HAPPY HALLOWEEN

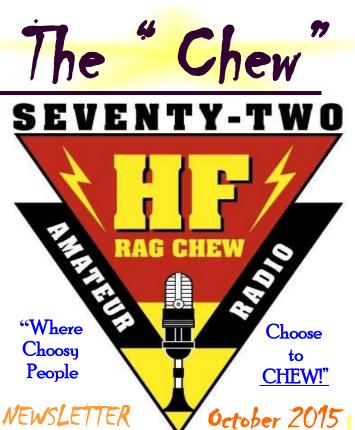
to all friends in our 7.272 Ragchew group, from Gary-KK9DOG and his family.



Trick or Treat!

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NCS tip of the month.

Listen... What's that sound?
It may be a faint station trying to check in.

During times of poor band conditions, ask another station to be a second set of ears and relay in the weaker stations.

The Graveyard Net

How apropos, on Halloween, to report on activities of our friend and fellow NCS, Ed-WA2NDA.

The Graveyard Net meets every day of the year from 6am to 8am Eastern Time on 3.967 MHz.

So stop by this old haunt before our 7.272 net and wave a hand. You may just meet up with Ed or other fine spirits from the Chew.





Our Labor Day Weekend K1R special event has once again been a fantastic success!

Heartfelt thanks to everyone who volunteered to be a Net Control Station during the festivities.
Without your service and



spirit, there would be no Chew!

Certificates are still being made and if you haven't sent in for one, take a few minutes to send me that "SASE":

WA2AYZ-Bob Loberstein 1958 Fast 36

WA2AXZ-Bob Lobenstein 1958 East 36 Street Brooklyn, NY 11234

Please note that the holidays are upon us and K1R will be back on the air, New Year's Day... More to come in future issues of the Chew.

Our 13th Annual Kring Point Gathering

This gathering was started by Tom-KC8QGJ (SK) years ago and has grown steadily year after year. For the past two years, we had to contend

> with soggy weather but were helped with the kindness of Ron and Delores (KC2JGP and KC2KYN) allowing the big group to meet in their garage and the large tents we set up to keep everyone dry. 2016 will be different! The group will be meeting on Saturday, September 17, in the stone pavilion in Kring Point State Park. It is a completely enclosed area with two fireplaces, a large kitchen and beau-

tiful surroundings.

SO with this new facility that can accommodate over 100

people, I am expecting a large showing for our end-of-summer international gathering. Mark the date on your calendar and get ready for a great weekend of Thousand Island hospitality! More to come on this and our annual Dayton gettogether, 2016!

Loby-WA2AXZ.



Our annual picnic-barbeque along the

mighty St. Lawrence Seaway in New York's Thousand Islands brought together, as of last count, 65 fellow hams and their families: members of our sister 1721 (160m) group, the local 2m Rooster Roster. and the Canadian 80m 3730 group, along with members of our 7.272 Ragchew group.



A note from your editor ...

Our monthly newsletter "THE CHEW", contains information about the activities and participants in the 7.272 Ragchew Net. We rely on contributions of stories and pictures from the members to keep all of us up to date, impart information we can all use and, of course, to raise a smile and a chuckle or two. If you find a new "Taz" photo that can be used for future certificates and QSLs, that too is greatly appreciated. Please, e-mail your stories, tech info and photos to Loby at wa2axz@arrl.net Many Thanks!

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72 Chew Fundraiser-2015

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Heartfelt thanks!

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