

The London Bridge Amateur Radio Association

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Our Club call sign is K7LHC

Monthly Newsletter sharing information with our Members!

January 2020 issue

January Meeting – Thursday, January 16th, 2019 **6:30pm, Board meets at 6:00pm**

Club Meeting – agenda

- Jim W2ODH - LBARA Business - 30 Minutes
- Jim W2ODH Presentation
" What's in Amatuer RADIO for me? "
- Steve K7SWF Presentation
" Morse Tutor "

2020 Club Officers

President	2020	Jim Sharlow	W2ODH
Vice Pres.	2020	Nick Rizos	W7NRX
Secretary	2020	Charlie Kotan	K0TAN
Treasurer	2020	Mike Murphy	N8MJM
Sgt. at Arms	2020	George Florer	KC7GYK
Director	2 nd of 2 years	Bill Laird	KI7CDT
Director	1 st of 2 years	John Scott	AD6NM
Director	1 st of 2 years	Steve Fehlhaber	KE7ZIW
Past Pres.	2020	Steve Stocker	K7SWF

2020 Meeting Dates

Club Meeting dates are still the 3rd Thursday of each month except for June, July and August. These meetings are held at the Havasu Yacht Club, at 631 London Bridge Road in Lake Havasu City.

January 16 th , 2020	February 20 th , 2020	March 19 th , 2020
April 16 th , 2020	May 21 st , 2020	June (no meeting) 2020
July (no meeting) 2020	August (no meeting) 2020	September 17 th , 2020
October 15 th , 2020	November 19 th , 2020	December 17 th , 2020

From the Desk of Club President.....Jim Sharlow - W2ODH

Now that the Holidays are over, we look forward to another trip around the Sun. Your Board of Directors and I are planning an exciting 2020 for ALL LBARA members. With your support we will have a lot of activities and fun with our hobby. My goal is to make our meetings/programs and outside activities exciting by focusing on Amateur Radio operating, exposing us to new HAM activities, which you may not have participated in before, along with activities you may be looking forward to each year. What I do need from each of you is to think of what you can contribute to the success of this year's events as *we are always looking for members to step up and HELP!* I look forward to seeing you at our next meeting.

73,

Jim - W2ODH

Jerry – K7LY Update



From Tom Hutter –K7TJH...As of Monday January 5th, 2020. (from LBARA Facebook post)
Jerry France, K7LY, is home and recovering day by day. Jerry is using a walker and wheelchair to get around. He is also talking better and a lot more. When I left him he was sitting in his radio room and reading his e-mails.

The radio's are on and he is listening to QSO's.

If you would like to visit maybe call ahead because he may have a Doctor's appointment that day.

73,

Tom

February Birthdays		
2/1	KE7ZIW	Steve
2/2	KI7QMV	Larry
2/9	K9WZB	Garry
2/9	KK7CZ	Cass
2/18	W7HCO	Chuck
2/24	KD7OOX	Angela
2/27	KI7CDT	Bill
2/27	W7HFG	Jim
2/28	KI6YAS	Jack

All Facebook members should be aware of the **London Bridge Amateur Radio Association FB page** at <https://www.facebook.com/groups/192173561220483/> started by Tim - KX7P and Lana - N7WST. We have 92 LBARA members. If you aren't a Facebook member, it might be a reason to join the fun!

Ham Help Net - Wednesday Net - Out of Towners Net - Tuesday Club Net
What are "Nets" and why do we have them?

Amateur Radio Nets provide an opportunity for every Ham Operator to make sure their equipment is working and that Communication "Traffic" can be managed in a structured manner. It allows operators to interact at least once a week for information exchange and event sharing or problem solving. Different Nets on various frequencies and bands allows operators to maintain multiple types of equipment and stay informed about local frequencies and their normal traffic patterns. If there is an Emergency Event in our area, it is important for Radio Operators to know what frequencies to use and which ones to avoid so we do not interfere with Emergency Operations.

From Charlie/KOTAN....January and February are big months here in Havasu and Mohave County!

