

FOR PRESENTATION TO:
WINNIPEG ARES GENERAL MEETING
18 APR 2017

EMERGENCY COORDINATOR

Jeff Dovyak VE4MBQ

CURRENT OPERATIONS:

None (EC is logging in to EMO *WebEOC* several times/day)

UPCOMING OPERATIONS:

- PSE-158 RCAF Run
28 MAY
Coordinated by Craig VE4CDM, deputy is John VE4WX.
- PSE-159 Manitoba Marathon
Amateur Radio briefing location Crescentwood CC
1170 Corydon Ave.
On-line registration via WARC web-site.
Specific radio testing still req'd new Care Centre.
- PSE-160 Parkinson SuperWalk
09 SEP
Coordinated by Dick VE4HK.
- PSE-161 VE4WWO Net Control for CANWARN
On-call 1 week at a time, 0930-1730 or 1730-2130h
15 MAY thru 10 SEP.
- PSE-162 RUN2BELIEVE
10 SEP 5 & 10 K runs, Fort Gibraltar thru The Forks to
Legislature and back. Proceeds to SBH Research Foundation.
Dave VE4DJS will coordinate (Dick VE4HK will assist).
- PSE-163 Camp Zagime 10-11 JUN Birds Hill Park
Coordinated by Richard VE4KAZ.

[IS SCOUTS CANADA COVERING PARK ENTRY FEES?]

RECENT OPERATIONS:

None.

EC not aware of any ARES activation for 2017 Flood Operations.

PREPAREDNESS:

VE4s WPG & VJ will be down approx. 2330h SAT 06 MAY thru 1130h SUN 07 MAY – total power shutdown at the repeater site.

VE4ARS will remain operational until Flood Operations are clearly over.

John VE4WX looking into 2m Kit at 17 Wing (it is owned by DND not ARES).

EC met with WFPS Asst Chief 27 MAR regarding way forward. Suggestion that Wpg ARES should consider combining with another volunteer group. During an incident with City EOC

open, ARES will report thru IT Lead. ARES in EOC to wear city-supplied yellow colored Command Vests (ARES will be under Logistics). Suggestion that City may establish up to three (3) Reception Centres for flood evacuees.

We have traditionally utilized Mobile Kit # 5 for Reception Centre temporary station. EC obtained used Power Supplies for Mobile Kits 6 & 7 in case required at additional Reception Centres.

President & PIO continues developing Mobile Kit # 10 (dual-band mobile). Recently purchased modern, easy to transport dual-band J-Pole antenna.

EC had occasion to utilize fuses from his personal ARES box when fuses for DC supply to ID-1 blew – new set of fuses has been obtained for VE4EOC and VE4EMO.

MISCELLANEOUS

Volunteerism for possible Flood Operations was underwhelming. Offers of “loaner” equipment, particularly Power Supplies & Antennas was pretty good.

GENERAL MEETINGS

16 MAY Jeff Dovyak VE4MBQ CANWARN Net Control Briefing

Nicki Albus VE4MMW booked for 15 AUG General Meeting to present *Emergency Planning – Best Practices for Mass Spectator Events*.

Ed Richardson VE4EAR booked for 17 OCT General Meeting to present on new City of Wpg Trunked Radio System.