

**Next, this coming week's Local News, which is compiled from verified items which are published on the RSGB's website**

From the beginning of February, only verified current items have been included in the two GB2RS bulletins broadcast on the VHF services (at 09.30 & 10.00) covering Central Scotland. If you want an item to be included, please send it by email to [radcom@rsgb.org.uk](mailto:radcom@rsgb.org.uk) or by contacting your local GB2RS newsreader. To enable verification, items submitted must be new and not merely a copy of an earlier item. The reason behind this action is to eliminate factually incorrect information. We need our news content to be as up to date as possible, so that we can avoid broadcasting old items, which are often well out of date, resulting in presenting ....*fake news*.

Today the *West of Scotland Amateur Radio Society* plan to continue their shack project work in the Kilpatrick hills. Following last week's tower work, today will be concentrate on the VHF side restoring their 14 element Parabeam & Collinear.

Moving on now to the week's meetings.

On Tuesday, the *Dundee Amateur Radio Club* will be having a meeting at their usual venue at the Monikie Scout Hut, Panmure Road, Monikie. For further information, visit their website at [www.dundee-amateur-radio.co.uk](http://www.dundee-amateur-radio.co.uk)

There are three meetings on Wednesday.

Firstly, the *Lothians Radio Society* will be having a practical evening aimed at testing radio equipment. Bring along your equipment for routine RF performance testing including noise figure. This will be at 8pm at the usual venue of the Braid Hills Hotel in Edinburgh. For more information, visit their website [www.lothiansradiosociety.com](http://www.lothiansradiosociety.com)

Secondly, the *Livingston and District Amateur Radio Society* will be holding their weekly meeting between 7 and 9pm at their clubhouse in Station Road, Broxburn. For further information, please contact Phil, GM3ZZA by email to [secretary@ladars.org.uk](mailto:secretary@ladars.org.uk), or by visiting their website at [www.ladars.org.uk](http://www.ladars.org.uk)

And finally on Wednesday - the *Inverness and District Amateur Radio Society* will be having a meeting. For further information, email [Invernessradiosociety@gmail.com](mailto:Invernessradiosociety@gmail.com) or look at their Facebook page.

There are two meetings on Thursday,

Firstly, the *Paisley Amateur Radio Club* will be meeting at the Ferguslie Sports Centre, 106 Blackstoun Road in Paisley. Visitors and new members will be made very welcome. Contact the Club Secretary by email to [gm0pym@gmail.com](mailto:gm0pym@gmail.com) for more information or visit the website [www.parc.radio](http://www.parc.radio)

Also on Thursday, as a part of their 80<sup>th</sup> year celebrations, the *Aberdeen Amateur Radio Society* will be having a talk by Bob Beebe the RSGB's President on *outlining the role of the RSGB and the importance of membership*. Tea and biscuits will be available after the talk. For more information about this Society, visit their website at [www.aars.org.uk](http://www.aars.org.uk)

There are two meetings on Friday,

Firstly, the *West of Scotland Amateur Radio Society* will be holding another '*Tech Night*' with members working on various projects. There will also be a progress report on the on-going work that has been carried out on the Club's Kilpatrick Shack. So far work has progressed on the tower preparing it for the replacement HF Beam. The meeting will open at 8:00pm at the Multicultural Centre, 21 Rose Street, Central Glasgow. For more information, checkout [www.wosars.club](http://www.wosars.club) or email [westofscotlandars@gmail.com](mailto:westofscotlandars@gmail.com).

And finally, the last meeting of the week ... on Friday - the *Ayr Amateur Radio Group* will be meeting from 7:30pm at the Prestwick Community Centre. To find out more details regarding their club's activities and nets, call Derek, MM0OVD on 07428 994 614.

Please note that the afore-mentioned *West of Scotland Amateur Radio Society* also maintains a database of current Scottish amateur radio activities on its website. To have your net and any other Scottish amateur radio club activities listed on the *WoSARS'* website, or to report any changes, please contact Jack GM4COX by email to [gm4cox@gmail.com](mailto:gm4cox@gmail.com)

As usual, submit your up to date items for inclusion in the GB2RS bulletin and Radcom by email to [radcom@rsgb.org.uk](mailto:radcom@rsgb.org.uk)

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**Please note that details of all RSGB-affiliated clubs and societies can be found on the RSGB website, including email addresses and website links where known.**

[Please read the local news items appropriate to the service area of your transmission.]

## NEWS FOR SCOTLAND

Aberdeen Amateur Radio Society has a net on 3.740MHz from 2pm on Sundays and Tuesdays. On Thursday, the Society meets at Oakhill Crescent Lane, Aberdeen AB15 5HY at 7.30pm. For details of the Society's events, visit [aars.uk](http://aars.uk) [secretary@aars.uk](mailto:secretary@aars.uk)

Ayr Amateur Radio Group meets on Friday at 7.30pm in Prestwick Community Centre. For details of the Group's activities and nets, visit [gm0ayr.org](http://gm0ayr.org) Derek, MM0OVD, 0742 899 4614 [derek.secaarg@gmail.com](mailto:derek.secaarg@gmail.com)

Caithness Amateur Radio Society has club nets at 2pm on Wednesdays and Saturdays on 3.740MHz. Nigel, M8HZR, [theimageman@live.co.uk](mailto:theimageman@live.co.uk)

