W6AGO

AEA Amateur Radio Club May Meeting



WB6VMV



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Thursday, May 26, 2022

11:30 AM - 12:30 PM Pacific

Location: TEAMS & A3/1607A

Email Kirk Crawford for invite

See My Aerospace announcement for more info



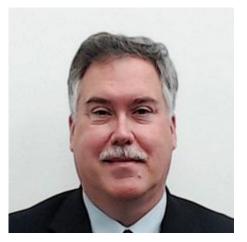




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Field Day Planning

- Trailer Visit
 - Visited last week
 - Most things seem fine
 - Replacing Flashlights
 - Charged Batteries One Failed
- Maintenance request submitted to move trailer
- Security will check out generator
- Kirk will invite to one more trailer visit before Field Day to move Generator and cable into trailer before the move
- Gasoline Got Volunteer
- Stephanie sending Flyer
- Kirk will send meeting invite





Field Day -Cont

- To work as many stations as possible on the 160, 80, 40, 20,15 and 10 Meter HF bands, as well as all bands 50 MHz and above, and to learn to operate in abnormal situations in less than optimal conditions.
- W6AGO 2A LAX
 - W6AGO is our club Call sign
 - 2 since we will have 2 HF Stations
 - A since we are a club
 - LAX is our location
- HF Station 1
 - Crank IR
- HF Station 2
 - Buddipole or Wire antenna
- VHF Station (s)
 - Multiband Vertical
 - Monoband antennas





New Amplifier



Elecraft KPA 1500 for the D8 Shack

- Ordered
- Check Sent and received by Elecraft
- Elecraft will ship once they have filter boards in stock



WB6VMV Status

- Blew down in a windstorm
- Antenna survived and has been tested as good
- Mattel will install the replacement support bracket
- El Segundo club will reinstall the antenna
- Current status:
 - Still down
 - Waiting on Mattel to install the support bracket



Echo Link Status

- Had issues recently with WB6MAX-R
- These have been resolved recently
- Bob can you elaborate?



Aerospace Repeater

- We have formal permission to install
- Antenna and Cable already installed on A8 roof and into maintenance area
- Dave Ping has rack with new radio
- We will install it soon in A8
- Using Test Pair (446.88 MHz (-)) and PL tone
 123 Hz
- Once installed and working, we will coordinate with scrrba.org to get our own pair



HAM Question Time

• Got a question? Ask it.