First off is the Balloon Festival Special Event Station, K7B! Garry K9WZB and other hams have kept this event going for a few years. It was last weekend and I hope you all worked one of the dedicated operators. I heard Garry a couple of times on Thursday and Sunday, but perhaps he didn't hear me. I worked Jody N7IDX as K7B on Sunday, so when I kick in my \$5, I'll get the 2020 Certificate!

This weekend and next brings [QuartzFest](#) - Jan 19-25! It's a wonderful time, with thousands of hams from around the world gathering at AZ 95 Mile Marker 99 south of Quartzsite. If that's not enough there are huge tents and zillions of folks selling everything from rocks and gems to soup and nuts. Really it's not to be missed! See the schedule of events, including the tail-gating on the last Saturday AM.

Following that is the big [Yuma Hamfest](#) Feb 14-15 at Yuma Fairgrounds! Now THIS is a hamfest with row upon row of tail-gating and a bunch of vendors and presenters! It's all there, and you will see lots of us from LHC and Mohave County! It is again the ARRL Southwest Divisional Convention - we'll talk about it at the meeting on Thursday!

Swap Meet Page

Listing date: 12/14/2019,

Jim – W2ODH, contact info, 949-637-5705 - w2odh@aol.com

For sale 220 mHz. All-mode station, Down East transverter coupled with a RS 10 mtr. All-mode, w/all doc. ... Asking \$280.

For sale RCI 5054-DX-100 All-mode transceiver (100 watts output) condition is 9 out of 10. Asking \$225.

For sale Yeasu FT 736 R 2 mtr., 70 cm. and 220 mhz. all-mode transceiver, (6 mtr.. /1296 can be added). Asking \$800.

~~For sale ICOM IC 756 Pro II HF transceiver with matching IC power supply, It is fully operational with no functional or cosmetic issues..... Asking \$800. **Sold**~~

Listing date: 12/14/2019,

TS940SAT Kenwood HF Transceiver – 160m-10m

For sale, excellent working and cosmetic condition, with the user's manual. The *Kenwood TS-940SAT* covers the HF bands and has a built in auto-tuner and power supply. It has standard modes and it has a digital readout and LCD sub-readout. Operates 250 W PEP input on USB, LSB, CW, FM and FSK and 140W DC input on AM

\$650 firm.

Contact info: de AB6QT – Mike - 760-505-2486 - azmikecq@gmail.com

This will always be on the last page for quick reference!

LOCAL FREQUENCIES – 1/5/2020

LOCATION	FREQ.	OFFSET	PL	SYSTEM
Lake Havasu City	146.620	minus	131.8	K7LHC/FM-C4FM
Lake Havasu City	146.640	minus	156.7	K7LHC EOC/FM-C4FM
Lake Havasu City	146.700	minus	131.8	K7LHC/FM-C4FM
Lake Havasu City	146.720	minus	123.0	MARS (Linked to 147.240, 146.820)
Lake Havasu City	146.960	minus	162.2	W7DXJ
Lake Havasu City	147.500	Simplex	Na	IRLP #3970, Echolink KE7ZIW-R
Lake Havasu City	448.350	minus	Na	KX7P - C4FM only
Lake Havasu City	449.125	minus	67.0	WIN System
Havasu Landing	147.030	plus	156.7	SB Sheriff – linked to 147.030
Needles, CA	147.300	plus	156.7	SB Sheriff – linked to 147.300
Kingman	147.240	plus	123.0	MARS (Linked to 146.720, 146.820)
Laughlin/Bullhead City	146.820	minus	123.0	MARS (Linked to 147.240, 146.720)
Parker, AZ	146.850	minus	162.2	WA7RAT
Quartzite, AZ	145.310	minus	107.2	WB7FIK

Local Nets - As of 1/25/2019

Day	Time	Organization	Frequency
Sunday	7:30 AM	RACES	3.990 mhz - LSB
Monday	4:30PM Nevada Time	KE7ZIW Out of Towner Net	147.500 Simplex or Echolink *DCF- ARC* or IRLP 9257
Monday	7:00 PM	Mohave Club/MARS	146.720-146.820- 147.240
Tuesday	6:30 PM	LBARA	146.620
Wednesday	6:30 PM	LBARA Digital	448.350 (Digital only)
2nd and 4th Thursday	6:30 PM	LBARA Help Net	146.620