

Waveguide

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146.620 - 100 Hz
442.750 + 123 Hz

Lapeer County Amateur Radio Association
Club Founder: Hollis Hayes W8ACD

Edition for **November 2012**

****The next regular club meeting will be held on
Tuesday, November 13th, 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

*See next page for
location change*

Newsletter

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

Website: <http://www.w8lap.com>

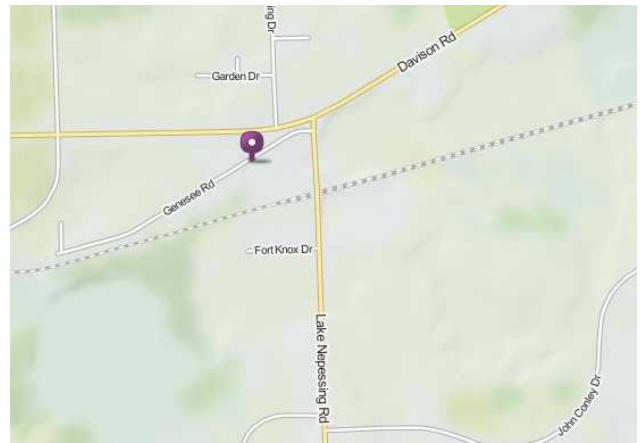
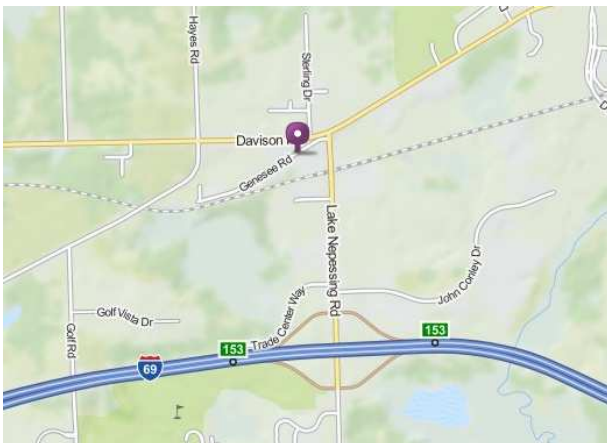
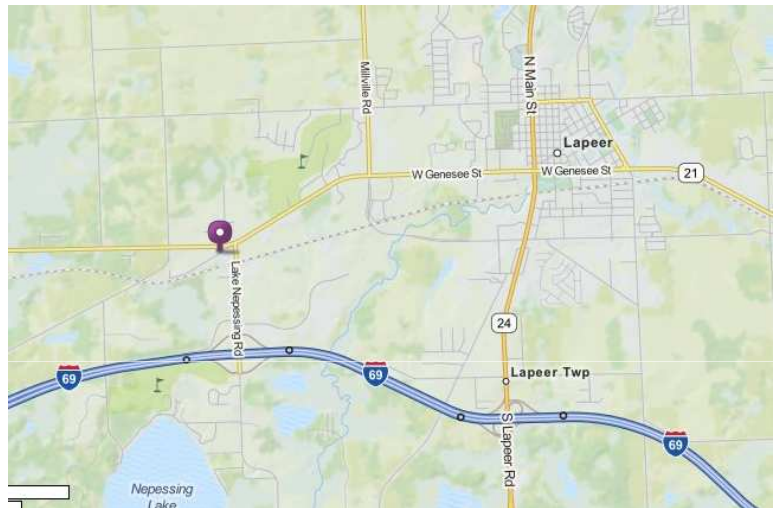
Facebook: Lapeer County Amateur Radio Association

***** ANNOUNCEMENT *****

TEMPORARY CLUB MEETING
LOCATION CHANGE

The club meeting for
November 13th 2012 will be
held at:

Lapeer County EMS
3565 Genesee Road
Lapeer, MI 48446



\$\$\$ *Reminder to pay your club dues at the November meeting if you missed the October meeting* **\$\$\$**

Editorial Section

The President Sez:

Hello everyone. There is not a lot to report on this month. Based on the discussion at the last meeting we have secured a place for the club Christmas party. This year it will be at Ted's Sport's Pub in Lapeer - very close to Meijer's just off M-24. It should work out well for us since we will have our own separate room and server.

Also, our temporary meeting location at the EMS turned out to be an excellent place for presentations. It is complete with a built in sound system and projector. So, not wanting to waste such resources we will have a couple of 10 minute videos at the November meeting. This is good for me since the agenda items are getting a little thin this late in the year.

See you at the meeting.

Kevin KB8TAR

The Treasurer Sez:

Greetings to one and all. As I write this and look out the window upon a beautiful fall day, I wonder when and if I am going to get all my antenna work done before inclement weather. Have all of you been able to do that? Oh well, they say the best antenna's go up when the worst weather is upon us.

