



2021-2022 EXECUTIVE

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President's message

It is with pleasure that I report the success of the Membership Appreciation lunch event Saturday 16th, October at the End Zone Restaurant. An excellent turn out with door prizes from **Nutech Electronics**, **ONTARS** and gift certificates from **End Zone**. Our membership numbers are up as we go forward. Congratulations to **Brian Provost VE3IBP** who won a FREE membership for next year.

73 and 88
Murray VE3ZPV President



A note about our membership year:
Our online membership application and renewal services are off-line at this time.

ON LINE Membership
Print this form
and return to club

Click the banner above to print out your application form and send it along with your payment to:

Membership C/O Hamilton Amateur Radio Club
117-350 King St. East
P.O. Box 75073 Hamilton, ON,
L8N 4G6

Pictures from the lunch!!!
Click the banner below for story.

Guest speaker on Zoom
20th October 2021
7pm EST
Dr. Bob Hell, K9EID

Membership Appreciation Lunch
Event Pictures
16th October 2021

New Club Website

We are pleased to announce that the new club website is up and fully operational. The new site is located at:

<http://www.hamiltonarc.com>

Club Dues summary:



- **2021 – 2022 Pricing...**
Membership dues: \$31.00/yr (\$11.00 R.A.C Insurance surcharge will apply to all non R.A.C. memberships)
- **Family Membership remains unchanged at \$6.00 but only one newsletter is mailed or emailed to the Family.**
- **Distance Membership remains unchanged at \$16.00 (\$11.00 R.A.C Insurance surcharge will apply to all non R.A.C. memberships**
- **Dues haven't changed in years! What a bargain.**
- **The membership numbers are growing nicely.**

Guest Speaker:

>REMINDER!<

Bob Heil K9EID on our ZOOM



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Christmas Party 2021

Please note, we do not usually have a December meeting, but get together instead for a Christmas Party. Our Christmas party is already booked for this year, so hopefully things will be all opened up by then and we will see everyone there.

Contesting 2021

The 2021 CQ World-Wide DX Contest

SSB: October 30-31

CW: November 27-28

Starts 00:00:00 UTC Saturday Ends 23:59:59 UTC Sunday That is 8PM Friday night to 7:59PM on Sunday.

OBJECTIVE: For amateurs around the world to contact as many other amateurs in as many CQ zones and countries as possible.

BANDS: Six bands only: 1.8, 3.5, 7, 14, 21 and 28 MHz. Observance of established band plans is strongly encouraged.

CONTEST EXCHANGE: SSB: RS report plus CQ Zone number of the station location (e.g., 59 05). CW: RST report plus CQ Zone (e.g., 599 05).

CLUB COMPETITION:

The club score is the total aggregate score from logs submitted by members. There are two separate club competition categories.

A. USA Clubs: Participation is limited to club members residing within a 250 mile radius circle from the center of club area.

B. DX Clubs: Participation is limited to club members residing within EITHER the DXCC country where the club is located **OR within a 400 km radius circle from the center of club.**

C. General club rules:

1. National organizations (e.g., JARL, REF or DARC) are not eligible for the club competition.
2. Single-operator entries may only contribute to one club. Multi-operator scores may be allocated to multiple clubs as a percentage of the number of club members participating in the operation. The log entry must spell out the full club name (and club allocations if multi-op).
3. A minimum of four logs must be received for a club to be listed in the results. Checklog entries are not counted for the club score.
4. The word "reside" shall be defined as: To dwell permanently or continuously or to occupy a place as a person's fixed, permanent, and principal home for legal purposes.



Click above to send email

Who wants to participate as an Aggregate Station using our Club Call VE3DC? Let me know, we need at least 4 people.

73 Rick VE3BK



Everything you ever wanted to know.

Click banner above for the pdf tutorial.



Please remember **VE3VNG** listed in the Silent Key Report above.

Our HARC Silent Key report is up to date on the new website. If you know of anyone else kindly contact Barry **VE3ISX**.



Our Certificate for OQP 2021 is attached in PDF format. Click above for details.

VE3WRL (we sponsored this one)
1st Place Multi-Operator Fixed (VA3XR – Radioworld) VE3DC (we won this one)

1st Place Single Operator Mixed Mode - Low Power (Hamilton Amateur Radio Club VE3DC)

Don't forget to bookmark our new and improved [HARC website!!](#)



Newsletter Editor: Barry **VE3ISX**