

The Feedline.



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Dues: \$10, from April to March.

The June 2018, activities of the Cary ARC will be a bit different this month. The first activity will be Friday, June 22, at Woodhaven Baptist Church, 4000 Kildaire Farm Rd, Apex, at 11:00 am, for preliminary antenna work for Field Day. On Saturday, June 23, at 9:00 am, final antenna and station work will be done prior to our mini-FD at 2:00 pm, (1800 UTC). Mini-FD will be until sundown on Saturday.

The regular June meeting will be held at the White Plains UMC, 313 SE Maynard Rd., Cary, on Thursday, June 28, 7:31 pm. The subject of the meeting of the Cary ARC will be announced in a later Feedline.

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For those of you who have email capability, the **Cary Amateur Radio Club** will be sending meeting notices (and recent news items) in a PDF file called "The Feedline." This is a resurrection of the old Feedline that was sent out as hard copy via the USPS, years ago. Now, we are avoiding the printing and mailing costs of even the postcards we used in the interim. Some of you may be receiving this having not previously received a postcard. Now, we want to include as many as we can to enlarge the foot print of Amateur Radio.

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Dues are due (!?!?) during March and April. The dues are \$10 USD. Checks are preferred, so that you may have an immediate receipt with the canceled check.

Cash is accepted provided you have proper ID!!! Silver and gold pieces may also be received, at a reduced rate of exchange, of course!!!. Bitcoin is being considered!!!

Dues can be received at any meeting!!!!!!!!

# **Roanoke Division Hamfests/Conventions**

07/07/2018 | 33rd Annual 2018 Firecracker Hamfest

**Location:** Salisbury, NC **Type:** ARRL Hamfest **Sponsor:** Rowan Amateur <u>Radio</u> Society

Website: http://www.rowanars.org/firecracker-hamfest/

07/21/2018 | Cary (NC) ARC - Mid-Summer SWAPFEST

Location: Cary NC, Ritter Park Type: ARRL SWAPFEST Sponsor: Cary Amateur Radio Club

Website: http://www.qsl.net/n4nc

07/28/2018 | WCARS Hamfest

Location: Waynesville, NC Type: ARRL Hamfest Sponsor: Western Carolina Amateur Radio Society

Website: http://wcars.org

08/05/2018 | 68th Annual Berryville Hamfest

Location: Berryville, VA Type: ARRL Hamfest Sponsor: Shenandoah Valley Amateur Radio Club

Website: http://www.svarc.us/hamfest

08/11/2018 | 20th Annual Cape Fear ARS Swapfest

Location: Fayetteville, NC Type: ARRL Hamfest Sponsor: Cape Fear Amateur Radio Society

Website: http://www.cfarsnc.org

08/11/2018 | Tri-State ARA Hamfest

Location: Huntington, WV Type: ARRL Hamfest Sponsor: Tri-State Amateur Radio Association

Website: http://www.orgsites.com/wv/taraclub/

08/24/2018 | West Virginia State Convention

Location: Weston, WV Type: ARRL Convention Sponsor: West Virginia State Amateur Radio Council

Website: http://qsl.net/wvsarc/

08/31-09/02/2018 | Roanoke Division Convention (Shelby Hamfest)

Location: Shelby, NC Type: ARRL Convention Sponsor: Shelby Amateur Radio Club

Website: http://shelbyhamfest.org

09/08/2018 | Virginia Section Convention (Virginia Beach Hamfest)

Location: Virginia Beach, VA Type: ARRL Convention Sponsor: Tidewater Radio Conventions

Website: http://virginiabeachhamfest.com

#### 09/22/2018 | Coal Country ARC Hamfest 2018

Location: Madison, WV Type: ARRL Hamfest Sponsor: Coal Country Amateur Radio Club

Website: http://www.wv8ccc.org

#### 10/06/2018 | 66th Annual Rock Hill Hamfest

Location: Rock Hill, SC Type: ARRL Hamfest Sponsor: York County Amateur Radio Society

Website: http://www.ycars.org

### 10/13/2018 | Parkersburg/ Wood County Hamfest

Location: Mineral Wells, WV Type: ARRL Hamfest Sponsor: Wood County Emergency Communications

Website: http://www.wc8ec.org

#### 10/27/2018 | Beachfest 2018 & Computer Expo

Location: Conway, SC Type: ARRL Hamfest Sponsor: Grand Strand Amateur Radio Club

Website: http://www.w4gs.org

#### 11/18/2018 | JARSFest

Location: Benson, NC Type: ARRL Hamfest Sponsor: Johnston Amateur Radio Society

Website: http://www.jars.net

## 04/20/2019 | North Carolina State Convention (Raleigh Hamfest)

Location: Raleigh, NC Type: ARRL Convention Sponsor: Raleigh Amateur Radio Society

Website: http://rarsfest.org

Note: The above listings of Roanoke Hamfests, etc., were taken from the ARRL web site. It behooves a radio club, society, etc., to register their event with the ARRL even up to a year in advance! Not only does the ARRL provide good support for your event, but calendar dates do tend to fill up quickly.

