



# The W3PIE LETTER

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# 2002 CLUB DUEC

# Next Club Meeting is Wednesday APRIL 3rd 2002

### MARCH MEETING ATTENDANCE

There were twenty three regular members and one guest present for the March 6th meeting.

David Watson N3QAS Carl Chuprinko WA3HQK Tony Alviar KA3VOR George Syner WA3OGQ Pat Pallini WB3LUC David Kir WA3DJG Bert Sesler WA3WAW Valerie Sesler N3YSX Earl Zugar W3WVE Tom McDermott WB3BVZ Paul Renninger K3ECZ Steve Holowach K3SDH Alex Tinker W3ICX Chuck French KC3YR Tim Soxman W3ZVT Kirk Dorn N3EKP Slim McDonald WA3MJI Leonard Baron WA3EGS Ron DeGusipe KE3OH Henry Duke KE3RS **Butch Blair KB3GPD** Paul Button KB3DLT Scott Button KF3CP 1 Guest: Robert Button

### 2002 CLUB DUES

Well the call went out recently for back dues not up to date on our books. We at W3PIE would like to extend a big thank you to all of our members who responded to the 2002 club dues article in last months newsletter. There is still time left for any interested members to bring your lifetime membership current. We would hate to see any of you lose your seniority and have to start at zero. Many of you went out of your way to make up the past dues. There are still a few members in the rears for the years past. Not only will you benefit by putting your memberships in good standing, the club will regain some much needed funds.

Thank you...

W3PIE Officers

# Job Well Done!!

# W3PIE VE EXAM REMAINING TESTING DATES FOR 2002

### May 5th, September 15th, and December 1st.

Plan to arrive at the club before 2 PM, bring a copy of your license and the original, also an additional form of ID such as a driver's license, and two number 2 pencils. The exam fee is now ten dollars. Technician, General, and Extra exams will be available.

Walk-ins are welcome.

W3PIE VE Team



The Monthly Club Meeting is Wednesday April, 3rd 2002



### <u>APRIL</u> BIRTHDAYS

Andrew Horvath WA3NGA 4-09 Roy Derryberry KD3LZ 4-10 Uniontown ARC, W3PIE 4-12 Roy Repp W3TZW 4-15 Tom McDermott WB3BVZ 4-28

## RAPID RESPONSE TEAM VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Hello Everyone I was recently appointed DEC for the WPA Rapid Response Team. I have been unable to find out who was on the previous team, and am working to try to rebuild the team from scratch. For this I need your help. I need volunteers for the Rapid Response Team from all across the WPA Section. Anyone interested in joining, PLEASE contact me a soon as possible. If there are any who were on the team before and would consider staying on, I'd like to hear from you. I need your contact information and what kind of equipment you have available. This is an important effort for the WPA Section. and we need volunteers badly. I look forward to hearing from you, and THANK YOU. Paul Oliastro, N3ZZI email: n3zzi@arrl.net

email: n3zzi@arrl.nef marian@fyi.net ecara@qsl.net

Phone: 724-846-4685



#### TIGER SCOUTS GET GRAND TOUR OF W3PIE

We at W3PIE would like to acknowledge the visit made to our club on March 9<sup>th</sup> for the 6 scouts that were in pursuit of their Tiger Merit badge. All who visited the club were instructed on the purpose and responsibilities of the amateur radio operator, the operations of the various types of equipment and the importance of clubs like ours throughout the country as a hobby and in times of national and local emergencies. The scouts were also given a demonstration of how amateur radio operators can communicate around the world once they pass the required tests and obtain the necessary levels of FCC license compliance.

Everyone was treated to pastries, sodas and coffee. We at W3PIE encourage local youth groups to contact the club to arrange an informational tour to aide others in obtaining their HAM license. Club members in attendance were President, David Watson, N3QAS, Bert Sesler, WA3WAW, Pat Pallini, WB3LUC, Len Baron, WA3EGS and Tim Soxman, W3ZVT (Photographer).

