

W6HA Proposed Calendar of Activities 2018/2019
(Rev 2/20/19)

Beyond monthly club meetings Noon 3rd Tuesday of the month ES library this is our plan:

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| March 2 | Radio Skills and Build Day <i>Josln Center MB</i> |
| April 18 | New officer candidate slate completed |
| May 9 | Quarterly Evening Club Tech Series (2 nd Thurs of 2 nd month in quarter) |
| May 11, 18 | Technician License Class |
| May 16 | New Officer Elections at Club Meeting |
| June 22-23 | ARRL Field Day Wilderness Park |
| July 1 | Annual club dues due |

Other Events and Activities

W6HA Public Service Events

TBD Manhattan Beach and other community 5K/10K events
TBD STEM out reach to local schools

W6HA License Classes

5/11 and 5/18/2019 Technician License Class
10/12 and 10/19/2019 Technician License Class
TBD General License Class

W6HA related Nets

W6HA Weekly Club Phone Net Wednesdays 7:30 PM club repeater, followed by simplex 146.550 or 146.580
This net is managed by the Hughes Amateur radio club to promote preparedness of club members and their equipment. Check in with your call sign and location. Signal reports will be provided. Upcoming club events will be announced. Questions for club members will be addressed during the net or will be followed up later depending upon need. The net is to enrich the value of the club to our members.

W6HA Weekly Digital Net TBD time frequencies and modes to be announced on repeater (*New*)
This net is managed by the Hughes Amateur radio club to build skills in the use of digital modes. Check in with your call sign and location. Signal reports will be provided. Upcoming club events will be announced. Questions for club members will be addressed during the net or will be followed up later depending upon need. The net is to allow us to learn and share digital modes operation experience.

RTN Weekly Emergency Net 12:05PM on Thursdays, club repeater and 146.550 simplex
Managed by Raytheon, club members are welcome to check in with their call sign and location. Intent is to ensure that equipment and participants are prepared for any event requiring activation of the emergency net. Participants include Raytheon, local aerospace companies, and previous Raytheon employees.

CERT South Bureau Net 7PM first Tuesday of the month, club repeater
This CERT group located in West Los Angeles uses the club repeater as part of their preparedness. You do not need to be a member of the CERT group to check in with your call sign. Intent is to ensure that equipment and participants are prepared for any event requiring activation of the emergency net.

Other Radio Activities

Radio Orienteering T hunting practice. Check www.homingin.com
Summits on the Air <https://www.sota.org.uk/>
Last Saturday of the month TRW Swap meet

Contests of Interest

Contesting is an excellent way of developing good operating skills. It is an excellent time to test the effectiveness of your equipment and antennas with short exchanges with many Hams diversely located. These contests are fun events that can be used to build skills. You do not need to be a skilled contester to participate. The pace of *these* contests is not intense, giving you a new operator a chance to learn at your pace.

September	ARRL VHF September (handhelds work fine)
August	Kansas QSO Party (phone, CW, DIGITAL) single HF hop!! Great prizes!!!
September	Colorado QSO Party (phone, CW, DIGITAL) single HF hop!!
October	California QSO Party (Phone, CW) Everyone in the country wants to talk to YOU!
December	ARRL 10 Meter Contest – open to Technicians as well
January	ARRL VHF January (handhelds work fine)

Ham Fests

October	Pacificon San Ramon, CA
4/12/2019	DX Convention Visalia, CA
5/31/2019	SEA-PAC Seaside Oregon

Other local club meetings

K6PV Palos Verdes 1st Thursday evening
K6SBA South Bay 3rd Thursday evening