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# **JUNE, 2017**

# MAPLE GROVE WHITE NOISE NEWSLETTER



Maple Grove Radio Club meets on the first Tuesday of each month at Fire Station #2 in Maple Grove, Minnesota. Meeting time is 7 - 9 pm. Fire Station #2 is located at 13450 Maple Knoll Way. This is at the Northeast corner of Elm Creek Blvd and Maple Knoll Way. Enter at the upper door on the East side of the building.

#### **Calendar of Events**

Jun 6th Club Meeting

Jun 5<sup>th</sup> -11<sup>th</sup> Skywarn Rotation for MGRC begins Midnight on the 5<sup>th</sup> through Midnight on the 11th

Jun 9-11th MS 150 Bike Tour

Jun 17<sup>th</sup> Grandma's Marathon

Jun 20th Deadline Newsletter Articles

Jun 23<sup>rd</sup> Setup for Field Day at **Gleason Fields**, **18815 67**<sup>th</sup> **Ave N**, **Maple Grove**, **MN** 

Jun 24th Field Day begins at 1800 UTC

Jun 25<sup>th</sup> Field Day ends at 2059 UTC

Jun 26<sup>th</sup> Board Meeting

 $Jun 26^{th} - Jul 2^{nd}$  Skywarn Rotation for MGRC

Jul 11th Club Meeting

 $Jul\ 17th-23^{rd}\ Skywarn\ Rotation\ for\ MGRC$ 

Jul 19-23rd MS TRAM Bike Tour

Aug 7<sup>th</sup> – 13<sup>th</sup> Skywarn Rotation for MGRC

Aug 12<sup>th</sup> Antique Car Run

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CALL	LOCATION	<u>OUTPUT</u>	OFFSET	ACCESS	MODE
KØLTC	Maple Plain	147.000	Plus	none	WFM
KØLTC	Maple Grove	443.550	Plus	114.8	WFM
AFFILIATED:					
NØFWG	Maple Plain	444.375	Plus	118.8	WFM
KØYTH	Robbinsdale	444.775	Plus	114.8	WFM
KAØKMJ	Dayton	442.850	Plus	CC1	DMR

#### **JUNE Program Topic:**

Field Day and summer programs.

Please bring in any laptops if you plan on doing any logging at Field Day.



In the Club Shack during a Skywarn activation with Gary Peram KBOLXE, Ruth Claseman KDOUPR, Melanie Olson KOMAO, Benton Jackson KEOKNN. We are receiving instructions from Roy Wood WOREW. Roy Wood is our Skywarn contact to the Skywarn Board. He handles all the communications between Skywarn and our club. Lots of time has been spent by Roy recently in this capacity.

Roy would like to thank especially Melanie, Gary and Benton, who are new members to our club, for stepping in and getting involved with our club's Skywarn.

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This is our clubs new setup for Skywarn activations. Jim Claseman KDORFH was the acting Supervisor of the Day.

#### **MEMBER NEWS:**

Congratulations New Members:
Gary Peram KBØLXE
Bruce Bowen KEØNAP
Mark Jaworski KØQP
Christine Sewedell KEØMPV
Kevin Johnson KEØNAQ
Travis Rust KEØNAT

#### **Contest QSL Club Card**

The board has approved Pete Winters' suggestion to design a club QSL card. Please submit a design to Pete Winters NøRUG by Monday July 31<sup>st</sup> for Board approval. The Club members will vote on the approved designs at the August meeting.

#### SUMMER VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY

By: Phil Peterson KCØOID

Maple Grove Days (July 12-16, 2017) will soon be here. Part of this week long summer event is The Jim Deane Memorial Rice Lake Classic Run. Renamed this year to honor the former teacher,

coach, mayor and Director of the Three Rivers Park District, this event is in its 21st year. The Maple Grove Radio Club is proud to provide radio communication support for this event. On the morning of Saturday, July 15, 2017, MGRC will need about 12 volunteers (or more). The volunteer radio operators will position themselves along the 3.7 mile Rice Lake course, to relay information through our net control operator and provide event staff with timely communication as the runners traverse the circumference of Rice Lake in Maple Grove. The race involves about 350 runners. The race starts at 8:00am. MGRC volunteers are on site at 7:00am and our duties are completed by 10:30-11:00am. Bicycles work well to get in position around the course and to check the course out before the event. This is a fun and brisk paced volunteer opportunity and provides real life training in radio operation and tactical deployment. More info will be available at the June 6th MGRC meeting. The contact is Phil Peterson KCØOID 612-965-3653 or phipetsn@usfamily.net.