The LCARA fiscal year starts in October. So that means that all of your dues for the 2012 - 2013 year are due now. Lots of people paid their dues at the club meeting, and for that, Thank You. Now I need to inform the rest of you that you need to pay your dues. Through the efforts of some of the club members doing Operation Care and the Swap and Shop we are able to keep our dues at \$12.00 again this year. Not much so pay up! That's a rather abrupt statement, but you know me, direct and to the point. There were no expenses other than the phone and electric to run the repeater, so we actually took in more than we spent for a change. That is good and the balance is good.

Have a good fall season and get those antenna's up before it snows.


Respectfully William Miller KD8VP Treasurer

The Secretary Sez:

The meeting was called to order at 7:40 with introduction of members and guest. Tom, KD8EBY cut the tip of his finger off by dropping a manhole cover on them. The secretary report was given by Flo, KC8CAB. It was accepted by Tom, KD8EOA and seconded by Dan, KC1BUD. The treasurers report was given by Bill, KD8VP. The report was accepted by Dave, K8DLW and seconded by Tom, KD8EOA. The nomination of officers are as follows. President: Kevin, KB8TAR; Vice President: Tom, KD8EBY; Treasurer: Bill, KD8VP; Secretary: Flo, KC8CAP; and Repeater Trustee: Joe, KD8CIL. The board was elected by voice vote. Operation Care for 2013. We are going to ask the Civil Air Patrol or Young Marines to help out when we need it. The Christmas Party will probably be December 4th. It will be at Ted's Sports Bar. It will be announced for sure at the November meeting. A presentation was given from AT&T Archives on Similarities of Wave Behavior. 50/50 was won by Mike, KD8OTZ. A motion was made by Jamie, KC8PMW and seconded by Tom, KD8EOA to close the meeting at 9 p.m.



Flo KC8CAB

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Holidays and Observances: 6: Election Day, 11: Veterans Day, 12: 'Veterans Day' observed, 22: Thanksgiving Day

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Don't forget to join your fellow hams on the **Tuesday** night net at 8:00 pm on 146.620 - with 100 Hz PL



NET CONTROL SCHEDULE

30 Oct - KB8TAR
05 Nov - KD8EBY
13 Nov - Meeting
20 Nov - KD8EOA
27 Nov - KB8TAR
04 Dec - Christmas party
11 Dec - KD8EBY
18 Dec - KD8EOA
25 Dec - KB8TAR



The LCARA Christmas Party will be held on December 4th at 6:00 pm

Location:
Ted's Sports Pub & Grill
770 West St, Lapeer MI 48446
(very near Meijer's)



This year everyone will be responsible for their own food order and bill. Food will be ordered directly from the menu.

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Stuff for Sale

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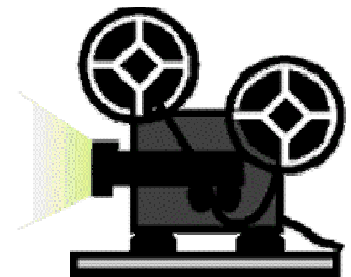
No listings this month.

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



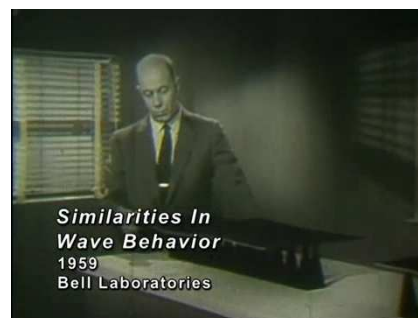
The presentation for November will be a short video on extremely high speed film - so fast it is able to capture the motion of light.

Courtesy of KN8Z



If you would like a copy of the presentation from October bring your thumb drive to the next meeting and I will make sure we load a copy for you.

KB8TAR



Here is an interesting website to check out

Welcome to AntennaSearch.com!

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Tom KD8EOA



L.C.A.R.A. MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

PLEASE PRINT:

CALL SIGN: _____ NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY ,STATE, AND ZIP: _____

PHONE : _____ LICENSE CLASS: _____

SKYWARN NO.: _____ RACES NO: _____

ARES MEMBER YES ___ NO ___ E-MAIL ADD.: _____

ARE YOU AN A.R.R.L. MEMBER: YES ___ NO ___

L.C.A.R.A. MEMBERSHIP IS \$12.00 PER YEAR, RENEWABLE EACH YEAR ON **OCTOBER. 1ST.** FAMILY MEMBERSHIP \$20.00. ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIP \$4.00. IF YOU WISH AN AUTODIAL NUMBER FOR THE REPEATER THERE IS AN ADDITIONAL \$3.00 CHARGE. Financing available.

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