8-11-2014 News Release:

HAM Radio Class

Walpole Emergency Management, Emergency Communication Group is offering Radio Amateur Technician Class licensing class. This class is open to all. There is no cost for this class, however students are responsible for obtaining a copy of the "Ham Radio Lessening Manual 3rd Edition". This manual may be obtained from the following: ttp://www.arrl.org/shop/Ham-Radio-License-Manual-3rd-Edition/, Ham Radio Outlet and at other locations.

Should you be interested in communications, computers and a wide variety of digital modes, making contact with fellow HAMS around the world, Public Safety and helping to provide communications during public safety events, disasters or just experimenting with electronic this may just be the stepping stone for you.

This program opens the door to the world of Amateur Radio and the Technician Class License is the entry point. This class covers along with the licensing manual all of the information required to preparing for the FCC 35 question exam.

This course will be held Saturday morning 9:30 AM to 12:00 (noon) for six (6) weeks beginning September 6, 2014 and ending October 11th.

The location of the class room in Walpole will be provided with classes information prior to the start of the class.

Upon completing the class, FCC exam will be conducted on Thursday Oct 16 at 7:30 PM at the Canton EMA Emergency Operations Center training room located at 99 Revere Street in Canton Mass. FCC HAM exams are routinely offered by the EMARG (Eastern Massachusetts Amateur Radio Group), a local Volunteer Examining group. The cost for the exam is \$15 collected at the time of exam.

Preregistration is required: by contacting Roger Turner wlp1ema@aol.com or Don Rolph AB1PH@arrl.net

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