For details of Cockenzie and Port Seton Amateur Radio Club's events and activities, visit [Facebook](#) and [cpsarc.com](http://cpsarc.com)

The DMR Packet Net, a packet radio discussion group, is scheduled each Tuesday at 8pm on DMR BrandMeister Talk Group 235419 or Packet Chat PTRCHAT GB7CQV-11. All those interested in the reestablishment of a RF packet radio network across Regions 1 and 2 and beyond are welcome to join in the net for general packet discussion, news, views and equipment requirements needed to set up an operational RF packet station. For more information contact Brendan via [gm0cqy@gmail.com](mailto:gm0cqy@gmail.com)

Dundee Amateur Radio Club has a digital open net via the GB3AG repeater from 7.30pm on Sundays. Club meetings take place on Tuesdays at the Monikie Scout Hut, Panmure Road, Monikie, DD5 3QA, near to the entrance to Monikie Country Park. On Wednesdays there is an FM net via the GB3AG repeater from 7.30pm. [dundee-amateur-radio.co.uk](http://dundee-amateur-radio.co.uk)

The DV Scotland Phoenix Network hosts several multi-mode nets throughout the week. The current schedule details are listed at [dvsph.net](http://dvsph.net) Don't let the group name put you off as all are welcome to participate, wherever they are located in the world. Information on how to connect, and much more about the group, can be found online at [dvsph.net](http://dvsph.net)

Edinburgh and District Radio Society has a club net operating evening tomorrow, the 23<sup>rd</sup>. Norman, GM1CNH, 07740 946 192

Glenrothes and District Radio Club's Tuesday natter net continues at 7.30pm on 145.425MHz FM. Check-in is open from 7.15pm. Eric, GM4FQE, 01333 450 753

On Wednesday, Inverness and District Amateur Radio Society has a club meeting from 7pm.  
[invernessradiosociety@gmail.com](mailto:invernessradiosociety@gmail.com)

For details of James Clerk Maxwell Radio Society's events, visit the Society's Facebook page or contact Richard, MM1BHO via [QRZ.com](http://QRZ.com) Richard, MM1BHO

On Sundays, Kilmarnock and Loudon Amateur Radio Club has an SSB net on 3,720kHz from 2pm. On Tuesday there will be a meeting at the clubhouse from 7.30pm. [klarcinfo@gmail.com](mailto:klarcinfo@gmail.com)

Kingdom Amateur Radio Society has nets on Sundays, Tuesdays and Fridays from 7pm on 144.750MHz. Steve, MM0SKX, 0771 1059 343

On Mondays, Livingston and District Amateur Radio Society has its weekly net at 7.30pm on 145.575MHz. There is a meeting on Wednesday from 7pm at the clubhouse on Station Road. For details, email [secretary@ladars.org.uk](mailto:secretary@ladars.org.uk) [ladars.org.uk](http://ladars.org.uk)

Lomond Radio Club meets on Thursdays in the club rooms at the John Connolly Centre in Renton at 7.30pm. The Club is also open on Sunday afternoons for general activities and operating. Simon, MM0XME, [mm0xme@outlook.com](mailto:mm0xme@outlook.com)

Wednesday is Rig Test Night of professional equipment for Lothians Radio Society members. Testing will be led by Colin, GM4HWO. For more information, visit [lothiansradiosociety.com](http://lothiansradiosociety.com)  
[events@lothianradiosociety.com](mailto:events@lothianradiosociety.com)

Mid Lanarkshire Amateur Radio Society has a DMR net on Talk Group 23550 from 8pm on Wednesday. The club meeting takes place on Friday from 7pm at Newarthill Community Education Centre, Newarthill. Simon, 2M0LSG, [secretary@mlars.co.uk](mailto:secretary@mlars.co.uk) [mlars.co.uk](http://mlars.co.uk)

Moray Firth Amateur Radio Society has details of its meetings and events on its website. For more information, visit [mfars.club](http://mfars.club)

Paisley Amateur Radio Club meets on Thursdays at the Ferguslie Sports Centre on Blackstoun Road at 7.30pm. The Club also meets for coffee and radio chat most Tuesdays at 10.30am. More details are available from club secretary Graham via [gm0pym@gmail.com](mailto:gm0pym@gmail.com) or at [parc.radio](http://parc.radio)

Stirling Amateur Radio Society meets at its clubhouse in Throsk, FK7 7XY at 7pm on Thursdays. The club is open for projects and operating on Sundays from 10am. For more information, email [secretary@gm6nx.com](mailto:secretary@gm6nx.com)

On Mondays, West of Scotland Amateur Radio Society has a net on 145.475MHz FM from 9pm. The Society's club night takes place on Friday. To have your net listed on the West of Scotland Amateur Radio Society's website, or to report any changes, contact Jack, GM4COX, [gm4cox@gmail.com](mailto:gm4cox@gmail.com) Please also keep GB2RS updated via email to [radcom@rsgb.org.uk](mailto:radcom@rsgb.org.uk) For more information visit [wosars.club](http://wosars.club) Jack, GM4COX, [gm4cox@gmail.com](mailto:gm4cox@gmail.com)

Wigtownshire Amateur Radio Club, together with Dumfries and Galloway RAYNET group, has an open net on GB3DG every day at noon. All are welcome. There is also a net on the GB3DG repeater on Thursdays from 7.15pm, then joining via Zoom from 8pm. The Club has a new meeting place at Springholme Memorial Hall, DG7 3LP.