

Amateur Radio Repeater Net Report

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Net Name

Hortonville Who Knows What Net

Net Date

7/2/2026

Scheduled Start

20:00 (08:00 PM)

Rptr Call

K9EOC

Rptr Outputs

443.950

PL Tone

77 Hz

Net Control

W9KD

End Time

08:45 PM

Net Topics

Field Day Review

Questions/Comments

Description: To promote discussion on various topics in amateur radio, spread awareness of events in the amateur radio community and to provide a line of communication for all buy/sell/trade deals.

Net Items Discussed (or Included here from previous Nets)

Net Report Details

About This Net - -

This net meets every Thursday at 8:00 PM using the Hortonville UHF Repeater. You do not need to be a member of any specific club or group to participate in this net. Amateur radio operators from any location are welcome to Check-In and participate in any and all net discussions.

This net is geared *slightly* towards newer HAMs, and one of it's primary purposes is to help newcomers by presenting information in the form of discussion topics, and to attempt to answer questions. This is **one reason why** it's called the **"Who Knows What"** net. Please Join in, and find out "Who Knows What!"

Club News / Updates

Upcoming Club Activities

Next CIARA Club Meeting:

No Meeting in July!

Next meeting is 2nd Saturday in August.

We are meeting for breakfast before the meeting at Perkins in Noblesville at 6:15 AM.

You do not have to be a CIARA member to attend breakfast or the meeting.

And, If you're interested in joining ARES, Amateur Radio Emergency Service, please contact Mike at KD9BKU@gmail.com

Piglets Monthly Meeting:

Mon. Jul. 20th. - Wolfie's Grill - Carmel (1162 Keystone Way, Carmel, IN 46032)

Meeting starts at 6:30 pm and most folks show up around 6:00.

A little bit of Meeting and a decent helping of shooting the breeze. :)

You do not need to be a member to attend.

Hortonville "Who Knows What?" Net

Next net is Jul. 9th. Net Control is John (W9KD)

Topic Moderator is Robert (KD9MAK) and the topic is:

Introduction to Artificial Intelligence, and **how to use it.**

And, Don't miss the following week (Jul. 16th) when Net Control is Dan (WD9DAN)

and the Round Table topic is: Something that happened to you (*or near you*)

that was quite: **Humorous, or Strange that you never forgot.**

Something that others might get a kick out of hearing about.

Net Items Discussed (or Included here from previous Nets)**Discussion of Topic(s)****Field Day Review****Piglets Field Day:**

Worked as 2A (2 transmitters on Battery Power) - plus a GOTA Station.

Each station had a Yaesu FT-DX10

One had a Spiderbeam Yagi and a Doublet antenna

Secone station had a Doublet and a Vertical.

The GOTA station was a Yaesu FT-710 using a Chameleon Tactical Delta Loop.

Additionally there was a Satellite station.

There was brief threat of lightning so coaxes were unplugged for a short time, but operations resumed pretty soon thereafter.

All stations used N3FJP logging software and all stations were connected via Ethernet to the logging software so that each station could see what the other stations had logged.

QSO Count of 1941 for N9BCN

QSO Count of 182 for KD9YPY

Total QSO's of 2123 over a 24 Hr Period.

(There may be a few less after the logs are checked, but pretty good over-all...!)

8631 Points overall

Additionally W9KD and WD9DAN were approached by an old man who did not look familiar, but he turned out to be a fellow ham (now 80 years old) that we both knew over 20 years ago.

It was so nice to see him again, and he was very happy to find us there as well...!

So, you never know who you will run into at field day.

CIARA Field Day (Went Well):

Even though we lost our planned location just a week or so before field day, *and a few of us showed up at 5:00 AM to make sure we could snag a good shelter*, it turned out very well in the log run. And, **we did manage to snag a really good shelter.**

Special thanks to the Club directors that showed up really early.

Steve **KD9HOC**

Ron **WA4EZF**

Paul **KA9SDQ**

also thanks to:

Matthew **KD9WFK** for cooking all the burgers and dogs

And a lot of thanks to Dallas **N9DAM** and Andy **W9AHW** for making a ton of contacts and staying late

Reportedly the Food was great and the Shelter was good sized!

It really turned out to be a great Field Day with all the people that showed up and even the weather cooperated with us.

Buy/Sell/Swap/Want**Nothing for Now**

Stay Tuned:

Please Consider***Become a Net Control Operator***

One of the purposes of this net is to help others learn how to be a net control.

And, we REALLY Want and Need new Net Control Operators!

You don't have to feel self-conscious, because if you stumble, we'll be there to help!

If you are interested in learning how to run this net, please let us know. We need additional new net control operators. No experience is necessary, we will train you on the this net.

We can also assist with callsign logging for your first few nets. Gaining radio experience by running a net will give you more confidence using the radio during an emergency, allow you to assist at the EOC during Storm Ops and will make you a better radio communicator.

Email John, w9kd@aol.com, Alex, ac9xk@pigletradio.org or Mike, KD9BKU@Gmail.com.

Net Participants (Check-Ins) Compiled By: WD9DAN

Call Sign	Name	Last Name	City	Check-In Time	Mobile /Base	Short Time	Roll Call	Chk-In Type
W9KD	John	Gooldy	Noblesville	08:00:00 PM	Base	☐	Net Control	Net Prep
WD9DAN	Dan	Noland	Carmel	08:00:12 PM	Base	☐	Net Assist/Report	Net Prep
KE9EJF	Matt	Camacho	Noblesville	08:04:01 PM	Portable	☒	Checked In	Requested
AD9KT	Kim	Taylor	Westfield	08:04:34 PM	Portable	☐	Checked In	Roll Call
KD9SZF	Pat	Taylor	Westfield	08:04:35 PM	Portable	☐	Checked In	Roll Call
K9DRU	Drew	Thomas	Fishers	08:04:55 PM	Base	☐	Checked In	Roll Call
K9JAD	John	Dissauer	Westfield	08:10:04 PM	Base	☐	Checked In	Suffix
KD9BKU	Mike	Hume	Noblesville	08:05:09 PM	Base	☐	Checked In	Roll Call
KD9TCL	Lester	Trotter	Indianapolis	08:11:15 PM	Base	☐	Checked In	Suffix
KE9CYO	Paula	Steele-Payn	Indianapolis	08:15:20 PM	Portable	☐	Checked In	Suffix
KE9EEE	Jim	Kiefer	Fishers	08:06:28 PM	Portable	☐	Checked In	Roll Call
KE9EIG	David	Petroni	Carmel	08:06:53 PM	Base	☐	Checked In	Roll Call
KG5LAO	Jeff	Hull	Fishers	08:10:26 PM	Portable	☐	Checked In	Suffix
N9QML	Andrew	Wilson	Noblesville	08:07:34 PM	Base	☐	Checked In	Roll Call
W9AHW	Andy	Wickham	Westfield	08:08:01 PM	Base	☐	Checked In	Roll Call
W9DWT	Dave	Sheean	Indianapolis	08:09:26 PM	Base	☐	Checked In	Suffix
W9GPH	Gregory	Hartman	Indianapolis	08:08:32 PM	Mobile	☐	Checked In	Roll Call
KD9HOC	Steve	McQueen	Carmel	08:40:08 PM	Base	☐	Late Chk-In	Requested

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