

The News

Hot Springs Amateur Radio Club



Field Day Field Day 2023

The beginning of Field Day 2023 in Edgemont, South Dakota started out cloudy, with a light mist and breeze. First equipment to arrive was with Lyle (KEOYBO), bringing a trailer with the generators, extendable tower and an antenna to the empty lot next to the Edgemont City Park.

Ernie (WOHP) set up an extendable pole antenna and HF rig connected to a battery.

A little later Phil (WOFUI) arrived with the trailer from Fall River Emergency Management Operations. We began by placing steel pads on the ground and stabilizer jacks around the trailer.

Newsletter & Highlights

Next Radio Club Meeting Tuesday July 11, at 6:30 PM. Ham Up!

Class Instruction: Make A Directional Antenna with Phil and Billy.

Class 1 - show and tell list.

Class 2 - Build an antenna.

**Buffalo Roundup
*Special Event
Are you interested?**



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Hot Springs Amateur Radio Club Field Day June
24th - 25th



We secured the tower trailer to the ground with steel cables and attached them to steel stakes that we pounded into the ground! After that we unloaded the antenna, assembled it and attached to the tower on the trailer.



AREA NETS

HSARC Round Table Net
Thursday at 7PM
Battle Mountain
Repeater
146.7000

Tri-State Emergency WX
Net
Nightly at 9PM
N.Hills Linked Repeaters
146.8500

SDLink Net
Wednesday at 8:00 PM
N.Hills Linked Repeaters
146.8500

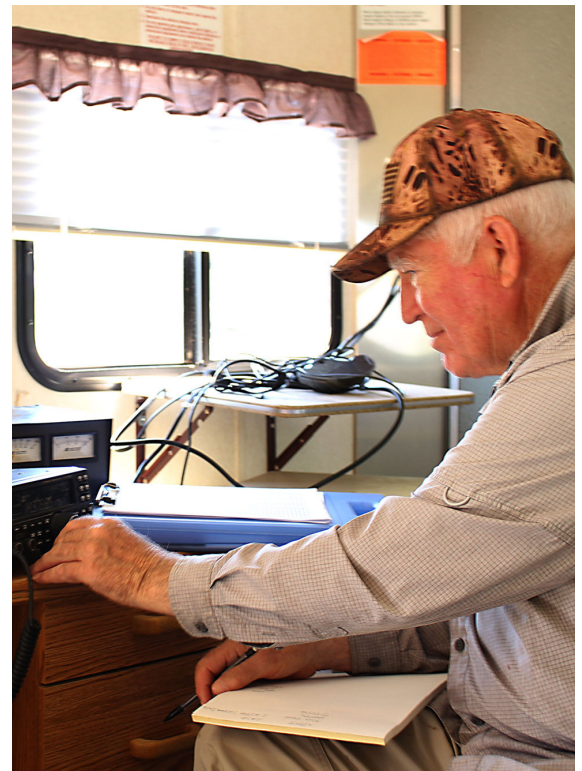




We placed the HF radio, antenna tuner and materials in the EM trailer. Then, connected coax cables and power cords to the equipment and raised the tower with the antenna to about 25 feet high.

It wasn't long and we were making contacts around the nation and in person at the event. Quite a few people interested in ham radio stopped by, looked around and asked questions.

Saturday and Sunday Field Day 2023 was a good success all around. Long distance contacts were made, local friendship started and reinforced. All equipment returned. 73 Everyone!



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