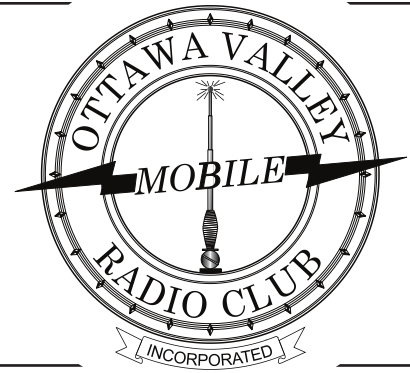


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President's Ramblings

I was quite worried about the January meeting because of the impending winter storm but we dodged a bullet for that meeting and wouldn't you know it, the same thing happened for the February meeting. Yes, it was cold but we had good attendance and no storm! Whew! Let's hope we get a repeat for the March meeting, then we should be out of the woods for winter storms.

The start time for the March meeting will be 7:15 PM as settled on by the majority of members.

I have mentioned this before, but if you are unsure of your status as a paid-up member you can always check with Nicole, VE3GIQ club Treasurer. This is important since only paid up members are eligible for door prizes, 50/50, and subsidized club kit costs.

Congratulations to Ron, VE3LBG for winning the February door prize. I have another useful door prize for March. Wait, this just in: there will be two door prizes for the March meeting but I'm going to try to keep it under wraps until then. Be sure to attend, your chance of winning just doubled!

There are a few surge arrestor project kits remaining that will be available for purchase at the March meeting. If you are looking for one, please bring exact change of \$15.00 for Nicole. I'll have the kits and payment can be made directly to Nicole. Assembly instructions are posted on the club web site under the presentations and projects tab, and on the groups.io page. There will be more information on how to use this device at a future meeting so stay tuned!

The coax project is ongoing and as a reminder here are the costs to paid up members:

LMR 400 Cost \$1.35 per foot.

LMR 195 Cost \$0.80 per foot.

Connectors: PL259 (male uhf type) \$2.00 ea including heat shrink tubing for environmental sealing. BNC connectors are also available for the LMR 195 cable at the same \$2.00 cost.

The club also has about 30-40 sets of Anderson Power Pole connectors available for a cost of \$1.00 per set (red + black + 2 pins).

I also have received a number of SMA male to BNC female connectors available for sale at \$2.00 ea. Perfect (Continued on page 4)

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Calendar

**General Meeting
Wednesday**

**March 18th
7:15 P.M.**

**Science & Technology Museum
Studio 6**

Feature Speaker: Chris Allingham,
VE3FU/VO2AC

Topic: Operating the CQ160CW contest station VO2AC at Point Amour Lighthouse, Labrador

(Refer to February Rambler for preview of the topic)

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OVMRC Repeater

VE3TWO
147.300 Mhz (+) 100 Hz tone
FM & Yaesu System Fusion Digital
Operation

OVMRC Call Signs

VE3JW
VE3RAM

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OVMRC Affiliations



The Wednesday evening Cross Canada Weekly C4FM is again hosted on VE3TWO

OVMRC members can again check into the Wednesday evening Cross Canada C4FM net on Club repeater VE3TWO 147.300 (+ offset) thanks to a remote Wires X connection provided by Steve VA3MPS. Steve will be engaging his node station onto the repeater Wednesday Evenings at 9:00 PM. The Net can also be accessed in the west-end of town using the Fusion repeater VE3DRE on 146.805 (- offset) owned and operated by Denis VE3BF who is the Net Control Station. All check-ins are welcome using the Yaesu C4FM digital voice mode.

