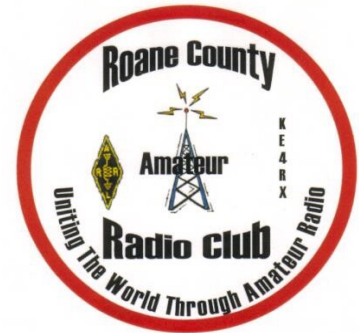


The RCARC Beacon

“Uniting The World Through Amateur Radio”

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KE4RX/r 147.015 + (pl 110.9) Roane County ARC
K4EAJ/r 147.120 + (pl 82.5) Morgan County ARC
KC4WGH/r 224.840 (pl 88.5) David Rogers KC4WGH



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Roane County Amateur Radio Club

Visit the club website at www.ke4rx.org

RCARC Meeting : **September 8th, at 7 pm.** Roane County Rescue Sqd in Midtown.

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Welcome to the RCARC Beacon!!

Well folks, It's been a hot dry month, but the last couple days have brought some relief (6+ inches worth of rain). It's been a busy Summer and Fall is just around the corner.

It looks like the 12th annual Ten Tec Hamfest will be on Friday September 23 and Saturday September 24th. I've never been to one, but I may try to go to this one. Most folks say Ten Tec puts on a good hamfest. Check www.tentec.com for the hours.

The Roane County VE team gave exams in August and we have 3 new Roane County Hams to welcome. Diane Naus KK4DQS, Keta Huggins KK4DQT and Russell Huggins KK4DQU all passed their Technician exams. Great Job Guy n Gals!!!

It's been a rough year for Roane County Amateur Radio losing 3 local hams this year. Jim Whittlesey KC4RHW, Chip Erisman KC4YYD and Harvey Rose AJ4GX.

Finally Come on down this Thursday 9/8/11 at 7:00 Pm For the Roane County Amateur Radio Club meeting at The Roane County Rescue Squad in Midtown. Eveyone is welcome to attend. We look forward to seeing you there. Talk In on 147.015 KE4RX repeater.

*See you on Thursday evening
Jim White K4APY
RCARC Club Secretary 2011*

Roane County VE Team offers Ham Radio Exams

The Roane County VE Team offers ham Radio Exams on every even numbered month at the Trenton Street Baptist Church in Harriman at 9 am. If you are interested in scheduling a HAM radio exam, get in touch with Jim Dalton K4FPG or Keith Dalton WV4G to make arrangements.

Send E-mail to:

Jim Dalton :

jsdaltonk4fpg@att.net

-Or-

Keith Dalton: *wv4g@arrl.net*

*The next exam is on **October 8th** by appointment.
Good Luck!!.*

Repeater News!

It's Alive!! It's Alive!! It's Alive!! The KE4RX/r repeater is now back on the air and functioning well. 147.015+ PL tone 110.9 . RCARC would like to say Thank You to Danny Britton KB4TEP for mounting our antennas on the tower and also to Cliff Segar KD4GT, David Rogers KC4WGH, and Jim Dalton K4FPG for their diligent work to get KE4RX back on the air.

Links of interest to Amateurs!!

Tennessee Home Grown!! Ten Tec

<http://www.tentec.com/>

CQ Magazine: All about HAM Radio

<http://www.cq-amateur-radio.com/>

Are You Prepared for disaster? 72 Hours

<http://72hours.org/pets.html>

Tennessee Emergency Communications Association (TNECA) Our brothers in Cumberland County.

<http://www.tneca.org/>

RCARC Needs You!!

It takes everyone for RCARC to thrive. Even though we are a small club we still have expenses to cover and our dues are a large part of what pays the bills. Out of our dues we have insurance expenses for our liability at club functions and the repeater equipment. We also pay for the electricity and maintenance on KE4RX/r repeater. Dues are only \$15 / year for licensed amateurs and \$7.50 / year for unlicensed associate members. If your not currently an RCARC member we invite you to join and be part of our organization. Just drop me an e-mail or visit the RCARC Club website at www.ke4rx.org for an application. RCARC is a 501c3 non profit organization.

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It's Not Too Early to think about running!

Its' already September and that means December isn't too far off . December is our month for electing club officers for the next year. Up for election are the offices of President, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer. The club needs good trustworthy and reliable folks to steer our club in a positive direction with public exposure, educating Hams, club growth and having fun with our hobby. Qualifications for the offices is on the clubs website www.ke4rx.org under the clubs bylaws in Article VI.

If you feel you would like to run for a club office, feel free to drop an e-mail to the club Secretary listed above..

