

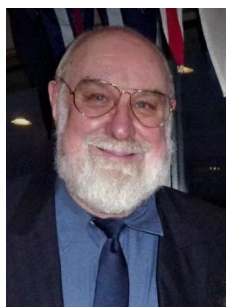


## Current Club Executive

President	Murray Thompson	VE3ZPV
1 <sup>st</sup> Vice President	John David	VA3JHD
Secretary	William Linington	VE3IUUK
Treasurer	Rick Danby	VE3BK
Admin Director	Barry Lisoweski	VE3ISX
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Murray VE3ZPV



Rick VE3BK



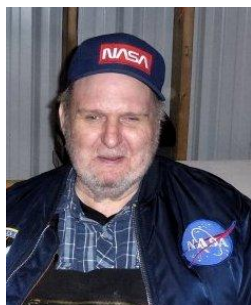
William VE3IUUK



Barry VE3ISX



John VA3JHD



Mike VA3WXS



## President's Message

**The club has been busy with exciting events during the summer.**

**A group of our members “crewed” HMCS Haida warship currently docked at the Hamilton Harbour. John VA3JHD supplied his new ICOM IC-7300 transceiver connected to an amateur 10 – 20 – 40 meter trapped dipole.**

**VA3WWV Rick orchestrated the event in conjunction with Parks Canada and The Friends of Haida. See the banner in this newsletter for pictures of our crew and event details.**

**August 20<sup>th</sup>, 2023 marked another successful CLUB BBQ at the Binbrook Cons Auth. Park. A good number of members enjoyed FREE BBQ dogs, burgers and corn on the cob. Again, check the banner for all the pictures.**

**Important note for those that have renewed your 2024 membership. A draw will be made at the 28<sup>th</sup> September 2023 in person meeting for a chance to win your membership for FREE. Please note our ON LINE ZOOM Exec meeting will be held 14<sup>th</sup> September 2023.**

**Our membership is growing each month with new additions....currently 62 members.**

**Special thanks to Mardy VE3QEE for operating the Monday night VHF check in net at 7:00pm. The VHF repeater antenna is now positioned for**

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For better city coverage. We are constantly expanding the features of the repeater site thanks to Peter VE3XLQ.

More details as they become available. Currently the repeaters are not linked..repeater software and cables are now in place as we move forward.

A reminder from our hamfest chairman..Barry VE3ISX. The Ancaster Hamfest will be on again 30<sup>th</sup> September 2023. Over 70 tables sold and many vendors will be in attendance.

Murray Thompson, VE3ZPV

President Hamilton Amateur Radio Club



**Hamilton Amateur Radio Club**  
**Hamfest Announcement**  
**Ancaster Fairgrounds**  
 630 Trinity Rd S, Jerseyville  
 30th September 2023

CLICK HERE

As we ramp up to the event, volunteers are always required to assist with the setup and pull down of the event. Contact our hamfest chairman..Barry VE3ISX.

## Club Financial Report:

The Club is financially in **good** shape, despite purchases for the VHF duplexer and cable expenses.



**Events Calendar**  
**2023 Hamfests/Fleamarkets**  
 Updated club summary

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**HMCS Haida**  
 80th Anniversary Special Event  
 25th August to 27th August 2023  
**Event pictures and more**

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Click above for the full story of how members of our club worked with HMCS Haida 80<sup>th</sup> celebration.



Our club enjoyed a delicious BBQ on 20<sup>th</sup> August 2023.



**Hamilton Amateur Radio Club**  
**Summer Picnic Pictures**  
**20th August 2023**  
 Click for details

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Click above for the full picture story.

## September Meeting Date:

You are reminded of our in person meeting at St. Paul's Church 28<sup>th</sup> September 2023...7 pm sharp.

## Club HF net summary



### MONDAY HF:

**TIME:** 8:00 PM till 9:00PM

3.693 MHz LSB starts at 8am till 9 am.

28.485 Mhz USB starts 9pm for a Rag Chew, but Not a formal net, just for fun...till 10pm. All are welcome.

### MONDAY VHF & UHF:

**TIME:** 7:PM till 8PM

### Club Repeaters:

146.760MHz (-600) tone 131.8

444.075MHz (+5Mhz) tone 131.8

**Please note** the repeaters are operating currently as stand alone stations. The phone patch is operational. Additional options are on the drawing board from Peter VE3XLQ.



# Newsletters

Vintage 1975 to present



Click above link to newsletters from the club history....good reading.

## Contest News



**Click above for all details.**

**If you can help:**

**Contact Rick VE3BK**

[ve3bk@hamiltonarc.com](mailto:ve3bk@hamiltonarc.com)

## Denny's Breakfast Deal

A special fundraiser for the homeless attracted a group from the club for the \$5.00 Gland Slam!



Peter VE3DOU                      Bill VE3EKJ  
Mark VE3RYI                      and                      Joe VE3IUW



Jim VE3JS- wife Dawna- grandson Logan



VE3ISX Barry and Judy

## Club Events 2023

### **Ancaster Hamfest 2023**

This event will take place 30<sup>th</sup> September 2023 and if last year's event was a record, lets work to make this year even better. Looking for volunteers to marshall, setup tables and welcome visitors/dealers.

### **Christmas Dinner Yacht Club**

This event will take 10<sup>th</sup> December 2023 with al the trimmings in prizes. Watch for further details.

Thanks for your time.

Barry VE3ISX Newsletter Editor.