Emergency Measures Radio Group: (EMRG)

Monthly Repeater Tests are conducted by Dave VE3KMV on the first Wednesday of each month at 8 PM on VE3OCE 146.880 MHz – (136.5 Hz tone). From initial contact on VE3OCE, you'll be asked to test VE3EMV/East 146.985 MHz – (100 Hz@ tone), VE3EMV/West 145.210 MHz – (123.0 Hz tone), VE3OFS 146.670 MHz – (136.5 Hz tone), VE3OCE 443.8000 MHz + 5 (136.5 Hz tone) and VE3EMU 444.9500 + 5 (136.5 Hz tone). It is advisable that all the EMRG frequencies be programmed into your radio. All check ins are welcome.

See: <http://www.emrg.ca/repeaters.htm>

Informal Amateur Radio Restaurant Gatherings (All are welcome)

- **QCWA Chapter 70** breakfast gathering every **Tuesday** morning at 7:30 to 10:00 AM, Summerhays Grill, 1972 Baseline Rd., Nepean
- **Orleans Coffee gathering** every **Friday** morning at 9:00 AM, McDonalds, 2643 St. Joseph Blvd, Orleans
- **QRP Group Dinner** meeting, **2nd Wednesday** every month, 5 PM, Newport Restaurant, 322 Churchill Ave N., Ottawa
- **Phoenix Net monthly Breakfast** gathering, usually the **second Saturday** every month at 9 AM, T-Basil Restaurant, 2440 St Joseph Blvd, Orleans. (get on Pete VE3XEM's mailing list for monthly reminder VE3XEM@RAC.CA)

OVMRC Repeater VE3TWO :

147.300 MHz +600 kHz, 100 Hz Tone and Yaesu C4FM Digital Voice

VE3TWO Scheduled Nets:

- **Thursday Evenings, 8 PM**, Club Net on FM conducted by Hugo, VE3KTN and Rob, VE3RXH.
- **Sunday Evenings, 8 PM**, Ottawa area 2M SSB Round Table Net 144.250 Mhz

Other Local 2 Metre Repeater & Simplex Nets: (all check-ins welcome)

- **Rubber Boot Net**, VE3MPC 147.150 ++, (100 Hz tone) mornings at 7:30 AM conducted by Mike, VA3TJP
- **Phoenix Net**, VE3MPC 147.150 Mhz +, (100 Hz tone), Tuesday evenings at 8:00 PM conducted by Pete, VE3XEM
- **QCWA Chapter 70 Net**, VE3MPC 147.150 MHz +(100 Hz tone), Monday evenings at 7:30 PM conducted by John, VE3ZOV
- **Capital City FM Net**, VE2CRA 146.940 MHz -, (100 Hz tone), Monday evenings at 8:00 PM.
- **Champlain Mini Net**, VE3STP 147.060 MHz -, (114.8 Hz tone), every evening at 6:45 PM.
- **Upper Frequency Net**, Simplex 144.250 MHz using USB, Tuesdays evenings at 9:00 PM conducted by Glenn, VE3XRA. Following check in on 2 m you can check your radios on 6 m at 50.150 MHz and 70 cm on 432.150 MHz as well using USB. All check ins are welcome.

OVMRC HF Nets

- **Pot Hole SSB Net**, 3760 kHz, every Sunday morning at 10:00 AM conducted by Ernie, VE3EJJ, or Glenn, VE3XRA..
- **Pot Lid Slow Speed CW Net**, 3620 kHz, every Sunday morning at 11 AM conducted by Roger, VE3XRR.

(Continued from page 1) for your 2 M portable or Nano VNA. (see photo)

All prices are tax included.



The club tool kit custodian is now Richard, VA3RLA so if you need power pole connectors, or want to borrow the club tool kit, contact Richard at rlaronoff@gmail.com.

Last but not least, let's talk about some breaking news. I have two notable items:

1. As of April 1, 2020 there will be a new section in Canada: "PE" Prince Edward Island. Yes, they are going to be separate from the MAR or Maritime section. This will affect contests such as Field Day, Sweepstakes and the ARRL 160 M contest but not the 10 M contest that only requires Provinces and States. Along this line, Hamilton and the Regional Municipality of Niagara will shift from ONS (Ontario South) and move to GTA (Greater Toronto Area). Watch for change updates to logging programs.

