



Mike And Key



An ARRL Special Services Club

Founded 1914

SARC Calendar

June

- 6th SIG Meeting: Sacramento Blood Center, Alhambra Annex, 1625 Stockton Blvd, Sacramento at 7:00 PM.
- 13th General Meeting: Sacramento Blood Center, Alhambra Annex, 1625 Stockton Blvd, Sacramento at 7:00 PM. Informal get-together at 6:30 PM.
- 27th Executive Committee Meeting, Keith Crandall's QTH at 7:00 PM.

July

- 00th SIG Meeting: Sacramento Blood Center, Alhambra Annex, 1625 Stockton Blvd, Sacramento at 7:00PM
- 11th General Meeting: Sacramento Blood Center, Alhambra Annex, 1625 Stockton Blvd, Sacramento at 7:00 PM. Informal get-together at 6:30 PM.
- 25th Executive Committee Meeting, Keith Crandall's QTH at 7:00 PM.

SARC FIELD DAY JUNE 23-24 2001

For the past two months, SARC members have been making preparations for the ARRL sponsored event known as FIELD DAY. This annual event is held the last weekend in June and is designed to test amateur radio skills in less than ideal conditions. Usually, participants operate from remote areas, using alternative power sources and numerous variations of wire antennas. Points are accumulated for radio contacts made, dependent upon mode, power source, etc. Basically, it is the time when we become aware of our ability to support our community when unfavorable conditions develop. It is also a test of our ability to operate as a team toward a common goal. Field Day is just plain FUN with the added spice of trials and tribulations (CRITTERS and POISON-IVY)!

For a second year, SARC and members of California State Office of Emergency Service (OES) will combine resources and talents in a joint adventure. It was a good operation last year, so why not try it again. The location is the El Dorado National Forest (North of Highway 50 East) near Ice House. GPS coordinates are: N 38* 47.376 / W 120* 21.047 and is approximately 62.3 miles east of Sacramento. For those who will require fire permits, recommend a stop at the Forest Ranger Station. Some members will arrive of Friday (06/22) and will post appropriate post signs to the operating location. Actual setup and operations will not begin until Saturday (06/23). The Saturday evening Bar-B-Q will be provided by the SARC. Our resident chef, Bob Browning (K6RWB) and his partner in crime, Mike McDermott (KF6RUQ), will be flipping the meanest burgers/hot dogs and stirring the deadliest pot of chili this side of the Grand Canyon. **DON'T FORGET TO BRING A CAN OF CHILI FOR THE POT.. THAT'S WHAT MAKES IT SO DEADLY!!** Request everyone bring a salad or other favorite side dish to be add to the meal and shared by all.

The General Membership meeting (06/13) will allow us to put finishing touches on our field day preparations. **NOTE: No SIG Meeting for July. (1st Wednesday of July is Independence Day – July 4th)**

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OES-ACS:

Auxiliary Communications
Service of the Governors
Office Emergency Services
Contact Cary Mangum, State
ACS Officer at 916-2621670
or Les Balinger WA6EQQ or
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SARCR

Sacramento Amateur Radio
Communications Reserve
Sacramento City RACES
Contact Chuck Miller
KD6AQM at 916-362-5924.
Net on Monday's at 19:00 on
145.190 PL 162.2

CDF-VIP

California Division of
Forestry Volunteers in
Prevention El Dorado Co.
Contact Bill Ozment,
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SHARP

Sacramento County Sheriff
Amateur Radio Program
Contact: Jim Collentine,
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paid-up members
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W6AK

ON THE AIR

146.91 – PL 100
224.10 – PL 100
442.80 + PL 100

RADIO NET

Sacramento Valley
Noon Net
Every Day at Noon

Membership Meeting

General Meetings are
the second Wednesday
of every month at the
Sacramento Blood
Center, Alhambra
Annex, 1625 Stockton
Blvd, Sacramento
7:00PM

On the WEB

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MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION and RENEWAL FORM

Date _____

New Renewal Change of Address

MEMBERSHIP CLASS

General, \$16.00 Associate, \$16.00 Family, \$16.00+\$5.00 for each additional Student, \$8.00

Please fill in and circle anything you do not wish to have printed in the SARC Roster.

Family memberships must reside in the same household.

NAME _____ CALL _____

LICENSE CLASS: N T T+ G A E Birthday _____ ARRL Member: Yes No

Family member: NAME _____ CALL _____

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ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ ZIP _____

TELEPHONE (____) _____

E-MAIL ADDRESS _____

Areas of interest, bands and modes used:

Emergency communications capabilities:

ACS/RACES or ARES

New memberships in mid-year will be pro-rated.

This form must accompany your check, made payable to SARC. Send to SARC at address above.

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