

Georgia on My Mind – September 2018

A Brief News Update:

The 2018 SET – We've been working furiously to get the SET organized and put into some orderly arrangement. If you go to the gaares.org website, you can get the net schedule, some example documents, and the Winlink initial task list. We will post the complete Winlink task list on Friday October 5th after 6pm. The initial tasks give you or your group some opportunity to prepare for the tasks that will follow - a scenario not unlike an imminent hurricane a few days out. The tasks that follow are meant to test one's capability to pass information - sent and collected. The net schedule offers a number of nets for check in and to pass traffic using digital, Morse, and voice.

Hands Free Near Misses: - I have received communications on two instances where Amateur radio operators using their radios in their vehicles were pulled over by law enforcement and nearly cited. In each case the officer was challenged (politely) and was shown a copy of the code and an Amateur radio license. The officer was unaware of the Amateur radio exemption. So, if you use the radio in your vehicle, be sure you carry a copy of the code (section 4a3) and your Amateur license.

Coming Events:

Covington Hamfest - September 29th

- <http://www.arrl.org/hamfests/covington-hamfest-3>

SET - October 6th

LaGrange Hamfest - October 27th

- <http://www.lagrangeradioclub.org>

Atlanta Maker Faire - October 27th & 28th

Stone Mountain Hamfest - November 3rd & 4th

- <http://stonemountainhamfest.com/>

HamJam - November 10th

- <http://hamjam.info/>

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