overfalls (LV 118) Lewes, DE квзитр

LS Huron Lightship Port Huron. MI квнім Columbia Lightship Astoria, Oregon W7BU ON4BRN LS West-Hinder 2 Lightship Zeebrugge, Belgium WW2LST USS LST-325 Evansville, IN Muskegon, MI **N8LST** LST-393 MS Atlantis Minesweeper Dresden, Germany DKOMHD HNLMS Abraham Crijnssen Minesweeper Den Helder Netherlands PI4MRC \*\*SS Cedarville Ore Freighter Rogers City, MI WSC Skibladner Paddle Steamer Gjovik, Norway LA1X SS Hohentwiel Paddle Steamer Bodensee, Austria OE6XMF/9 SS Keewatin Passenger Steamship Saugatuck, MI KRCJO WARO RMS Queen Mary Passengership Long Beach, CA Port of Rotterdam PI4HAL SS Rotterdam Passenger Ship MS Finnmarken 56 StokmArknes, Norway LA1HMU Passengership SS City of Milwaukee Railroad Car Ferry Manistee, MI KS8B MV "Hans Beimler" Rocket Corvette-Tarantul class Peenemuende, Germany DLONBG \*\*Tall Ship Elissa Sailing Barque Galveston Island, TX N5E \*\*Star of India Sailing Ship San Diego, CA NS60I \*\*SS Ticonderoga Steamboat Shelburne, VT Foxtrot Submarine ON8SUB B143 Zeebrugge, Belgium <u>U-5075</u> Seehund Submarine Quincy, MA. WW2MAN USS Becuna Submarine Philadelphia, PA N3SUB \*\*USS Ling Submarine Hackensack, NJ ₩2GLQ K24 (U-461) Submarine Peenemuende, Germany DM3G USS Silversides Submarine Muskegon, MI NASIIB HMUb Nordkaparen Submarine Gothenburg, Sweden ST.8STB **USS Drum** Submarine Mobile, Alabama W62 WACOD USS Cod Submarine Cleveland, OH NB90V **USS Cobia** Submarine Manitowoc, Wisconsin Malmo, Sweden SD7SUB UЗ Submarine USS Blueback Portland, OR W7SUB Submarine NJ6VT Submarine San Francisco, CA USS Pampanito Submarine Portsmouth, NH NM1JY USS Albacore Submarine Groton, CT N1S \*\*USS Nautilus Submarine Speyer, Germany S637 Espadon Submarine Saint-Nazaire France F6KBG DLODMB Laboe Germany Submarine Genoa, Italy II1NS \*\*Nazario Sauro Torrevieja Spain S-61 Delfin Submarine EG5SUB USS Cavalla Submarine Galveston, TX KK5W HMCS Onondaga Submarine Pointe-au-Père, Quebec VA2GNO **USS Batfish** Submarine Muskogee, OK WW2SUB USS Dolphin Submarine San Diego, CA NS60I \*\*WWII Sub Vet Memorial East Submarine Memorial Groton, CT W1QV \*\*B-39 Soviet Submarine San Diego, CA NS60I ITS Enrico Toti Toti Class Submarine Milan, Italy II2IGT0 SS American Victory Victory Ship Tampa, Florida W4AVM Naval Tech'l Museum La SPEZIA A.R.M.I. Italy IO1SP RUSAWK Russian Navy History Novosibirskij komsomolec (B-396) Submarine 641-b Museum and Memorial Complex

# Training Announcement

This is an advanced announcement. The Genesee County Radio Club will begin Technician license classes on Sept 24<sup>th</sup> this fall. More information to follow.

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# Stuff for Sale

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FOR SALE, Heathkit HF transceiver SB1400 + SB14001 power supply. Radio has FM 10 meter C.B. \$300. Contact KD8EOA on the repeater or on email at tomadams69@yahoo.com

Ten-Tec Hercules II solid state linear amplifier, with power supply and ten meter mod. Hardly used, part of an estate settlement. \$1000.00 or best offer. Contact Bill, KD8VP at kd8vp@juno.com



FOR SALE, Cush-Craft A4S Four element tri-bander. It's on the ground and ready for pick-up. Manual Included. Lee N8LJ 810-796-9816

If you have something to sell please send an email with the details to kevinboxey@hotmail.com to be included in the Waveguide listing

### LAPEER COUNTY AMATUER RADIO ASSOCIATION

# 13th Annual

# SHOP & SWAP

Sunday, August 19, 2012 at 8:00 AM to 11:30 AM

# **NEW LOCATION!**

LAPEER WEST SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL, 170 MILLVILLE Rd. LAPEER,MI., 48446 (See map on back of flier)

