



Meetings

Yelm Amateur Radio Group meets at 9AM on the 1st and 3rd Saturday of each month.

1st Saturday Meeting:

Valley Heart Assembly of God
11318 Vail Cutoff RD SE
Rainier, WA 98576
USA

3rd Saturday Meeting:

Emanuel Lutheran Church
206 3rd ST SE
Yelm, WA 98597
USA



Hams helping Hams.



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Yelm, WA 98597

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Repeater: 440.200+ MHz PL100Hz

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Amateur Radio



Mobile tower owned by the club.

Before the Internet...

Before Satellites...

Before Cellphones...

There was Radio.

And from the beginning of Radio there were the Radio Amateurs. These people, fascinated by the possibilities of

radio, were pioneers of many of the technologies used today. Whether it is antennas, circuit design, satellites, computers, or yes, even the internet, you can find Radio Amateurs involved in nearly all communications technologies today.

Many Amateurs are involved in community service, providing vital communications for parades, marathons, and cycling events nationwide. Others are deeply involved in Emergency Services, working side by side with their served agencies to ensure the safety of their communities. Others work on the forefront of technologies, building Amateur Satellites, new Digital Modes using computers, or even Software Defined Radios.

There are even Amateurs who organize DXpeditions to remote islands so that other Amateurs can have the pleasure of adding a new island to their logbooks. Amateur Radio is many things to many people.

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Serving the communities of East Thurston County - Yelm, Rainier, Tenino - and South West Pierce County - McKenna and Roy - the Yelm Amateur Radio Group stands ready to assist you in your pursuit of Amateur Radio. With twice monthly meetings, members with decades of experience, and a dedicated team of Volunteer Examiners, we can help you get or upgrade your Amateur Radio License.



Portable operations

East Thurston County ARES

The East Thurston County Amateur Radio Emergency Service (ETC ARES) is a team of volunteers who work with local communities and emergency services to provide a backup communications service for disasters and local emergencies. Team members are trained and

ready with their own equipment to provide critical communications during events

such as power outages, windstorms, or earthquakes that may interrupt or destroy regular communications such as the Internet, Cell Towers, or even standard telephone lines.



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