2. Distracted driving. Go to: <https://www.rac.ca/ontario-has-granted-permanent-two-way-radio-exemption-for-amateurs/> for detailed information. And this is why we need to support RAC! RAC provides us with a plethora of information related to our hobby. If you are not a member, please consider joining!

That's about it for now. I hope to see many club members at the March meeting, Wednesday, March 18, 7:15 PM, at the Science and Tech Museum.

73
Barry, VE3NA

RAC Affiliated Club Insurance Program and Why OVMRC charges more for membership if you don't hold membership in our National Organization.

It should be noted that the cost of annual membership in the OVMRC is \$25 but only if you are a member in good standing with our National organization "Radio Amateurs of Canada (RAC)" and \$35 if you are not. The reason for this is that the OVMRC obtains our necessary liability insurance through the RAC Insurance Program underwritten by "AON Insurance" which is available to all RAC affiliated Canadian radio clubs that are incorporated. RAC manages the program and at the present time levies an additional \$11 onto the premium assessed to the Club for each member of the club that is not a member of RAC. This program provides the OVMRC liability coverage up to \$5,000,000 per occurrence (\$1000 deductible) for normal radio club activities such club meetings, Field

Day, club repeater installations, public events and demonstrations promoting amateur radio. For club sponsored activities, all club members and participants, whether an RAC member or not, are covered. Club members that are also a member of RAC are covered to the same level of protection for their personal station activities and for mobile and portable operations subject to a few conditions. This aspect of coverage does not cover damage to a member's home or another person insured under the program.

RAC provides the Club proof of insurance certificates which the OVMRC needs to satisfy the requirements specified in the use and occupancy agreements for our meeting location and the radio site housing the Club's repeater VE3TWO.

The insurance premium paid to RAC on an annual basis is determined by the Club submitting our complete membership roster (as of the previous end-of-season in June) and indicating all those that are and are not RAC members. All new radio amateurs with a call sign as a result of the OVMRC's Radio Course or otherwise have full membership in the Club for the season and are expected to have registered with RAC for their first year of free membership in the organization thus qualifying for the advantages of personal protection from the RAC Insurance Program and counting as an RAC member when the OVMRC applies for insurance renewal. Our RAC insurance premium for 2020 was just over \$500.

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Membership renewal for the OVMRC is due at the commencement of every new season in September. Membership renewal for RAC is staggered throughout the year and is based on the date of joining the organization.

I hope this explanation provides further incentive for OVMRC members to become and maintain their membership in Radio Amateurs of Canada. RAC is a member society of the International Amateur Radio Union.

For further details on the RAC Insurance Program, goto:
<https://www.rac.ca/insurance/>

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Let's Get Ready for Field Day – Ham Radio's Annual Open House

The end of June is fast approaching and we've got to get thinking about staging another Field Day Operation; this year the dates are set for the weekend of June 27-28. This year again, we have reserved the grounds of the Aviation and Space Museum for Field Day. The OVMRC will be forming a special Field Day Committee to ensure all the responsibilities are covered off and we get all the bonus points we can. We will be looking to have all new amateurs in the Club participate as much as possible in the operation of the special "GOTA" station and be part of the team required to setup station equipment and antennas. The event will involve 24 hours of continuous operation starting at 2 PM Saturday of 2 or 3 HF stations operating at the same time using SSB, CW or Digital modes. For all the details and rules about ARRL Field Day 2020 goto: www.arrl.org/field-day

Local Happenings:

Iroquois Amateur Radio Club

Annual Flea Market Saturday April 4th, 2020

9 AM, free admission

Iroquois Civic Building

1 Dundas Street, Iroquois, ON

Info:

