

St. Clair Amateur Radio Club

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Club Repeaters: 147.12+ / 224.120- (pl 127.3) / 444.625+ (pl 127.3) / 442.275+ (pl 127.3)

SCARC 2023 Calendar

January 2023

Jan 1st ARRL Straight Key Night 0 hours UTC to 2359 UTC (6 pm CST 12/31 to 6 pm CST 01/01)

[Straight Key Night \(arrl.org\)](https://www.arrl.org/straight-key-night)

Jan 7th - 8th ARRL RTTY Roundup 1800 UTC Saturday to 2359 UTC Sunday

[RTTY Roundup \(arrl.org\)](https://www.arrl.org/rtty-roundup)

Jan 14th NAQP CW 1800 UTC 01/14 to 0559 UTC 01/15

<https://ncjweb.com/naqp/>

Jan 21st NAQP SSB 1800 UTC 01/21 to 0559 UTC 01/22

<https://ncjweb.com/naqp/>

Jan 21 January VHF Party 1800 UTC Saturday to 0359 UTC Monday
(12 pm CDT 01/21 to 10 PM CDT 01/22)

[January VHF \(arrl.org\)](https://www.arrl.org/january-vhf-party)

Jan 21st St. Clair ARC VE Testing 9:30 AM Swansea Illinois Moose Lodge

Jan 26th St. Clair ARC Club Meeting 8 PM Swansea Illinois Moose Lodge

Jan 27th W9DYV Symposium – part of SLSRC Winterfest, Gateway Center, Collinsville, IL

Jan 27th DX/ARRL Banquet – part of SLSRC Winterfest, at Royale Orleans Banquet Hall 5 PM

Jan 28th SLSRC Winterfest and ARRL Midwest Division Convention 8 AM to 1 PM, Gateway Center, Collinsville, IL

[Winterfest 2023 – Mid-central Premier Hamfest \(slsrc.org\)](https://www.slsrc.org/winterfest-2023)

Jan 28th Winter Field Day

[Home - Winter Field Day](https://www.arrl.org/winter-field-day)

February 2023

Feb 14th Valentine's Day

Feb 18th ARRL DX Contest (CW) 0 hours UTC Saturday to 2359 UTC Sunday
(5 PM CST 02/17 to 10 PM CST 02/18)

[ARRL DX](https://www.arrl.org/dx-contest)

Feb 20th President's Day

Feb 22nd Ash Wednesday

Feb 23rd St. Clair ARC Club Meeting 8 PM Swansea Illinois Moose Lodge

Feb 25th St. Clair ARC VE Testing 9:30 AM Swansea Illinois Moose Lodge

Feb 25th NAQP RTTY 1800 UTC 02/25 to 0559UTC 02/26

<https://ncjweb.com/naqp/>

March 2023

March 4th ARRL DX Contest (phone) 0 hours UTC Saturday to 2359 UTC Sunday
(5 PM CST 03/4 to 10 PM CST 03/5)

[ARRL DX](#)

March 11th Lewis and Clark Hamfest at Lewis and Clark CC Godfrey, IL 7 AM to Noon

[Hamfest – Lewis & Clark Radio Club \(k9ham.org\)](#)

March 11th Club Breakfast O'Fallon, Illinois Denny's Restaurant, 8 AM

March 17th St. Patrick's Day

March 25th St. Clair ARC VE testing 9:30 AM Swansea Illinois Moose Lodge

March 30th St. Clair ARC Club meeting 8 PM Swansea Illinois Moose Lodge

April 2023

April 1st Various State QSO Parties

<https://www.contestcalendar.com/weeklycont.php#14636>

April 7th Good Friday

April 8th Club Breakfast O'Fallon, Illinois Golden Coral Restaurant, 8 AM

April 9th Easter

April 16th ARRL Rookie Roundup (phone) 1800 UTC thru 2359 UTC

[Rookie Roundup \(arrl.org\)](#)

April 22nd St. Clair ARC VE Testing 9:30 AM Swansea Illinois Moose Lodge

April 27th St. Clair ARC Club Meeting 8 PM Swansea Illinois Moose Lodge

May 2023

May 5th Cinco de Mayo

May 13th St. Clair ARC VE Testing 9:30 AM Swansea Illinois Moose Lodge

May 13th Club Breakfast O'Fallon, Illinois Denny's Restaurant, 8 AM

May 14th Mother's Day

May 19th - 21st Dayton Hamvention Xenia Ohio

[Home - Hamvention](#)

May 25th St. Clair ARC Club Meeting 8 PM Swansea Illinois Moose Lodge

May 29th Memorial Day

June 2023

June Shriner's Parade TBD

June 10th ARRL VHF Party 1800 UTC Saturday ends 0259 UTC Monday

[June VHF \(arrrl.org\)](http://arrrl.org)

June 10th Club Breakfast O'Fallon, Illinois Denny's Restaurant, 8 AM

June 11th Egyptian ARC Egyptianfest 7 AM to Noon

[Home \(w9aiu.org\)](http://w9aiu.org)