**Check out
The RCARC Website
WWW.KE4RX.ORG**

RCARC Net News!

The Roane County Amateur Radio Club net is back on 147.015+ pl 110.9 each Monday evening at 8:00 pm except on major holidays (Those where US Mail is not delivered). Join us every Monday evening for a great informal 2 meter net!!

No Net Control Schedule for August / September available at press time!!

Roane County ARES/DEC nets are every Tuesday on 147.120 pl 82.5 at 8:00 pm except the third Tuesday which is the monthly meeting at The Roane County EOC, 230 N. 3rd Street in Kingston, TN. Roane County ARES welcomes anyone interested in emergency communications and training. Contact Bill Farnham **KI4FZT** for more information on ARES/DEC bfarnham@utk.edu

September 2011

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
August	29 Mon Night Net 147.015 8:00 PM	30 ARES/DEC Net 147.120 9:00 PM	31	September 1	2	3
4	5 Labor Day No Net	6 ARES/DEC Net 147.120 9:00 PM	7	8 RCARC Meeting @ RC Rescue Squad 7:00 PM.	9	10
11	12 Mon Night Net 147.015 8:00 PM	13 ARES/DEC Net 147.120 9:00 PM	14	15	16	17
18	19 Mon Night Net 147.015 8:00 PM	20 ARES/DEC Meeting @ EOC 7:00 PM	21	22	23	24
25	26 Mon Night Net 147.015 8:00 PM	27 ARES/DEC Net 147.120 9:00 PM	28	29	30	October 1
2	3 Mon Night Net 147.015 8:00 PM	4 ARES/DEC Net 147.120 9:00 PM	5	6	7	8

Harvey Miles AJ4GX/SK



Harvey Miles AJ4GX at the RCRC 2004 Christmas Dinner.



Harvey Miles (center) at the RCARC club Christmas Dinner in 2005 at Ivans Restaurant in Rockwood.

Harvey Miles AJ4GX a past member of The Roane County Amateur Radio Club died this last month. Harvey worked in emergency services before becoming disabled and took an interest in Amateur Radio. He couldn't see well enough to read the books so Harrison Barger KD4LBJ made audio tapes of the study guide to help Harvey pass his Technician exam and he would eventually work up to Extra!. Harvey would pop on the repeater from time to time and always had a bit to say and loved to trade HAM radio equipment. Sometimes referred to as the "Mayor of Emory Gap" I believe in jest. He will be missed by all who knew him.

Mr. Harvey Jerald Rose, age 77, a resident of Harriman, TN passed away Tuesday, August 9, 2011 at his home. He was born November 4, 1933 in Roane County, TN to John Lewis Rose and Beulah Lee Hendrickson Rose. Mr. Rose was a retired Emergency Medical Technician for Roane County Ambulance Service; a Ham Radio Operator and member of Roane County Amateur Radio Club; A U.S. Army Veteran of the Korean Conflict; and of the Baptist faith. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his brothers, Farvel Rose, Oscar Rose and Sam Rose; and sisters, Rosie Riddle and Beatrice Bell.

Survivors include:

Wife: Mary E. Rose

Children & Spouses: Doug & Patricia Rose
Robert & Lesa Rose
Lewis & Teresa Rose
Nelson & Jenny Rose
Tommy Rose

Grandchildren: Greg & Ashley Rose

April & Cory Spencer
Donnie Rose

Great Grandchildren: Candice and Cameron Spencer
Ashley, Marcus, and Tristen Rose

Sisters: Shirley Lawson
Marie Carpenter

Funeral services will be held Friday, August 12, 2011 at 12:00 noon from the Chapel of Evans Mortuary with Pastor Garvan Walls officiating. Graveside services and interment will follow in the Dyllis Cemetery in Harriman with full military honors by the Roane County Military Memorial Honor Guard. The family will receive friends Friday, August 12, 2011 from 11:00 a.m. until 12:00 noon at the Evans Mortuary. An online register is available at www.evansmortuary.biz. Evans Mortuary of Rockwood is serving the family of Mr. Harvey Jerald Rose.

RCARC Classifieds

50 Foot Rohn Tower - 5 sections with Rotor, extension and plate. All bolts included and also a multi-band HF antenna. Asking \$500 for it all.

30 Foot Crank Up Tower- Also for sale by Norm K4SEQ. Call for pricing
For more information contact Norm Morgan K4SEQ by telephone at 865-376-9704

If you have something to put on the RCARC Classifieds send it and a photo if available via e-mail to Jim K4apy@arrl.net

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