Congratulations on the new merit of Tiger Cub Guys. Maybe see guys when your Eagle scouts..!!

Thank you everyone who attended...

### FOR SALE

For Sale: Alpha Delta VRC speaker console and wall wart. A variable frequency response speaker and amplifier for CW and SSB.

Contact: Tim Soxman W3ZVT @ tims@hhs.net

For Sale: Uniden HR2600 President 10 meter mobile for sale. It is complete in original box. It is in perfect condition. I am selling for \$175.

Contact: Bernie Meyers @ WA3BM@arrl.net

For Sale: HTX 202 2 meter Mobile, with antenna and owners manual. \$125.00 Contact: John Martinelli, N3RNU 724 437-3427

### WANTED TO BUY

Wanted: AM broadcast transmitter. Prefer a complete tube type unit 1 KW or less as removed from service. Also looking for Amateur tube type AM transmitters, tube type receivers, 1970's and older QST magazines and unwanted tubes. Contact: Bob Sova at (724) 966-2746 (evenings before 10 PM)

or 966-3065 (days Mon-Fri), or by email at: WB3LEQ@alltel.net

**Wanted:** Microphone needed for a TR7 Drake, Reasonably priced Contact Paul Button KB3DLT at: pbutton@bruderhof.com 724 329-8573

# BREEZESHOOTER CONTEST

Saturday March 23rd was the voice portion of the Breezeshooter contest. On a last minute whim, a few of our club member decided to get together and participate. The contest started at 8:00 PM to 12:00 midnite. As it turned out we got a late start because I thought start time for the con-

As it turned out we got a late start because I thought start time for the contest was at 9:00 PM ending at midnite. We made many contacts with other Hams throughout western PA, W.Va. and Ohio. Even though we got a late start we tallied very well in our point standing for a possible win. Members at the club for contest: David Watson N3QAS Bert Sesler WA3WAW Steve Holowach K3SDH Chuck French KC3YR George Syner WA3OGQ "Prior Planning Prevents Piss Poor Performance", a concept I will remember, for future contests...

David Watson N3QAS



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# APRIL ARRL CONTESTS

March 29, thru April 7 2002 Spring Lites QSO Party April/May 2002 **VHF Spring Sprints April 6-7 2002** Missouri QSO Party MARAC County Hunters Contest **EA RTTY Contest** 46<sup>th</sup> Annual QCWA QSO Party **April 13-14 2002** QRP ARCI Spring QSO Party 4<sup>th</sup> Annual SETI QSO Party Michigan QSO Party TARA PSK31 Rumble GACW DX Contest "Mr. Samuel Morse Party" Holyland DX Contest **April 27-28** Florida QSO Party Nebraska QSO Party W1AW Qualifying Runs

All the contest info can be found on the internet @ http://www.arrl.org/contests/months/apr.html



### THURSDAY NIGHT 147.045 WB3LUC NET

As always, please check in to the 147.045 + repeater @ 9:00 PM every Thursday. Try to check into this net to update yourself on W3PIE club activities. How will you know what is going on if you don't listen or check in.?

Pat Pallini, WB3LUC







### COLLECTORS **CORNER By Tim Soxman**

The Vibroplex Midget is the rarest of the Vibroplex keys. At present there are only 8 examples of the key in collectors hands. The key was manufactured between 1918 and 1920. The key was nickel plated and had a pivoting outrigger arm that was used to provide additional stability for the key when it was in use.

The base of the key was 1 1/2" by 5 1/2" and Vibroplex stated in their 1918 advertisement that it was a "vest pocket key". There was no space on the top of the base to fit an identification plate so Vibroplex fitted their plate on the bottom of the base.

The 1918 ad in OST for the Midget shows a Midget with a "U" shaped damper. Till now none of these keys have been found and all of the keys in collectors hands have the simpler post type damper. Another option that Vibroplex offered at the time was the Midget upperworks mounted on a Number 4 (Blue Racer) base. To date neither the #4 base or the "U" shaped damper Midget has been found.