June 17th St. Clair ARC VE Testing 9:30 AM Swansea Illinois Moose Lodge

June 24th 25th ARRL Field Day

[Field Day \(arrrl.org\)](http://arrrl.org)

June 29th St. Clair ARC Club Meeting 8 PM Swansea Illinois Moose Lodge

July 2023

July 4th Independence Day

July 8th Club Breakfast O'Fallon, Illinois Denny's Restaurant, 8 AM

July 15th SCARC Repeater Visit and lunch at Eckert's Restaurant, 10 AM Repeater Site

July 15th NAQP RTTY 1800 UTC 07/15 to 0559 UTC 07/16

<https://ncjweb.com/naqp/>

July 16th WA0FYA Zero Beaters Hamfest, 7 AM – 12 PM, New location – KC Hall, 1121 Columbus Lane, Washington, Mo

<http://www.zerobeaters.org/pdfs/hamfest.pdf>

July 22nd St. Clair ARC VE Testing 9:30 AM Swansea Illinois Moose Lodge

July 27th St. Clair ARC Club Meeting 8 PM Swansea Illinois Moose Lodge

August 2023

August 5th -6th 222MHz and Up Distance Contest 1800 UTC Saturday ends 1759 UTC Sunday

www.arrrl.org/222-mhz-and-up-distance-contest

August 5th NAQP CW 1800 UTC 08/05 to 0559 UTC 08/06

<https://ncjweb.com/naqp/>

August 12th Club Breakfast O'Fallon, Illinois Denny's Restaurant, 8 AM

August 13th St. Charles ARC Hamfest 7 AM – Noon

<https://wb0hsi.org/hamfest.html>

August 19th NAQP SSB 1800 UTC 08/19 to 0559 UTC 08/20

<https://ncjweb.com/naqp/>

August 20th Rookie Roundup RTTY 1800 UTC – 2359 UTC

[Rookie Roundup \(arrl.org\)](https://www.arrl.org)

August 26th St. Clair ARC VE Testing 9:30 AM Swansea Illinois Moose Lodge

August 31st St. Clair ARC Club Meeting 8 PM Swansea Illinois Moose Lodge

September 2023

September 4th Labor Day

September 9th Club Breakfast O'Fallon, Illinois Denny's Restaurant, 8 AM

September 9th – 10th Bike MS Lewis and Clark Community College

September 9th - 10th ARRL VHF Party 1800 UTC Saturday ends 0259 UTC Monday

[June VHF \(arrl.org\)](https://www.arrl.org)

September 17th St. Clair ARC Club Picnic 11 AM – 4 PM Swansea Illinois Moose Lodge

September 23rd St. Clair ARC VE Testing 9:30 AM Swansea Illinois Moose Lodge

September 24th Yom Kippur

September 28th St. Clair ARC Club Meeting 8 PM Swansea Illinois Moose Lodge

October 2023

October 12th Columbus Day (observed 9th)

October 14th Club Breakfast O'Fallon, Illinois Denny's Restaurant, 8 AM

October 21st St. Clair ARC VE Testing 9:30 AM Swansea Illinois Moose Lodge

October 26th St. Clair ARC Club Meeting 8 PM Swansea Illinois Moose Lodge

October 28th Halloween Hamfest Kirkwood Community Center 7:30 AM – 1 PM

October 31st Halloween

November 2023

November 4th 5th ARRL CW Sweepstakes 2100 UTC Saturday end 0300 UTC Monday

[Sweepstakes \(arrl.org\)](https://www.arrl.org)

November 11th Club Breakfast O'Fallon, Illinois Denny's Restaurant, 8 AM

November 11th Veterans Day (observed 10th)

November 16th St. Clair ARC Club Meeting 8 PM Swansea Illinois Moose Lodge

November 18th St. Clair ARC VE Testing 9:30 AM Swansea Illinois Moose Lodge

November 18th – 19th ARRL Phone Sweepstakes 2100 UTC Saturday end 0300 UTC Monday

[Sweepstakes \(arrl.org\)](http://arrl.org)

November 23rd Thanksgiving Day

December 2023

December 1st – 3rd ARRL 160 Meter Contest 2200 UTC Friday end 1559 UTC Sunday

[160 Meter \(arrl.org\)](http://arrl.org)

December 9th Club Breakfast O'Fallon, Illinois Denny's Restaurant, 8 AM

December 9th – 10th ARRL 10 Meter Contest 0 hours UTC Saturday ends 2359 UTC Sunday

[10 Meter \(arrl.org\)](http://arrl.org)

December 16th St. Clair ARC VE Testing 9:30 AM Swansea Illinois Moose Lodge

December 17th ARRL Rookie Roundup (CW) 1800 UTC – 2359 UTC

[Rookie Roundup \(arrl.org\)](http://arrl.org)

December 14th (tentative) Club Christmas Dinner

December 24th Christmas Eve

December 25th Christmas

December 31st Straight Key Night 6 PM CDT – 6 PM CDT Jan 1st

[Straight Key Night \(arrl.org\)](http://arrl.org)