## Schedule of Events, Huntsville Hamfest, 2017

| Date Saturday, August 19, 2017                               |   |   |   |  |  |                  |  |
|--|---|---|---|--|--|------------------|--|
| Time   | Room 1  | Room 2  | Redstone Room *   | Big Spring D *   | Madison Room *   | Room 6           |  |
| 0900   |   |   | Hamfest Doors Open  |  |  |                  |  |
| 1000   | Salvation Army Team<br>Emergency Radio Network<br>(SATERN) Update                               | Digital Mobile Radio (DMR) Operations, Programming, and Etiquette | Contest Forums The K3LR   | Lightning Research at<br>Marshall Spaceflight<br>Center                      | Flex Radio Forum   | Amateur<br>Exams |  |
|  | Bill Fiest, WB8BZH  | Rob Conklin, N4WGY<br>Steve Smith, KM4CJ                          | Contest Station Tim Duffy, K3LR                                       | Monte Bateman, PhD<br>WB5ZRX   | Steve Hicks, N5AC<br>Flex Radio                                  | CAVEC<br>1000 to |  |
| 1100   | ARRL SE Division and AL Section Meetings JVann Martin, W4JVM AL Section Manager                 | Why Operate Portable?   | Contesting & Adventures<br>of V73CW in the<br>South Pacific           | Lightning Protection<br>for the<br>Radio Amateur                             | Adjusting your Transmitter for Competitive SSB Transmit Audio    | 1130             |  |
|  | Greg Sarratt, W4OZK SE Division Director  | Jennifer Moore, KF4INA<br>Ken Moore, AB4WL                        | Bruce Smith, AC4G   | Monte Bateman, PhD<br>WB5ZRX   | Bob DePierre, K8KI<br>Q-Track                                    |                  |  |
| 1200   | Aabama ARES Forum   | Joint Service MARS Meeting  | An Analytical Look at<br>Cluster Spots as a<br>Propagation Tool       | Yaesu Fusion   | Build a USB-Connected<br>RF Power Meter                          |                  |  |
|  | Dave Gillespie, W4LHQ   |   | Bill Engelke, AB4EJ   | Mark Thompson, WB9QZB  | N5DF   |                  |  |
| 1300   | Using Electronic Media<br>to communicate with Hams<br>and the General Public<br>Ed Tyler, N4EDT | Bob Glasscock, AAA4AL<br>Jim Hamilton, AAA4RD                     | Alabama Repeater<br>Council   | Arduino Forum  | Elecraft Forum   |                  |  |
|  | AL Section Public<br>Information Coordinator  | Bruce Nebergall, AFR4C<br>John Briscoe, Jr. AAA4R5                | Dennis Littleton, K4DL  | Glen Popiel, KW5GP   | David Shoaf, KG6IRW  |                  |  |
| 1400   | LOTW Forum  | YL Forums  Women in Ham Radio Then, Now, and in the Future        | AMSAT 2017 Forum  | D-STAR  John Davis, WB4QDX   | Short-Range Foliage<br>Loss at VHF/UHF/<br>Microwave Frequencies |                  |  |
|  | Dan Wall, W1ZFG<br>ARRL   |   | John Kludt, K4SQC<br>AMSAT Board of Directors                         | Robin Cutshaw, AA4RC<br>Ed Woodrick, WA4YIH                                  | Ben Lowe, K4QF   |                  |  |
| 1500   | Meteor Scatter<br>Communications: The<br>Science Behind the Pings                               | Women in Ham Radio<br>Using Echolink to Play Radio                | Satellite Communications<br>from the Ground Up:<br>SatNOGS and Beyond | EDUCOM<br>Education Through<br>Communication                                 | Amateur Radio Balloon<br>goes Around the World                   |                  |  |
| 1000   | Rob Suggs, PhD<br>KB5EZ   | Catherine Andrews, AC4YL<br>Melanie Glemser, AG4YL                | Herb Sims, PhD<br>N4RG  | Joe Fairclough, WB2JKJ   | Bill Brown,<br>WB8ELK  |                  |  |
|  | 1600 Closing Ceremony, South Hall   |   |   |  |  |                  |  |
| Hamfest Hospitality Room: Embassy Suites, 1730-2230 Friday   |   |   |   | NADXC Banquet, Best Western, Madison, Saturday Social Hour 1700, Dunner 1800 |  |                  |  |
| Hamfest Hospitality Room: Embassy Suites, 1730-2230 Saturday |   |   |   | ·  |  |                  |  |
| *These rooms are at the Embassy Suites Hotel across bridge   |   |   |   | HAYLARC Breakfast, City Café Diner, 0700 Sunday                              |  |                  |  |