Clallam County Amateur Radio Emergency Service (CCARES)

CCARES.ORG

http://clallamares.org

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ARES HOME PAGE

ARES Home

- Mission Statement

- Meeting Information

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- Mini-Calendar:
  (lists just a few days)

- Expanded Calendar
  Link below

Today	◀	▶	**Monday, January 30**

Tuesday, January 31

8:30am	WinLink Practice
7:00pm	ARES Weekly Net

Tuesday, February 7

8:30am	WinLink Practice
7:00pm	ARES Monthly Meetii

Monday, February 13

Events shown in time zone: Pacific Time
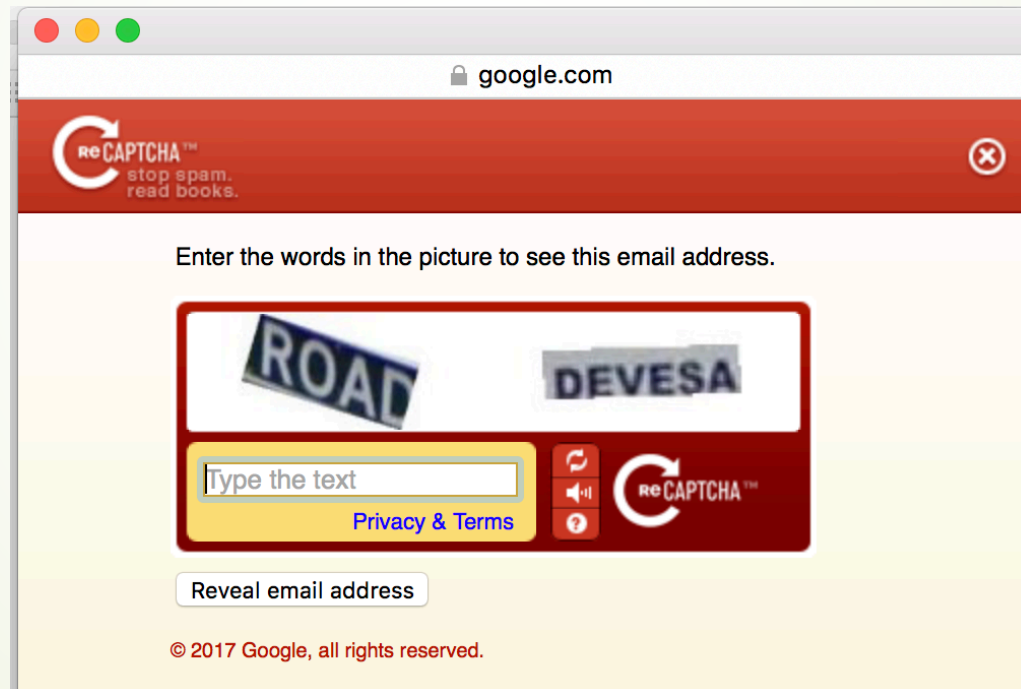
Google Calendar +

Expanded Calendar

ARES CONTACTS

ARES Contacts

- People and Positions

- Names and emails, protected by re-Captcha:

- (Note: Double Held Positions and Open Positions)

ARES CALENDAR

ARES Calendar

- Dates of Meetings and Events

- Displays our ARES calendar merged with the EMU calendar

- Need Inputs from Communities/Organizations

- Can be updated by the EC, Web Administrator and previous EC (KD7WBM, WX7RIK & W7WEC)

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DOCUMENT LIBRARY

Document Library

Members Only section

CCARES Files & Documents (**members only**)
MEMBERS: Please click on the above link to access the file listing. This section is password protected. Please contact the Web Manager (link at left) to obtain a username and password.

TO OPEN A FILE: Click on the file you want to view - Adobe Acrobat Reader required
TO SAVE A FILE ON YOUR COMPUTER: Right click on the file you want and select the option to save the file. You will then need to tell your computer where you want it to place the file.

2016 Clallam County ARES Manual is here

If you want to print a copy of the new 2016 ARES Manual, ARES members can access the .pdf files through the link above.

If you do not have the access codes to the above CCARES Files & Documents, please call the EC and request a temporary userid & password to access the manual here.
Who would be eligible to get this?

◗ Contact the EC if you need the UserID & Password

◗ This will only be given out over the phone or text message, not through email

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DOCUMENT LIBRARY

Document Library

Members Only section

- Activation Protocol and Phone Tree
- Net Check-in and Short Rosters (Mark)
- Net Control Schedule and Script (Lee)
- Frequency Plan
- Forms
- Monthly and Advisory Meeting Minutes
- VIMS Login Information
- Yahoo group membership Information
- After Action Reports
- CIMA Accident and Loss Report
- CCARES Manual

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DOCUMENT LIBRARY

Document Library

Public section

Numerous documents that are pertaining to ARES but are not confidential to our organization, such as:

- VIMS User Guide
- CCARES goals
- CCARES Training schedule
- CCARES Accomplishments
- Memorandums of Understanding
- ARRL Manuals
- And much more…

ARES ACTIVITIES

ARES Activities

- Information and Photos from ARES Events
- Need to Document ARES Activities through Photos
- Contact the Web Administrator to have your photos posted

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ECHOLINK & IRLP

Echolink & IRLP

- IRLP explanation
- IRLP Block Diagram
- Links to EchoLink and IRLP Information
- Striped Peak EchoLink and IRLP Documentation

PACKET/PACTOR

Packet & Pactor

- Digital Communications
- Links to Winlink Information
- CCARES Call Signs and Digital Frequencies

ABOUT ARES

About ARES

- Information about ARES and links to:
  - FEMA
  - Washington State
  - Clallam County
- Information about the ARRL
- Links to other Emergency Sites
- Links to Government Sites

Membership Information

Membership Info

- How to Become a Member
- Clallam County ARES Membership Packet Forms
- Other Forms and Links
- Training Requirements & Resources
- Description of the Application Process
- Information on Reporting Volunteer Hours

Cascadia Rising

Cascadia Rising

- Major 2016 NW Emergency Planning Exercise

- Area Command/Island Concept

- Communications Challenges

- Many resources relating to the Cascadia Subduction Zone

Emergency Preparedness

Emergency Prep

- Ideas to Help Prepare for Emergencies

- ARES Members' Examples

- Go Kits

- Portable Radio Systems

- Family and Individual Disaster Preparation

- And Much more…

VIMS Reporting

VIMS Reporting

- VIMS System Link
- Opens in new Window or Tab
- Members Report Monthly Hours and Mileage
- Sheriff Volunteer Requirement (if you do not report your hours, you cannot be a volunteer)
- Information Used to Justify Grants/Funding
- You must have an account set up to use
- Contact the EC to set up your account

CCARC Website

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- Links to the Clallam County Amateur Radio Club Website (olyham.net)

- Opens in new Window or Tab

- Another source of information

Conclusion

- There is a TON of information on the ARES website

- It is everyone's responsibility to help keep the information current, the Web Administrator cannot do it all, we need everyone's eyes on it

- Contact WX7RIK for the addition of information, or to correct errors you spot

And Finally…

- **Use our website** – if you look around the internet for other ARES organizations, you will appreciate what we have