<http://www.iroquoisarc.ca/page3.html>

Vendor table contact:

va3nc@rac.ca

Rideau Lakes Amateur Radio Club

36th Annual Flea Market

Saturday May 9th, 2020

9 AM, \$5 admission

Smiths Falls Curling Club

13 Old Sly's Rd, Smiths Falls, ON

Vendor table contact:

ve3rlr@gmail.com



Mike Parris, VA3TJP SK



Michael Parris VA3TJP became a silent key February 12th at the age of 87. He was a colourful fellow, a native of Cambridgeshire England, an outdoors adventurer and graduate of University of Oxford. Following his retirement as a professor of chemistry at Carleton University, Mike added amateur radio to his many interests by taking the OVMRC amateur radio course in the 1996 where we see it recorded in the minutes of the June issue of the Rambler of that year, this clipping below:

Mike, with his above noted accomplishment learning Morse, became a regular checking into Ed Morgan, VE3GX's (SK) "Pot Lid (CW) Net" which is still conducted Sunday mornings at 11 AM on 3620 kHz where another past member of the OVMRC, Roger, VE3XRR now conducts the show. Mike, VA3TJP also served as net control station in recent times conducting the "Rubber Boot Net" weekday mornings on the VE3MPC repeater. We will miss Mike's wit and recitation of limericks he would often entertain us with while on the air. Mike's obituary can be read at:

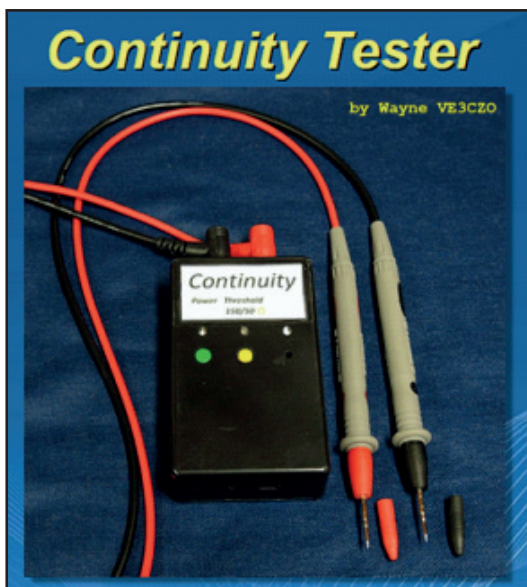
<https://ottawacitizen.remembering.ca/obituary/michael-parris-1078437901>

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John, VE3NJ, introduced the class graduates and presented each of them with a 1st CW contact certificate (ARRL), a Graduating Certificate (ARRL) and an Achievement Certificate (OVMRC). Of the 16 people who registered, 3 dropped out. Three already had their basic licence and overall, the course produced some very impressive results. B is for Basic, A is for Advance and numbers are the code speed obtained:

Best, Derek VA3AEF	B	5
Brien, Bernard,-VA3JBB	B	A 12
Brien, Charlie VA3SWR	B	A 12
Haskill, Jim VE3SPK	B	A 5
Oades, Lee Ann-VE3QLO	B	A 5
Oades, Michael-VE3QMO	B	A 5
O'Brien, Mike-VA3MGT	B	12
Parris, Mike VA3TJP	B	A 12
Pinfold, Michael-VA3TUF	B	12
Regan, Steve VA3MGY	B	A 12
Senez, John VA3JBS	B	A 12
Staples, Rick VE3TYC	B	A 5
Windsor, George-VA3GFW	B	A 12

Jim Dean, VE3IQ, also presented the graduates with a RAC pin. The students are all members of RAC and they were encouraged to continue their support and membership.



