Before we proceed with traffic, here is the information on the York County clubs:

1. The **Hilltopper Transmitting Association** meets on the **first Tuesday** of the month at 7:30 PM at the Little Red School House on Main Street Extended in Felton. The Hilltoppers host The Spikes and Frogs Net on the 146.865 repeater (PL 123.0) on Wednesday evenings at 7:30 PM. The subject matter will be anything on the subject of railroads.

## 2. KEYSTONE VHF CLUB

The **Keystone VHF Club** meets on the **first Thursday** evening of each month at 7 PM Meeting locations from October through April will be at the 911 Center, 120 Davies Dr., York; and from May to September at their clubhouse on Deinginer Rd. near Rocky Ridge Park.

The Club hosts a **Digital Data net** meets for one hour or slightly longer on this repeater beginning at 6:30 PM Tuesday evening practicing with digital modes and slow scan TV. This net will not be held on the third Tuesdays of the month. The **Elmer Net** has returned under a new format. It will be a zoom session only and will be scheduled to follow the Digital Data net at 8:00 PM.

The **Laurel VE Group** requires pre-registration for their exams hosted by the Keystone VHF Club held on the second Saturday of the odd months at 10 AM at the York County 911 Center, 120 Davies Drive. The first exam for 2022 should be held on Jan 8, then followed by Mar. 12, May 14, July 9, Sept. 10, and Nov. 12. Email *ralph.brandt @comcast.net*.

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# 3. SOUTHERN PENNSYLVANIA COMMUNICATIONS GROUP

The **Southern Pennsylvania Communications Group** meets on the **first Saturday** of the month. The meetings will be held at the Borough building, 35 W. Railroad Ave., Shrewsbury. The Saturday morning 8 AM breakfast sessions have returned. Please check on the 146.700 repeater (PL 114.8) for its location.

**VE exams** will be sponsored by **SPCG** on the second Saturday of even months at 9:30 AM, at the Shrewsbury Borough Building, 35 W. Railroad Ave., Shrewsbury. Exam sessions in 2022 will be held Feb. 12, Apr. 9, June 11, Aug. 13, Oct. 8, and Dec 10. Registration is not required, but it's nice to know who's coming. Contact Virginia Moore, N3LZS at 717-252-1694; or email WN3I @comcast.net.

### 4. PENN- MAR RADIO CLUB

The **Penn-Mar Club** holds their in person meetings at the Saint Mark Lutheran Church, 129 Charles St., Hanover, on the **second Thursday** of the month at 7:30 PM. Their net is Tuesday evenings at 8 pm on the 147.33 repeater. Following this net, they often move to 146.55 simplex for further discussions. They also invite you to their 10 meter NET on Friday at 8:00 PM on 28.495 MHz.

Now on to Stations bringing traffic to the net:

[After traffic has been passed, call for additional stations or comments before proceeding.]

#### TRAINING:

[ present any training scheduled for this date. If none is scheduled, ask]

Has anyone has prepared and ready to present a brief training topic?

[If there is no training, continue with the following.]

### Other activities of interest to are hams include:

The **York Amateur Radio Club** is scheduled to meet on the **second Tuesday** of each month from September to May at 7:30 PM at the Red Cross Building on South George St. in York. Status of this group is unknown.

The **YARS Committee** meets on the **third Wednesday** of each month at the York County EOC, 120 Davies Drive. Meetings start at 7:00 PM.

The **York Co. REACT TEAM is** meeting on the 4th Tuesday of each month at 7:30 PM at the Shrewsbury Township EOC, 11505 S. Susquehanna Trail (entrance is around back). **REACT** holds a GMRS NET on Monday evenings at 9 PM on the 462.675 MHZ repeater in Shrewsbury, with a tone of 141.3. A GMRS license is required to participate.

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**Red Rose Laurel VE Testing**, will be returning to Thaddeus Stevens main campus on King Street Lancaster, with the first exam session on Jan. 15 at 11:30 AM. Pre-registration preferred. Please contact Jason Benedick, W3PC, via e-mail: **jason @W3PC.net**. Additional testing sessions will be on Mar. 19, May 21, July 16, Sept. 17 and Nov. 19.

The Cross Keys Village Amateur Radio Club in New Oxford also hosts VE Exams on the third Saturday of the odd months at 9:30 AM. For 2022, they are held on Jan. 15, Mar. 19, May 21, July 16, Sept. 17, and Nov. 19<sup>th</sup>. Because the locations may vary within Adams county it is important to preregister for the exam. The VE Team email address for EXAM REGISTRATION is: *ckvarc.ve.team* @gmail.com and the registration form can be found at https://www.w3kgn.org by clicking on VE Examinations in the left menu.

Please be advised that face masks and social distancing requirements may still apply at the discretion of the host group, and locations may need to be changed.

[return to net script for CLOSING THE NET.]

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