The Hellgate Static

June 2026

Hellgate Amateur Radio Club
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Officers:

President: NZ7S
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Treasurer: KJ7YHG
Secretary: K7MSO

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W7XT, K0SN, K7QA, K7MTD, N7NHS
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AD-HOC Club Librarian:
K7MTD

HARC June Meeting Program:

Discussing Field Day

RADIO; TESTING EXAMS AND MEETING

The testing and meeting are on the 2nd Thursday of each Month.
We are having in-person, electronic testing and monthly meetings.
The Radio license Exams are from 5:30-6:30PM.

Meetings start at 7:00PM and may last till 9:00PM depending on Program & Business.

Both will be held at:
The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, 3026 South Avenue West,
across the street from Big Sky High School.

Use the North entrance as all others will be locked.

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HARC Testing & Attendance

14 May 2026 Testing

Congratulations to:

1. None – No one registered for testing in May.

14 May 2026 Attendance

Attendance: N7PAS, KK7BIP, K7MSO, KJ7PCR, NZ7S, K7INS, KM7BQB, KC7YGH, N7GE, AG7FH, AI7F, KJ7YHG, K0SN, W7XT.

Visitors: Jeff Bosch KF0CSJ, Jason Hodkin W6IDK,

NOTE: 14 Members / 2 Visitors.

Hellgate Amateur Radio Club Meeting Minutes

14 May, 2026

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Last meeting's minutes (Dec):  Approved

Treasurer's Report:  Approved

Repeater Committee Report: No report.

HF Committee Report: Equipment photos coming soon to club web site.

Forestry Days at Fort Missoula
- Well attended.  K0SN and K7BQQ each brought a POTA antenna.

Club Facebook Group:  Posting event photos.

Club banner - N7NHS is working on this

The Static needs a new editor.  No one volunteered to replace KK7RWD, who has been the
editor for the last year.

Presentation
KJ7PCR demonstrated running the iFTX app for FT8 using (1) a Baofang HT with iPhone and
(2) an FT891 with a tablet.  He was able receive an FT8 signal inside the meeting room
with a wire antenna on the floor!

Wednesday Night Net Ops:
20 May K7BWW
27 May KM7DVR
10 Jun K7MSO
17 Jun KM7BQB
24 Jun KC7YGH
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Editor Wanted

KK7RWD has been editor of The Static for the past year and is ready to hand it off to someone else

HELLGATE AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
AGENDA – 11 June 2026

PROGRAM:

Meeting called to order at 7:__ PM **(11 needed for business)**
Introductions. Please make sure you signed the attendance sheet Quorum Y/N ____

Last meeting minutes, May: _____ Motion to approve minutes: 1St_____ 2nd_____
Discussion _____ Vote: P/F/T

Treasurer's report: KJ7HYG, _____Motion to approve report: 1St _____2nd _____
Discussion_____ _ Vote: P/F/T

Repeater Committee Report: W7RPG, _____Motion to approve report: 1St _____2nd _____
Discussion_____ _ Vote: P/F/T

HF Committee Report: K0SN, _____Motion to approve report: 1St_____2nd_____
Discussion _____ Vote: P/F/T

Events for 2026:

HARC Net every Saturday morning @ 9:00 AM on 147.040 Repeater – Buy/Sell – During.

HARC Discussion List

1. . _____
2. . _____
3. . _____

VHF Net Control Station assignments:

June	03	N7PAS	July	01	?_____
June	10	K7MSO	July	08	?_____
June	17	KM7BQB	July	15	?_____
June	24	KC7YGH	July	22	?_____
			July	29	?_____

Reminder: Backup is always the next person in line as the net control.

Good and Welfare.

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***** Next Club meeting: July 09 2026**

Is there any other business?

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_____ **Meeting Adjourned at _:__ PM.**

June 2026

Hellgate Amateur Radio Club

Calendar of Events

Board: NZ7S, W7RPG, KJ7THG, K7MSO

Editor – KK7RWD

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2 Digital Net (C4FM) 7PM-8PM 146.900	3 ERC Net 7:30 on 146.900-88.5T BARC Net 8:15 on 146.720-203.5T HARC Net 9:00 on 147.040-No Tone	4	5	6 HARC Saturday Net 9:00AM on 147.040 Repeater.
7	8	9 Digital Net (C4FM) 7PM-8PM 146.900	10 ERC Net 7:30 on 146.900-88.5T BARC Net 8:15 on 146.720-203.5T HARC Net 9:00 on 147.040-No Tone	11 HARC Testing 5:30 & Meeting 7:00PM	12	13 HARC Saturday Net 9:00AM on 147.040 Repeater
14	15	16 Digital Net (C4FM) 7PM-8PM 146.900	17 ERC Net 7:30 on 146.900-88.5T BARC Net 8:15 on 146.720-203.5T HARC Net 9:00 on 147.040-No Tone	18	19	20 HARC Saturday Net 9:00AM on 147.040 Repeater
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