The VE3CZO Continuity Tester Project

At our January meeting, Wayne Getchell did a short presentation on his high performance Continuity Tester kit he designed and is offering as a build project to the members of both the OVMRC and OARC. In total there are over 30 folks that signed up for the project. Wayne reports he has secured the use of one of the labs at Algonquin College for 3 Saturday morning build sessions starting (tentatively) mid April. Folks will have to bring their own tool kit complete with tweezers and fine tipped soldering station suitable for assembly of surface mount components. The actual date for delivery of the kits and the start of the assembly sessions is dependent on Wayne receiving all the components ordered from vendors in China. In this regard, he will be updating all on the sign up list directly by email by mid March.

Meeting Minutes

Date / Time: Wednesday,
February 19, 2020. 19:15

Location: Canada Science and
Technology Museum, Ottawa,
Ontario.

1. Call to order:

President Barry Allison, VE3NA called the meeting to order at 19:15. There were 27 in attendance, including our guest speaker for the evening, Denis Rule, VE3BF.

2. Approval of minutes from previous meeting:

MOTION: Moved by Peter Carss VE3XEM and seconded by Sandy Haggart VE3HAZ that the minutes of the previous meeting held Wednesday, January 15, 2019, be approved.

VOTE: All in favour.

CARRIED.

3. Greetings:

Barry, VE3NA extended greetings to everyone including our guest speaker Denis, VE3BF and new graduates and members of the Club; these folks included Jeff Robb, VE3MDC, Hans Radke, VA3HJR and Alan Hotte, VA3IAH all present at the meeting.

4. Projects:

Barry mentioned that progress on getting together the 6-metre dipole kit is delayed as a result of sourcing appropriate tubing for the elements at a reasonable cost. More on this next meeting. Barry announced there are still several coaxial lightning suppressor kits available.

5. Agenda and Meeting Content:

Barry, VE3NA outlined the agenda for the meeting which included:

- **A presentation from our guest speaker Denis Rule, VE3BF** on his many HF (and VHF) portable operations away from the home QTH to camp sites and activations of National Parks and Historic Sites as part of the National Parks On-The-Air awards program this past year. The highlights of Denis's activity included activation (on the deck) of the HMCS Haida which is a National Historic site at dock side in Hamilton Harbour, activation of several Parks Canada sites along the Rideau Canal system, and activation of National Parks sites in locations such as Johnstown and Mallorytown, Ontario. Denis's presentation described and showed pictures of the various antenna systems he deployed at the various sites with tie downs to trees and fence posts or whatever else was handy and also featured his commercial Valcom 35' vertical attached to special hitch mount he fabricated for his F250 truck. Denis included in his picture show a video showing the time lapse erection of this antenna followed by on-air operation of making contacts one after another in rapid succession. In all, Denis placed 10th as an activator from 88 activations during the CNPOTA year long event using not only this own call sign but also special authorizations to use VA3RAC and VE3AIR. Barry, VE3NA thanked Denis for this fine and most interesting talk and presented him with an OVMRC mug.

- **The Coffee and Cookies** break followed Denis's presentation.

• Prizes and Draws:

The door prize for the meeting was a kit of ferrite choke cylindrical cores good for RFI suppression. It was won by Ron Smith, VE3LBG. The 50/50 draw was drawn immediately after; the \$31.25 prize was won by Michael Babineau, VE3WMB.

- **Norm, VE3LC showed a 15-minute YouTube video** about tracking down RFI producing devices in the home and suppression of these radio noise makers using ferrite chokes; this was apropos to follow the winning of the door prize by Ron, VE3LBG. Thanks to Dave, VE3ZZU for bringing this video to our attention.

- **Michael Babineau, VE3WMB provided an update on the Pico Balloon project.** Michael and the project team has now completed and tested the "Stella" code and documented it with a 40-page manual. He said they are now pricing helium in the small amounts required to inflate and fly the balloon package. Graham, VE3GTC will be fabricating and testing the hardware. No date has yet been set for launch although it is considerably delayed from original plans.

- **Financial Report and Field Day Announcement** by Nicole, VE3GIQ

Nicole made an announcement that the Club's financial assets remain around \$30,000 and there has been a rollover of GIC's to earn a modest amount of interest.

