







Radio Operators Class



American Red Cross

Yolo County Chapter



Yolo County ARES



Berryessa Amateur Radio Klub- BARK



Yolo Amateur Radio Society









Class Overview

- Part 1 Getting started
- Part 2 Hands on stations
- Part 3 Mentor Assignments& Course Evaluation





Getting started



Introductions



Getting your first radio



Understanding the lingo of the manuals...













Getting Your First Radio

- HT, Mobile, or Base station?
- Features to look for...















Understanding the Lingo in the Manual

Learning the *Lingo* to program your radio

- Simplex & Repeater Operation
- VFO & Memory Operation
- Frequency Selection
- Squelch
- Repeater offset
- Setting the PL or CTCSS Tone









Radio Groups in Yolo County

Berryessa Amateur Radio Klub - BARK



- Web site: www.bark2m.com
- Net: Every TUESDAY at 07:30 PM,
 146.97MHz, negative offset, PL 123.0Hz



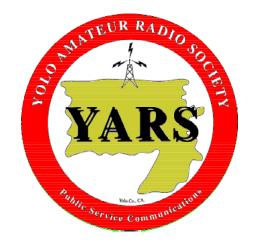






Radio Groups in Yolo County

Yolo Amateur Radio Society



- Web site: www.yars.org
- Net: Every Monday at 8:30 PM,
 147.000 MHz, negative offset, PL 136.5 Hz



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Hands-on stations...

Each station will have a 15 minute presentation, with a five minute break between stations.

- Station #1- Powerpoles Batteries, and Power Supplies
- Station #2- Setting up a mobile Rig and assembling a "Go Kit"
- Station #3- Antennas: J-pole, Vertical antenna, Coax & Mag Mounts
- Station #4- Talk on the RADIO! Overview of Net Control Functions and a visit to the ARC-RRT/ ARES Radio Room
- Station #5- Show and Tell Red Cross Emergency Communications Response Vehicle- ECRV









Finishing up...

- Mentor Assignments
- Course Evaluation