\*\*\* Admission: \$5.00 \*\*\*

Tables: \$8.00 in advance &

\$10.00 at the door

Mail-in form for admission & tables at

http://www.w8lap.com

\*\*\* Free parking \*\*\*

\*\*\* All sales inside \*\*\*

\*\*\* COFFEE & DONUTS \*\*\*

\*\*\* Electricity available \*\*\*

\*\*\* Talk-in 146.620-- \*\*\*
100 Hz PL tone

Swap info: kc1bud@arrl.net



## **VE Testing**

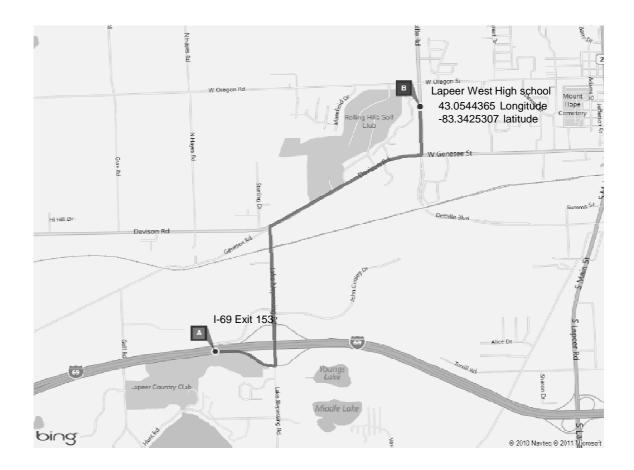
Bring the original and a copy of 2 forms of ID, current license, & CSCE (if any). Contact Bob, N8NE for test details at 810-653-3856.

\*\*\* NO WALK-INS \*\*\*

# 2012 LCARA Swap Table & Ticket Order Please Print

Name:	Call Sign:
Address:	
City, State & Zip	
Phone number (	<u>)                                    </u>
Tables are \$8.00 each in advance	and 10.00 each on the day of the swap.
Number of tables:	X \$8.00 = \$
Number of Tickets:	X \$5.00 = \$
Electricity: Y N Limit	ed & on first reserve basis
For mail-in form go o	online at <u>www.w8lap.com</u>

Mail to: LCARA, box 12, Hadley, MI., 48440-0012



# **SWAP**FROM THE WEST OR EAST

Take I-69 to **exit 153** turn left onto Lake Nepessing Rd.. Go north to Davison Rd. Davison is also West Genesee turn right. Go to Millville turn left

#### **FROM M-24**

Take Genesee Rd. M-21 west to Millville. Turn north(right) on Millville.

Lapeer County Amateur Radio Assoc. P.O. Box 12 Hadley, MI 48440-0012

L.C.A.	R.A. MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION
PLEASE PRINT:	
CALL SIGN:	NAME:
ADDRESS:	
CITY ,STATE, AND ZIP	<b>:</b>
PHONE :	LICENSE CLASS:
SKYWARN NO.:	RACES NO:
ARES MEMBER YES_	NO E-MAIL ADD.:
ARE YOU AN A.R.R.L.	MEMBER: YES NO
	IIP IS \$12.00 PER YEAR, RENEWABLE EACH YEAR
	. FAMILY MEMBERSHIP \$20.00. ASSOCIATE
	IF YOU WISH AN AUTODIAL NUMBER FOR THE
REPEATER THERE IS A	AN ADDITIONAL \$3.00 CHARGE. Financing available.

# Lapeer County Amateur Radio Association

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#### Officers

President: Kevin Boxey KB8TAR, 810-793-4986
Vice President: Tom Oliver KD8EBY, 810-247-3227
Treasurer: Bill Miller KD8VP, 810-797-5329
Secretary: Flo Haack KC8CAB, 810-793-2606

#### Committees and Appointees

Club Call Trustee W8LAP: Joe Medved KD8CIL Repeater Assistants: KC1BUD, KD8EBY, KD8EOA Skywarn Coordinator: Tom Oliver KD8EBY

Swap & Shop Chairpersons: Bill Miller KD8VP & Dan Bain KC1BUD

Meeting Refreshments: Bill Miller KD8VP
Newsletter Editor: Kevin Boxey KB8TAR
Field Day Chairman: New volunteer needed

Field Day Assistants: KD8EBY, KC1BUD, KB8TAR

Net Manager: Tom Oliver KD8EBY
Testing Coordinator: Volunteer needed
County EC: Tom Oliver KD8EBY

County PIO: Dan Bain KC1BUD County AEC: Joe Medved KD8CIL County AEC: Kevin Boxey KB8TAR