Regarding FD, Nicole will take a lead role in organization of the event and Norm advised that the grounds of the Aviation and Space Museum have been reserved for Field Day scheduled this year for the June 27-28th weekend. Marc, VE3BOE has again confirmed he will make his trailer available to house the operations on site. A list of those interested in participating was circulated. More on this event will be the subject of further meetings.

- **Fox Hunting update and demonstration of Off Set Attenuator** was provided by Norm VE3LC showing how well it worked. The club members leading this project, mainly Roger Egan VA3EGY and Rob Haddow VE3RXH were away with other

commitments and could not report directly at the meeting.

6. Upcoming contests:

For more detailed information on upcoming contests, see the WA7BNM contest calendar:

<https://www.contestcalendar.com/>

RAC Members can login and go here:

<https://wp.rac.ca/amateur-radio-contest-calendars/>

ARRL Members can log in and go here:

<http://contests.arrl.org/>

7. Adjournment:

MOTION: Moved by Barry Allison, VE3NA to the close the

meeting at 9:55 pm; all were in favour.

8. Next meeting:

The next regularly scheduled monthly meeting of the OVMRC will be held Wednesday, March 18, 2020 at 7:15 PM at the Canada Science and Technology Museum, 1867 St Laurent Blvd, Ottawa, ON K1G 5A3. The feature presentation will be by Chris Allingham, VE3FU/VO2AC about the travels, setup and operating the 2020 CQ 160 CW contest at Point Amour Light House, Labrador. See:

www.pointamourlighthouse.ca

Minutes recorded and prepared by Norm Rashleigh, VE3LC on behalf of Secretary Ron Smith VE3LBU (not able to attend the meeting)

Pictures from the February Meeting

Thanks to Dave VE3ZZU



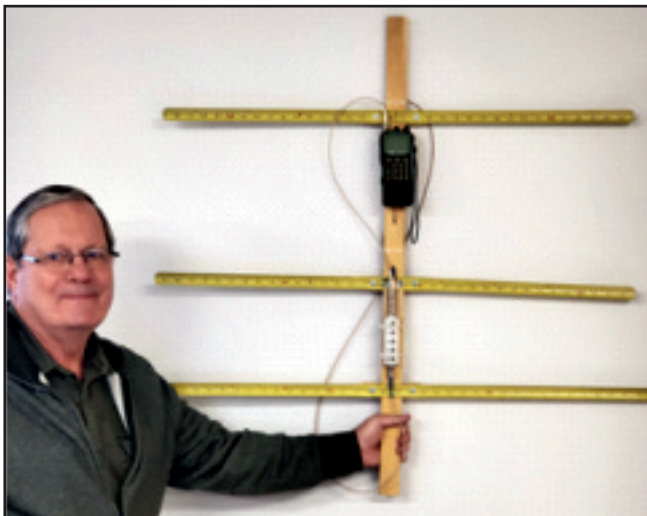
Denis, VE3BF's custom made fold over trailer hitch mount for his Valcom 35 foot vertical portable antenna.



Norm, VE3LC demonstrates the performance of the Off-Set Attenuator for Fox-Hunt Events



Peter, VE3XEM shows off this home brew 2 mtr mag loop antenna for DF'ing



Barry, VE3NA shows off his measuring tape yagi for 2 metre FD'ing



Norm, VE3LC explains the workings of a vintage IC 211 2m multi mode radio brought in by OVMRC course grad Alan, VA3IAH



Michael, VE3WMB provides an update on the Aries Balloon Project. Here he is showing the tiny solar power panel.

OVMRC Net Activity, Check-ins for Last Month.

Prepared by: Hugo Kneve VE3KTN

OVMRC 2 Metre Net: VE3TWO 147.300+ 100 Hz. tone, Thursdays 8 p.m. local.

February 6	February 13	February 20	February 27
New & Visitors	New & