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**W2LI Since 1934**



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**TCRA CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS VOTE**

At the September 18<sup>th</sup> club meeting the proposed TCRA Constitution and By-Laws were confirmed. The updated document is up on the club's web site.

**TCRA NEWS OCTOBER 2006**

*TCRA News is published ten times a year, with no issues in August and December.*

**PROGRAMS/EVENTS FOR OCTOBER\***

*\*Subject to change.*

**October 2<sup>nd</sup>:** **“CRYSTAL RADIO KIT BUILDING SESSION PART 2”** Members who have not completed their Crystal Radio Kit can bring them to the meeting and receive help assembling them. **(8PM AT THE UNION ELKS)**

**October 3<sup>rd</sup>:** **“VE TEST SESSION”** VE testing sessions sponsored by TCRA and the Union County O.E.M will be held on Tuesday October 3<sup>rd</sup> at the Union County E.O.C building, 300 North Avenue East in Westfield. Testing will begin at 7:00PM. All license class tests will be given.

**October 14<sup>th</sup>:** **“VE TEST SESSION”** 8AM at the Union County College Cranford Campus.

**OCTOBER 16<sup>th</sup>:** **“NOMINATIONS”** Nominations for the offices of President, Vice President, Secretary and Treasure will be taken. To be eligible you must have attended five meetings this past year and not be in arrears of dues. **(8PM AT THE UNION ELKS)**

**October 23<sup>rd</sup>:** **“ON THE AIR MEETING”** (9PM W2LI 2M 147.255 PL 141.3).

# **NEW YORK CITY MARATHON**

**NOVEMBER 5<sup>TH</sup>**

With Labor Day come and gone and the weather cooling down a bit, it's once again time for the New York Road Runner's club to look to the Amateur Radio community for help with the 2006 New York City Marathon. This years New York City Marathon will be held on November 5, 2006.

If you would like to help with this year's marathon E-mail Steve Mendelsohn, W2ML at: [w2ml@arrl.org](mailto:w2ml@arrl.org).

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## **HAMFESTS = From September 2006**

### **Hudson Division Beacon - # 66**

HAMFEST: Here are the last four division hamfest for 2007.

30 Sep 2006+Annual Fall Hamfest  
Bergen Amateur Radio Association

<http://www.bara.org>

Talk-In: 146.19/.79 (PL 141.3)

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Email: [k2zo@arrl.net](mailto:k2zo@arrl.net)Township of  
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Westwood Regional High School

701 Ridgewood Road

Div: Hudson

Sect: Northern New Jersey

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1 Oct 2006+HOSARC Hamfest

Hall of Science ARC

<http://www.HOSARC.org>

Talk-In: 444.200 (PL 136.5) or 146.52 Simplex

Contact:Stephen Greenbaum, WB2KDG

85-10 34th Avenue, Apt. 323

Jackson Heights, NY 11372

Phone: 718-898-5599

Email: [WB2KDG@arrl.net](mailto:WB2KDG@arrl.net)Queens, NY

New York Hall of Science Parking Lot

(Flushing Meadows Corona Park)

47-01 111th Street

Div: Hudson

Sect: New York City-Long Island

7 Oct 2006+OMARC TAILGATE HAMFEST

Ocean-Monmouth ARC

<http://www.omarc.org>

Talk-In: 145.110 -600 (PL 127.3) & 443.00

+5MHz (PL 127.3)

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InfoAge Project Diana Site

Marconi Road, Camp Evans

Div: Hudson

Sect: Northern New Jersey

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22 Oct 2006+Town of Babylon Amateur Radio  
Emergency Services

<http://www.tobares.org>

Talk-In: 146.685 (PL 110.9)

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West Babylon, NY 11704

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Knights of Columbus

400 South Broadway

Div: Hudson

Sect: New York City-Long Island





October 2006



# TRI-COUNTY RADIO ASSOCIATION EVENTS

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2 8:00 PM TCRA MEETING AT THE UNION ELKS "CRYSTAL RADIO KIT"	3 8:30 PM SATERN NET 449.975 MHz	4	5	6	7
8	9	10 8:30 PM SATERN NET 449.975 MHz	11	12	13	14 8:00 AM VE TEST UNION COUNTY COLLEGE CRANFORD
15	16 8:00 PM TCRA MEETING AT THE UNION ELKS "NOMINATIONS"	17 8:30 PM SATERN NET 449.975 MHz	18	19	20	21
22	23 9:00 PM TCRA ON THE AIR MEETING - NJ5R 147.255 MHz	24 8:30 PM SATERN NET 449.975 MHz	25	26	27	28
29	30	31 8:30 PM SATERN NET 449.975 MHz				