The Midget pictured in the photos is a replica of the original Midget and scaled off various available photos and other information. A Midget that never was, one with the "U" shaped damper, is being built in my machine shop right now.

#### SPECIAL EVENT STATIONS

Port St Lucie, FL: Port St Lucie Amateur Radio Association, K4PSL. 1500Z Apr 1 to 2100Z Apr 30. Commemorating the discovery of Florida by Ponce de Leon in 1513. 28.310 21.350 14.250 14.030. Certificate. Dr Maurice I. Sasson, W2JAJ, 8598 Florence Dr. Port St Lucie, FL 34952.

Florence Dr., Port St. Lucie, Fl. 34952.
Caldwell, NJ: West Essex ARC, W2EF. 1400Z to 2200Z. Apr 6. Operating from President Grover Cleveland's birthplace. 28.350 21.330 14.250 7.250. Certificate. West Essex ARC, PO Box 54, Essex Fells, NJ 07021.
Pine Bluff, AR: Pine Bluff Amateur Radio Club, K5DAK. 1500Z to 2100Z. Apr 6. 819 Steam Locomotive. 14.250. QSL. PBARC, PO Box 1402, Pine Bluff, AR 71613.

Marathon, NY: Skyline Amateur Radio Club, K2IWR, 0400Z Apr 6 to 1100Z Apr 7.

Celebrating the history of maple syrup production in central New York state. 14.300.

Certificate, Skyline ARC, PO Box 5241, Cortland, NY 13045.

Timonium, MD: Baltimore Amateur Radio Club, W3FT. 1300Z Apr 6 to 1700Z Apr

Immonium, MIJ: Bautimoré Amateur Radio Cilio, W3+1. 1500Z. Apr 6 to 1700Z 47.

7. 31st Annual Greater Baltimore Hambore & Computerfest. 147.55 28.415 14.260

7.230. Certificate. BARC C/o Awards Mgr, PO Box 120, Reisterstown, MD 21136.

Harrisburg, PA: Harrisburg Amateur Radio Club, W3UU. 1300Z Apr 6 to 0200Z

Apr 8. Celebrating the 100th anniversary of the world's longest masonry railroad bridge. 28.450 21.350 14.260 7.250. QSL. C. T. Greiner, 403 Allendale Way, Camp Hill, PA 17011.

Hill, PA 17011.
Myrtle Beach, SC: SMART Ham Club, KG4RAS. 1400Z Apr 11 to 0300Z Apr 15.
Celebrating the 20th birthday of SMART and 18th National Muster. 28.465 14.265
7.265 3.965. Certificate. SMART Ham Club, 600 University Office Blvd, Ste 1A,
Pensacola, FL 32504. For more information, go to http://www.smartrvclub.org/.
Casper, WY: Casper Amateur Radio Club, N7NPC. 0000Z Apr 12 to 0000Z Apr 13.
Boy Scout-O-Rama, Casper Wyoming Council. 28.380 14.239 7.225 3.900. Certificate. Dr. J. L. Martin, N7NPC, 1441 Ivy Ln, Casper, WY 82609. Special certificates and OSL upon request.

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Del Mar, CA: Desert Pacific Council of Boy Scouts of America, WB6BSA. 1700Z to 2559Z Apr 13. Operating from the Del Mar Scout Fair "Merit Badge Midway" to help Boy Scouts earn radio merit badges. 28.390 21.360 14.290 7.270. QSL. Scout Ham Radio, Desert Pacific Council, BSA, 1207 Upas St, San Diego, CA 92103.

Emmett, ID: Voice of Idaho, W7BOI. 1600/Z to 2400Z Apr 13. Celebrating the annual Willow Creek Challenge BSA. 28.385 14.239 7.225. Certificate. Richard Dees 2265 W Sandalwood Dr, Merdian, ID 83642. Frequencies are in order of use depending on conditions starting with 10 meters.

