

ARPSC Meeting 11-15-2021 – (24 in attendance)

- Silver Bells Discussion:
 - Setup will start around 2pm
 - Parking will be in lot behind FS#1
 - Concerns about camera at library views – there will be some more fine tuning of camera setups talking with Lansing EM
 - Talk about getting power – two vehicles have 110V power in the bed
 - Needs for this event: Chair, Food, Beverage, Warm Clothing (hand warmers), well charged radio on 146.94, fall back on 146.70

- WinLink Training Discussion:
 - Monday Dec 13th will be a training on WinLink utilizing the 145.39 and Zoom
 - This will be the only planned ARPSC activity in December because of the holidays
 - The scheduled December WinLink exercise has been moved to January due to conflicts over the holidays
 - Looking into hosting additional troubleshooting sessions between December 13th and the January ARPSC training net. Details will be added to basecamp and or the website.
 - SARTOPO was brought up as a tool to plot stations in the exercise
 - The plan for the January exercise is to talk to people with RMS nodes to see which local nodes are operational and which notes people can reach
 - Stations could experiment with reaching a node on HF
 - Talk about plan from Randy:
 - A WinLink exercise is being planned for the January 17th ARPSC meeting
 - This exercise will be in two parts:
 - Part 1: stations will connect to the RMS server to send a message and get email back
 - Part 2: Stations will go peer to peer on simplex and get a response from the RMS server
 - The January 10th ARPSC Training Net will be available for troubleshooting before the exercise
 - More planning and information will be made available through Basecamp

- December 7th SET involving Ingham County and Lansing EOCs
 - Ingham County and Lansing EOCs will be participating in a Simulated Emergency Test, and are willing to have the amateur radio equipment in each EOC tested.
 - This is a Tuesday and during the normal work day. Any members that would be willing to help out are to contact Jim Hannahs.

- Current List-Serv status:
 - The list-serv for ARPSC and CMARC are both having issues with Outlook/Hotmail - this is resulting in delayed or unsent messages to Outlook/Hotmail users
 - Jeff mentions to feel free to use Basecamp as a platform to pass messages to the group

- February CMARC Meeting: Bob Heil of Heil Microphones
 - Bob Heil will attend on Zoom so that in person and Zoom attendees can both hear Bob Heil's presentation

- LCDRA meeting will be on November 18th