



eNEWS - JUNE, 2007

eNEWS is "what's happening" in North Fulton! Check the headlines of each item and mark your calendar. Always be on the lookout for a way **YOU** can help on these activities/events. For news outside our area, read ARRL.org or eHAM.net! Here's your North Fulton ARL eNEWS for June.

Summary of upcoming events and dates (for those who are so busy they don't have time to read the entire eNEWS)!

Every Wednesday - Hungry Hams Lunch Bunch - 11:45 AM - Slopes BBQ

Every Sunday - NF ARES net - 7:30PM - 145.47 Mhz

Every Friday - NFARL Techs on Ten Net - 9 PM - 28.470 Mhz

North Fulton ARES meeting - Tuesday - June 19 - 6:30PM

NFARL June meeting - Tuesday, June 19 - 7:30 PM

Field Day - Saturday - June 23 - Setup 8AM - Family Picnic - 6PM - Op: 2PM

NFARL July meeting - Tuesday - July 17 - 7:30 PM - Program: How to QSL from A to Z!

Huntsville Hamfest - August 18 & 19 - NFARL will have a table - **FIELD TRIP!**

ARES Meeting - June 19 - 6:30 PM - Tom Koch, W4UOC, Emergency Coordinator for North Fulton, has called an Amateur Radio Emergency Service meeting for Tuesday before our regular meeting. Every ham is welcome. See: <http://www.nfares.org/> Did you know that the No. Fulton ARES **net** meets on 145.47 each Sunday at 7:30PM? Everyone check in and meet your ARES members/leaders. Give back a little (or a lot) to this great hobby - join ARES!

Regular Club Meeting - June 19 - 7:30 PM - Pete Riker, K4BKD, is our speaker. Pete, who was featured in the [February QST](#), will be speaking on the joys of Morse Code and will take us on a tour of his telegraph key collection. We'll also spend some time finalizing our Field Day plans. Location: Behind **Alpharetta Fire Station #1** at **2970 Webb Bridge Road**. Directions: <http://tinyurl.com/yhd25e> As you know, we are getting 35-40 at the meetings so **throw in a folding camp chair** if you have one. **Door prizes- Toys for Techies - Bring good, clean items to give away as door prizes.**



Hungry Hams Lunch Bunch each Wednesday @11:45 - Members are congregating at the Slope's BBQ on Crossville Road each. Come join us. Bring a friend. Slope's is just EAST of Crabapple Road on Crossville in Roswell.

Field Day 2007 - June 23/24 - We're homing in on this year's FD. Like the "old" days it will be at [Waller Park Extension](#) off OXBO. The theme is **Fun, Family, and oh yes, Field Day**. We'll begin setup at 8AM on Saturday. Operating runs from 2PM Saturday to 2PM Sunday. We'll have phone, cw and PSK31 stations going. Work a little,

work a lot - there is FOOD for all at 6PM on Saturday and you don't have to bring a thing except your appetite and your family/friends!! Contact kc4ybo@nfarl.org if you would like to help and/or operate OR **especially if you plan to come to the picnic**. Mark your calendar and sign up at the meeting this month for a time slot and to be on a team to help. If you plan to operate, download the software we plan to use. It's N3FJP FD software. [Download it here](#). Practice with it for FREE! We'll also show it at the meeting on the 19th.

ARC Hamfest - June 2 - Team Leader Lee, AF4IA, pulled off another great event for NFARL. You who volunteered are to be congratulated. The club sold over \$150 worth of **NFARL Nuggets 2007** and gained six new members or renewals. As info, the CD contains over 400 megs of fun stuff in several aspects of ham radio and is our club fund raiser for this year. If you do not have your copy, come to the hamfest - it is \$5 for club members and \$10 for others. If you would like one mailed, you could send the money to **N4CLA** but just come to the meeting to pick yours up! For a summary of what is on the CD, check out the files section of the [NFARL yahoo groups files](#).

Joining our Yahoo list - You're probably already signed up if you're getting this but in case you're not, here's how to be a part of the NFARL mailing list. Send a message with your name and callsign in the body to: nfarl-subscribe@yahoogroups.com Now if you would also like to read the archives online, see projects from club members, etc, you may go to <http://groups.yahoo.com/group/nfarl/> and click the **JOIN THIS GROUP** in upper right, and just follow the instructions from there. Come on, join the group. You don't have to be a member of NFARL to join the group. We would like to thank those of you that have become NFARL-YAHOO members.

Membership - With N4CLA in Africa, I'm not sure how many members we have right now, but we want a hundred before year's end. This will take initiatives on a number of fronts - old members to renew, telling others you know about the club (we have a small business card you should carry to give out which you can pick up at the meetings), bring a friend to the meeting, invite someone to the lunch bunch. In all, we need your help to **Hit A Hundred!**

Feedback - Have some news? Did you upgrade? Get a new callsign? Any new hams out there - let us know at info@nfarl.org Need to contact us?

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Club Repeater - 145.47 (-.6) - No Tone! Backup - MATPARC - 145.41 (same setup)