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Hawthorne, NJ: Bergen Amateur Radio Association, KO2FB. 1300Z to 2100Z Apr

13. Hawthorne Schools Cel-Earth-Bration. 28.335 21.335 14.235 7.235. Certificate.
Fred Buchner, 202 Tenth Ave, Hawthorne, NJ 07506.
New York City, NY: Monster Island Amateur Radio Society, K2G. 0000Z Apr 13 to
2400Z Apr 14. Commemorating the 40th anniversary of the debuts of Gorath and
King Kong ws Godzilla. 28.440 21.240 14.340 7.240, QSL. Barry A. Schwartz,
N2SHP, 72-22 153rd St #2H, Flushing, NY 11367-2642.
Vieques, PR. Cadena El Conquistador, Inc, NP3P. 1600Z Apr 13 to 1600Z Apr 14.
Celebrating the Cultural Festival at Fort Count Mirasol. 80-40 m-28.350 21.350
14.300. Certificate. Cadena El Conquistador, Inc, NP3P, PO Box 161, Fajardo, PR
00738-0161.

Tulsa, OK: Tulsa Amateur Radio Club, W5IAS. 1300Z Apr 13 to 0100Z Apr 14. Tulsa Health Departments "Sooner Spring" bioterrorism drill. 28.320 21.320 14.230 7.235. Certificate. Dave Cox, Tulsa Health Department, 5051 S 129 E Ave, Tulsa, OK 74134.

74134.

Godalming, Surrey, UK: Titanic Wireless Commemorative Group, GB90MGY.
0930Z Apr 13 to 0647Z Apr 15. Commemorating the 90th anniversary of the Titanic disaster. CW only, HF bands 80-10 m (including 30, 17 and 12). QSLs for every contact will automatically be sent via the bureau. QSL claims, if desired, to GB90MGY via the bureau. Visit www.gdrs.net/titanic for more information.

Jefferson City, MO: Mid-MO ARC, KØC. 0000Z Apr 19 to 0000Z Apr 22. Honoring Earth Day, from the front lawn of the Missouri Sate Capitol. SSB 28.480 21.340
14.340 CW 28.060 21.060 14.060. QSL. Tom Hammond, NGSS, 5417 Scruggs Stm

All Labman MG 65053 Manio operating time. 1500Z to 200Z on Apr 20. Industs as Rd, Lohman, MO 65053. Main operating time, 1500Z to 2200Z on Apr 20. Updates at

www.miniccs.com/miniarc.
Ames, IA: Cyclone Amateur Radio Club, W0I. 0000Z Apr 19 to 2400Z Apr 23.
VEISHEA at Iowa State University. 28.475 28.055 14.225 14.085. QSL. W0ISU, 132 Broadmoor Cr, Ames, IA 50010.

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Dallas, GA: Paulding & Douglas County Amateur Radio Clubs, W4SCR. 1200Z to 2300Z Apr 20. Promoting awareness of the Silver Comet Trail recreation area. 28.460 21.370 14.270 7.240, QSL. SCARS, PO Box 6481, Douglaswille, GA 30154. Lexington, KY: Bluegrass Amateur Radio Society, KG4LDL. 1500Z to 2200Z Apr 20. Scout World 200Z—Boy Scout event at Kentucky Horse Park, 28.400 21.550 14.300 7.250. Certificate. Lou Berry, 160 W Tiverton Way, Lexington, KY 40503-

4408. M. J. Piscataway, N.J. Piscataway Amateur Radio Club, K2VOA. 0000Z to 2400Z Apr 20. Voice of America relay station WBØU. 28.345 21.345 14.245 7.245. Certificate. Bill Toth, W2BT, 6 Riverrest Dr, Piscataway, NJ 08854. Palo Cedro, CA: EMCOMM 2002, WGE. 1900Z Apr 20 to 1900Z Apr 21. Emergency Commu-nications Conference. 21.390 14.250 7.232 3.987. QSL. EMCOMM

2002, POB 99, Macdoel, CA 96058. Go to www.emcomm2002.net for more information

tion.

