



Chipola Amateur Radio Club

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Newsletter

February 19th, 2008

REPEATERS

146.670 –
147.045+, 123CG
444.950+, 123CG

CLUB NET

Our club, along with the Jackson County ARES, sponsors a net every Monday night at 7 PM on 146.670-.

CLUB EVENTS

Mar 18th, Club Meeting
Apr 19th, Club Meeting/Fox Hunt
May 20th, Club Meeting

OTHER EVENTS

Mar 1st, Falling Waters Tailgate
Mar 15th, Fort Walton Hamfest
Apr 26th, Headland Tailgate
Jun 28-29, ARRL Field Day

CLUB OFFICERS

President
Gary Brown, WW4JDO
Vice President
Brent Gay, KF4JZY
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Jeff Hagan, WO4J

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Apr,

THE PRESIDENT'S CORNER

After taking a break from holding any club offices I'm back. I thank you for the vote of confidence in allowing me to serve you again. The break allowed me to clear some things from my plate and to re-energize. A break is a good thing every now and then for many things. A lot of things have changed for me in the past year. I transitioned into a sales job with CII and after about a year I determined that sales wasn't my cup of tea. So I took a job with the state as a vocational instructor at Washington CI. That job is working out well despite the fact I have to drive 70 miles round trip. Those of you who know me well know teaching is my passion. I feel we have each been given unique knowledge and skills and are tasked to use it to better our society and also to pass it on to others so they can do the same. With that being said, each of you has unique knowledge of different radio subjects and I'm asking you to pass that knowledge on to others any way you can. But may I suggest that an effective way to do that is to volunteer to present a program at one of our regular club meetings. We already have a few programs lined up but there are still plenty of openings available. Well, I look forward to what promises to be a productive year for us. Talk to you on the air. 73

Gary, WW4JDO

YOU MIGHT BE A HAM IF

1. Your wife said "Let's go see Aunt Anna." and you thought she said "Let's go see the antenna."
2. Your wife said "Could you cut the grass?" and you thought she said "Could you pound the brass?"
3. Your wife said "We've been invited to breakfast." and you thought she said "We've been invited to the ham fest."
4. Your wife said "Something is wrong with the check book" and you thought she said "Something is wrong with the log book."
5. Your wife said "Is my seam straight?" and you thought she said, "Is my beam straight?"
6. Your wife said "Would you open this box up?" and you thought she said "You can go to the fox hunt."

Then again, you might be hard of hearing too!!

HAPPINES IS A NEW HF RIG

I've heard a couple of our club members got new HF rigs recently. As you look around you will recognize them, they're the ones with the big smiles on their faces. What could be more exciting than a new rig? Not much. Enjoy guys. ☺