

The Pacific Northwest's Largest Amateur Radio Convention "Sand, Surf and Radios..."

Online SEA-PAC Registration Closes on May 26, 2022 at 11:59PM

To Register, go the SEA-PAC website and click on the "Register" tab on the left side of the homepage

- Registration is <u>only</u> online and in-person
 - Mail-in registration is no longer available
 - You can register online through the SEA-PAC website or at the Registration Desk at the convention
- All convention document packets will be "Will Call"
 - Convention documents (badge, Workshop, Banquet tickets, etc.) will <u>not</u> be mailed
 - Your convention documents will be waiting for you at the Registration "Will Call" Desk at the convention
- Note: Tickets for the Workshops, SEA-PAC Banquet, DX & YL Luncheons and the VIP Reception are only available through online Registration and will not be sold at the door



IMPORTANT 2022 SEA-PAC REGISTRATION INFORMATION

- Your \$10 online adult admission is valid for both Saturday and Sunday
- The student rate for ages 13-17 is only \$5
- Children 12 and under, admission is FREE with a paid adult admission.
- Adult admission at the door is \$15.
- Bring the family for a great vacation on the Oregon coast.
 The Seaside Convention Center is only a short walk to the beach, downtown Seaside and many area hotels.
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Seaside Hotels Reservations Still Available

Seaside hotels are still offering SEA-PAC rates, so make your reservations now. You need to call the hotel and ask to get the special SEA-PAC rate. A list of Sponsor Lodging is available on the https://www.seapac.org web site.



2022 SEA-PAC QSO Party

The 2022 SEA-PAC QSO Party will be the weekend before SEA-PAC, on Saturday, May 28, 2022

Contest Objective:

To encourage Radio Amateurs in the Pacific Northwest and beyond to work as many stations as possible in celebration of our returning annual SEA-PAC Ham Convention, past and future. The format and scoring is intended to reward and encourage the new and casual operator who may not be an active contester. Categories reflect requested modes from 2021. To be held one week prior to the 2022 "In-Person" SEA-PAC Ham Convention". Join our 3nd annual SEA-PAC QSO Party for a "Ham-tastic" time on the airwaves! Hope to see you in person at this year's in-person Convention.

More information is available on the SEA-PAC website under the Special Events tab https://www.seapac.org



2022 SEA-PAC Collector Pin



Ellen Norris's, KJ7EDN, winning SEA-PAC pin design will be available to add to your collection at the Registration desk, at the convention, for only \$5.

Previous year's pins will also be available for \$5, while supplies last.



ARRL CEO David Minster, NA2AA, will be SEA-PAC Banquet's Keynote Speaker



ARRL CEO, David Minster, NA2AA, will be the keynote speaker for the 2022 Gala SEA-PAC Banquet.

Dave is sure to bring fresh insight into the inner workings of the ARRL and entertaining stories of his life in ham radio.

2022's Gala SEA-PAC Banquet will be Saturday evening, June 4th at the Seaside Convention Center.

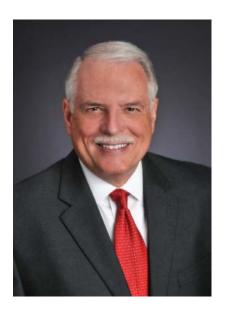
Entrée choices are Sirloin Steak or Salmon.

The cost is \$40 each and is limited to 300.

Banquet tickets will only be available through online Registration, no tickets will be sold at the convention



ARRL President Rick Roderick, K5UR, will be Attending SEA-PAC 2022



As he did in 2019, (our last in person SEA-PAC) Rick Roderick, K5UR, ARRL President will be attending. Rick, along with all the ARRL guests, will be available to talk to at the ARRL Booth, ARRL Forum The VIP Reception and at the Banquet.

Rick will be joined in Seaside by a large contingent of ARRL dignitaries;

- David Minster, NA2AA, ARRL CEO
- Mike Ritz, W7VO, NWD Director
- Mark Tharp, K7HDX, NWD Vice Director
- Josh Johnston, KE5MHV, ARRL Director of Emergency Management
- Bob Inderbitzen, NQ1R, ARRL Director of Public Relations and Innovation
- Kathleen Callahan, KC1MBY, ARRL Director of Membership, Marketing, and Communication
- Carl Luetzelschwab, K9LA, Director, Central Division
- And 4 of the 6 NW division Section Managers





SEA-PAC VIP Reception for All

SEA-PAC invites all convention attendees to a no-host Reception on Friday, June 3rd at the Seaside Convention Center, from 6:30 - 8:00 PM.

Join us upstairs in the Riverside rooms and socialize with friends, ARRL visitors, our Northwestern Division Director, Vice Director, Section Managers and SEA-PAC Committee members.

Light hors d'oeuvres will be served. Soft drinks, wine and other adult beverages will be available for individual purchase.

The cost is \$24 per person and can only be purchased through online SEA-PAC Registration



YL Luncheon Speaker Barbara Yasson, AC7UH
"Just Say Yes: The fun and benefits of all those ham radio volunteer
experiences"

Barbara was licensed in 1995 as KC7KQI and became an Extra in 2002 with a new call sign, AC7UH. She is a member of YLRL, ARRL, MARAC, and the Clark County Amateur Radio Club. She is past president of the Young Ladies Radio League, past president and secretary of Clark County Amateur Radio Club and MINOW net. Barbara started participating in public service events soon after she was licensed and it immediately became a passion. With a few years' experience she started coordination the communications teams for local events.