Waco, TX: Heart Of Texas DX Society, W5DXS. 1500Z Apr 20 to 2400Z Apr 27.

Celebrating the 75th Anniversary of the State Bird. 28.475 21.375 14.275 7.275. QSL.

HOTDXS, Larry Merritt, KCSBFM, PO Box 3501, Waco, TX 76707-0501. Visit

www.geocities.com/w5dxs for more information.

Paducah, KY: Paducah Amateur Radio Association, W4NJA. 1400Z to 2200Z Apr
27. American Quilter's Society Annual Quilt Show. 28.400 14.265. QSL. Bruce
Huyck, 243 Japonica Dr. Paducah, KY 42003.

Mull, NJ: Ocean Monmouth Amateur Radio Club, N2MO. 0000Z to 2400Z Apr 27. Official Marconi Day Station. 28.380 21.260 14.270 3.890, CW-SSB HF General

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Manitowoc, WI: Mancorad Radio Club, W9DK. 1400Z Apr 27 to 2200Z Apr 28. WWII USS COBIA Sub Memorial Radio Reactivation. 28:343 21:343 14:243 7:243. QSL. Fred Neuerfeldt, W6BSF, 4932 S 10th St, Manitowoc, WI 54220.

Nutley, NJ: Robert D. Grant United Labor Amateur Radio Association, N2UL. 1300Z

Nutley, NJ: Robert D. Grant United Labor Amateur Radio Association, N2UL. 13002
Apr 27 to 23002 Apr 28. °CQ Scout Invitational Campores' at Great Adventure NJ.
28.420 21.375 14.260. Certificate. RDGULARA c/o WA2VJA, 112 Prospect St,
Nutley, NJ 07110-0716. Camp theme "United We Stand."
Roanoke, VA: Roanoke Valley Amateur Radio Club, W4CA. 1300Z Apr 27 to
2300Z Apr 28. Red, White and Blue Roanoke Star for the victims of 9/11. 28.460
2300Z Apr 26. Nath Aga Crampton, 1670 Catawba Rd, Troutville, VA 24175.
Kill Devil Hills/Kitty Hawk, NC: Tri-County ARC, NC4AR. 0900Z Apr 27 to
1200Z Apr 30. Anniversary of the first powered aircraft flight at Kill Devil Hills,
North Carolina. 14.260 7.260. Certificate. Harrison J. Faust, WW4HF, 509 Player Dr,
High Point, NC 27260.
Mt Clemens, Mt. Utica Shelby Emergency Communications Association, W8A.

Mt Clemens, MI: Utica Shelby Emergency Communications Association, W8A

MI Clemens, MI: Utca Shelby Emergency Communications Association, W8A. 1200Z to 1800Z Apr 28. March of Dimes Walk America Walkathon. 28.465 14.260 7.260. Certificate. USECA, 45061 Grant Park, Utica, MI 48317-5522. Wells County, IN: Grant County Amateur Radio Club, W9EBN. 1700Z to 2200Z Apr 28. McNutt United Methodist Church Ham Sunday Fellowship Event. 146.79 28.410 14.230 7.295. Certificate. L. B. Nickerson, K9NQW, 517 N Hendricks Ave,

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### **W3PIE BUSINESS MEETING MINUTES**

Wednesday, March, 6th 2002

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Dave, N3QAS, George, WA3OGQ, Tim, W3ZVT, Tony, KA3VOR, Steve, K3SDH, Bert, WA3WAW, Valerie, N3YSX, Slim, WA3MJI, Teedle, K3ECZ, Tom, WB3BVZ, Kirk, N3EKP, Pat, WB3LUC, Earl, W3WVE, Ron, KE3OH, Dave, WA3DJG, Len, WA3EGS, Alex, W3ICX, Butch, KB3GPD, Chuck, KC3YR, Carl, WA3HQK, Henry, KE3RS, Paul KB3DLT, Scott KF3CP.

