

GB2RS LOCAL NEWS - 19 July 2026

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

Since the beginning of this year, this local section of this particular GB2RS news bulletin has been compiled from items which are known to be current. However, if you want to access any of the historic material, it is still available on the RSGB's web site at

www.rsgb.org/main/gb2rs If you want to submit an item for this local news section, you can send it to radcom@rsgb.org.uk or by contacting your local GB2RS newsreader (GM3VTB or GM4DTH). To ensure that your item is included in an appropriate broadcast, please remember to add the date.

There are two events taking place next weekend, both specifically linked with the Scouting movement.

The first, which will be held next Saturday, is a *Community Fun Day* hosted by the *Livingston & District ARS* and the *6th West Lothian Scouts* in support of a local children's charity. This will be held between 10 am and 4pm at the Scout Hall and the clubhouse, which are both located at 57 Station Road in Broxburn, If you are a sat-nav user the post code is EH52 5QU.

And the second, this time taking place over the whole of next weekend, is the *Dundee Amateur Radio Club* which will be operating GB2BAJ from the *Blair Atholl Jamborette* which being held at Blair Atholl in Perthshire. At the time this bulletin was prepared, there was no frequency information available

Thirdly, next weekend as participants in the *RSGB IOTA Contest*, the *Cockenzie and Port Seton Amateur Radio Club* will be active from the Isle of Tiree in the Inner Hebrides IOTA reference EU-008. Also taking part will be the *West of Scotland Amateur Radio Society* from the Isle of Bute IOTA reference EU-123. Why not give them a call and don't forget that the IOTA reference for the British mainland is, EU-005

Now the local club news ...

Starting on Tuesday, the *Dundee Amateur Radio Club* will be meeting at the Monikie Scout Hut, Panmure Road, Monikie, which is located in Angus, just north-east of Dundee. For further information, visit their website at www.dundee-amateur-radio.co.uk

We have details of three meetings for Wednesday...

Firstly, the *Lothians Radio Society* will be having a social meeting from 7:30 pm in *Wee Bennet's Bar*, in Morningside in Edinburgh. For further information, visit their website - www.lothiansradiosociety.com

Secondly, the *Livingston and District Amateur Radio Society* will be holding their hybrid weekly meeting between 7 and 9pm at their clubhouse in Station Road, Broxburn in West Lothian. At this meeting they will be completing their preparations for the afore-mentioned Saturday's *Community Fun Day*. For further information, please contact Phil, GM3ZZA by email to secretary@ladars.org.uk or look at their website at www.ladars.org.uk

The third and final meeting on Wednesday ... the *Galashiels and District Amateur Radio Society* will be meeting in the Focus Centre, Livingstone Place, Galashiels at 8pm. To find out more details, contact David, GM0KCN by email to committee@galaradioclub.co.uk

We have details of two meetings for Thursday...

Firstly the *Paisley Amateur Radio Club* will be meeting at the Ferguslie Sports Centre, 106 Blackstoun Road in Paisley. For more information, contact their Club Secretary by email to gm0pym@gmail.com or visit their website www.parc.radio

And the second meeting on Thursday ... the *Aberdeen Amateur Radio Society* will be having CW practice with Graham GM4OBD at 7pm. Following this at 7:30pm, the subject of the meeting will be *Non-Radio Construction*. For more information about this Society, visit their website at www.aars.org.uk

And lastly ... on Friday, a note for members of the *West of Scotland Amateur Radio Society*. Please check the Forum and Website before attending the meeting. The reason is that there is a potential problem with accessing the clubrooms and further information will be published when it becomes available. Their website can be found at www.wosars.club

Once again, a reminder that the *West of Scotland Amateur Radio Society* also maintains a database of current Scottish amateur radio activities on its website. To have your net or details of any other Scottish amateur radio club activities listed on the *WoSARS'* database, or to report any changes, please contact Jack GM4COX by email to *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*

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