Barbara Yasson, AC7UH



Al Rovner, K7AR

DX Luncheon Speaker Al Rovner, K7AR FO/K7AR DXpedition - Austral Islands

Al has been licensed for 51 years and is an active DXer and Contester. Al has a BS degree in Electrical Engineering from Drexel University and an MS degree in Computer Science from Oregon Health Sciences University.

Both Luncheons will be held downstairs in the Shilo Inn Saturday from 11:30AM to 12:45PM

The cost is \$35 per person and can only be purchased through online SEA-PAC Registration



Important SEA-PAC Drawing and Raffle Information, pg 1

SEA-PAC has restructured its Prize Drawings and Raffles to be compliant with all applicable state and federal laws.

- Drawing and Raffle tickets can no longer be sold through online Registration
- Drawing and Raffle tickets can not be sold with a quantity discount
- Bundling Drawing and Raffle tickets with Registration or other convention products is not legal in Oregon

If you registered early, and are 18 years and older, you will have the opportunity to buy one Early Bird Raffle ticket for \$1

All registered attendees, 18 years and older, will have the opportunity to buy one Hourly Raffle ticket for \$1

All registered attendees, 18 years and older, will have the opportunity to buy one or more Major Prize Raffle tickets for \$5 each



Important SEA-PAC Drawing and Raffle Information, pg 2

Please fill out your contact information completely and legibly on your Raffle tickets

- Winners need not be present to win
 - If you win, we will contact you using the information you provided on the ticket
- Each ticket can win only once
 - Winning tickets will not be returned to the ticket drums

Prizes are still being added, but right now we have;

15 prizes for the Early Bird Raffle

Sunday at 2:30PM

111 prizes for the 8 Hourly Raffles

Saturday 10AM, 11AM, Noon, 1PM & 3PM

Sunday 9AM, 10AM & 11AM

54 Major prizes for the 2 Major Raffles

Saturday 2:45PM

Sunday 1PM

More Raffle information is available on the SEA-PAC Website under the Prizes tab



SEA-PAC Workshops, Friday, June 3

DX and Contesting after the Solar Minimum: Improve your DX success with presentations from top DX and Contest hams. Morning talks include: Whys and Hows of FCC RF Exposure Regulations, DX success with low power, and Shack fire: rebuild an ideal ham shack. The afternoon features Carl Luetzelschwab, K9LA, on what to expect from Cycle 25 for DX. \$20, limit 110 seats.

Emergencies Happen. Are you ready?: Are you ready for an emergency in your neighborhood or community? Come learn from some who experienced such events to better prepare. Talks include Results of a wildfire that nuked a community, Whys and Hows of FCC RF Exposure Regulations, Leave now! What to take, Disaster response, ESF2 amateur radio and FEMA, and further disaster operating experiences. \$20, Limit 200 seats.

Build a Balun or Unun: Build a balun or unun (100-watt variety) to improve your station. Learn why you may need one, and the techniques to build you own. Fee covers the parts; we provide the tools to build your own. \$35, limit 20 seats.

<u>Basic Electronics</u>: You will no longer be a newbie after the workshop. Fee \$70 includes thumb drive with software for home study, and a basic multimeter. Bring a laptop if you can do so. Limit 50 seats.

Workshops are on Friday, June 3, additional fee required.

[Note: All Workshops will be on site at the Seaside Convention Center.

https://www.seapac.org



SEA-PAC Seminars, Saturday & Sunday, June 4 & 5

- A total of 38 Seminars are lined up for Saturday from 10AM –
 5:10 PM and Sunday from 10AM Noon
- All Seminars are upstairs in the Convention Center
- A full schedule and description of the Seminars is available on the SEA-PAC under the Seminars tab





ARRL Forum Saturday Morning

Before the Seminars, at 9:30AM Saturday, upstairs, there will be the ARRL Forum with top league leadership, plus Division and Section elected ARRL officials on hand to present the latest news from ARRL and answer your questions.





2022 SEA-PAC Planned Activities

(Partial List)

<u>SEA-PAC QSO Party:</u> the weekend before <u>SEA-PAC</u>, Saturday, May 28, 2022. Watch your email and the <u>SEA-PAC</u> website for details

Radios on the Beach: Join other hams to socialize on the beach, take in the sunset, and either operate or watch others operate on the shores of the Pacific Ocean. Test out the salt water amplifier effect and kick off SEA-PAC with some QSOs. FREE

Wouff Hong: Unfortunately, we were unable to secure the presentation talent needed for the Wouff Hong Ceremony, so we are postponing it until SEA-PAC 2023

DX & YL Luncheons: Join our guest speakers for an entertaining lunch at the Shilo Inn, mid-day Saturday

And don't forget the <u>Flea Market</u>, <u>Manufacturers Midway</u>, <u>Prize Drawings & Raffles</u> and much, much more...

A lot more information is available on the SEA-PAC website https://www.seapac.org



SEA-PAC Volunteers

- Thanks for the enthusiastic response to our Volunteer email Blast earlier this month.
- If you weren't able to respond and are interested in volunteering please email us at volunteers@seapac.org.
- If you're going to be in Seaside on Friday, June 3rd, and/or Sunday afternoon, June 5th, we could really use some help with Exhibitor move in and out.
- Likewise, on Friday, the Flea Market sellers could use some help moving in. And on Saturday, June 4th after 4:30PM and again on Sunday afternoon the Flea Market sellers will need help packing out.
- If you only have an hour or two available during convention hours, consider helping out with Exhibitor Hospitality, Security or the other volunteer opportunities. See the "Volunteering" tab on the https://www.seapac.org home page for more information.
- Each volunteer will receive a free 2022 SEA-PAC Commemorative pin as a thank you gift.





See You in SEASIDE at SEA-PAC 2022 June 3, 4 & 5