**GUESTS PRESENT: Robert Button** 

**CALL TO ORDER**: President Dave Watson, N3QAS, called the meeting to order at 1931 with 23 members and 1 guest present.

Treasurer's report was read

Secretary's report was accepted as printed in the March Newsletter

#### **Old Business:**

Pat Pallini is currently working on getting the club exempt from trash bill fees.

A report was given for the Valentines Dinner stating that "Fun was had by all"

A report was made regarding John Cermak and Dave Petrovich. The club membership is encouraged to keep both of these members in our thoughts and prayers.

#### **New Business:**

Pat Pallini reminded everyone of the Weather Training Skywarn Class at 911 on March 26, 2002 and of the upcoming Statewide Weather Preparedness Drill on Tuesday March 19, 2002.

Pat briefly talked to the club membership about a Daily Traffic Net on 3988.3 KHz for the purposes of relaying messages back to our area. Pat is also encouraging the club membership to take a more active participation in the Weekly Thursday Night Net. Pat is extremely disappointed that some of the newer members are not checking in.

March of Dimes Walk-a-thon to be conducted on Saturday, April 27, 2002 at 8:30 AM. Please contact Pat Pallini, WB3LUC if interested.

Any one interested in going to Dayton with the Club is asked to contact George Syner, WA3OGQ

Meeting was adjourned at 2003 Hours

Tim Soxman won the 50/50 and donated his share back to the club

### TESTING IN THE AREA

06-Apr-2002

Sponsor: WPA HILLTOPPERS &

BEAVER VALLEY

**Time:** 10:00 AM (Walk-ins allowed) **Contact:** ANTHONY F PETRUCCELLI

(724)774-4173 **VEC:** ARRL/VEC

**Location:** BEAVER FALLS MUN AIR-PORT 125 CESSNA DR BEAVER

FALLS, PA 15010

13-Apr-2002

**Sponsor:** NORTH HILLS ARC **Time:** 12NOON (Walk-ins allowed) **Contact:** ROBERT W BENNA

(412)366-0488 **VEC:** ARRL/VEC

**Location:** NORTHLAND PUBLIC LI-BRARY MEETING ROOM #3 300 CUM-BERLAND RD HANDICAP PLEASE REGISTER PITTSBURGH, PA 15237

18-Apr-2002

Sponsor: WIRELESS ASSOC OF SO

HILLS ARC

**Time:** 07:00 PM (Walk-ins allowed) **Contact:** JACQUELINE Y GOSSELIN (724)746-9235 **Email:** N3ZEL@FYI.NET

**VEC:** ARRL/VEC

Location: JOHN MC MILLAN PRESBY-TERIAN CHURCH (ENTRANCE IN REAR) 875 CLIFTON RD CALL AHEAD PRE-FERRED BETHEL PARK, PA 15102

25-Apr-2002

Sponsor: MONONGALIA WIRELESS

ASSOCIATION

Time: 7:00 PM (Walk-ins allowed)
Contact: JAN L DITZIAN (724)324-9160

Email: DITZIAN@ALLTEL.NET VEC: ARRL/VEC

Location: WEST VIRGINIA UNIVER-SITY EVANSDALE CAMPUS KX2A@ARRL.NET ENG SCIENCES BLDG-ROOM 355 MORGANTOWN,

WV 26505

28-Apr-2002

Sponsor: WACOM ARC

**Time:** 10:00 AM (Walk-ins allowed) **Contact:** JAMES C BURTOFT

(724)228-0546 **VEC:** ARRL/VEC

**Location:** WACOM HAMFEST WASH-INGTON COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS

WASHINGTON, PA 15301

# Pittsburgh Marathon Recruits Needed for May 5th, 2002

Dear Amateur Radio Operator:

The UPMC Health System/City of Pittsburgh Marathon has again requested amateur radio's participation in this year's event. The Marathon will take place on **Sunday, May 5, 2002.** If you were a part of the success of last year's operation, I hope that you will be willing and able to join us again this year. If you are new to the hobby or have never participated in this event, we need **YOU**.

As in the past, we will be providing vital and necessary communication to ensure the safety and well being of all the runners and spectators. The tragic events of 9-11 have not been lost on this year's race. Amateur radio is again being asked to be the "eyes and ears" of the Marathon. More than 150 amateur radio volunteers will be needed to support this effort. Over the past 5 years, the number of amateur radio volunteers has steadily dropped. I need your participation! I'm also asking you to recruit 1 operator who has never participated in this event. This is an opportunity for you and amateur radio to provide a public service to our community, as well as being part of this prestigious event.

Registration is easy. Go to http://www.cs.pitt.edu/~hoffman/marathon.html, fill out the form and hit send. That's all there is to it. You can also go to the UPMC/City of Pittsburgh Marathon web site, http://www.upmc.edu/pghmarathon/, to find out more about the event. You can also register as an amateur radio volunteer from this site. You will receive your assignment and detailed instructions the week of the event. A pre race meeting will also be held the day before the Marathon to answer questions and to pick up your credential, hat and shirt.

I look forward to having you join us this year.

73,

Konrad/W3KK W3KK@aol.com

Editors Note: Konrad helped us with our annual Triathlon last year. If anybody can spare the time, it sure would be

honorable of us to do so.

### MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

UNIONTOWN AMATEUR RADIO CLUB, INC.—W3PIE 433 Old Pittsburgh Road Uniontown, PA 15401 724-439-8158



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\$2.50 per month And a one time Registration Fee of \$5.00 Cost is \$30/year	\$15.00 per year	\$15.00 per year and one time Registration Fee of \$1.50	\$5.00 per Family Member per year
V ALL THAT APPLY  I am applying for?  [] Full Membership *  [] Associate Membership Sponsor  *Requires Sponsor  [] Student Membership *  [] Family Membership *  Is this application a renewal ?  [] Yes [] No Are you an ARRL Member?  [] Yes [] No May we list your phone number on the club roster?  [] Yes [] No Would you like a 2nd AutoDial number? (Full members only)  [] Yes [] No  If yes, list the optional number			
Make all checks payable to: Uniontown Amateur Radio Club, INC  Total Amount Paid			
Being genuinely interested in Amateur Radio, I hereby apply for Membership in the Uniontown Amateur Radio Club, Inc. As a Member I will abide by the Constitution of the Club. Also, I will support the Club to the best of my ability.			
XSign	ature of Applicant	Date	

### W3PIE APRIL 2002 NEWSLETTER

PUBLISHED PERIODICALLY FOR THE UARC MEMBERSHIP AND INTERESTED PARTIES. CLUB HOUSE IS LOCATED JUST OFF RT. 51 & 119 BY-PASS IN UNIONTOWN, PENNSYLVANIA ON OLD PITTSBURGH RD

THE CLUB REPEATERS: 147.045+, 147.255+, 443.750+ FULL TIME PL OF 123.0 AFFILIATE REPEATER: WB3LUC 145.170- FULL TIME PL OF 131.8

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GEORGE SYNER, WA3OGQ, 724-439-1554

JOHN RUDIK, WB3JNP, 724-437-2526

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TIM SOXMAN, W3ZVT DAVE KIR, WA3DJG

THE CLUB HOLDS ITS REGULAR BUSINESS MEETING ON THE FIRST WEDNESDAY OF EACH MONTH AT 7:30 PM AT THE UNIONTOWN AMATEUR RADIO CLUB CLUBHOUSE. ALL AMATEURS ARE WELCOME GUESTS ARE ALWAYS WELCOME!

Newsletter staff for this issue:

John Cermak, WB3DOD Dave Watson, N3QAS Tony Alviar, KA3VOR

Jim Takacs, NC3K Pat Pallini, WB3LUC Bert Sesler, WA3WAW Tim Soxman, W3ZVT

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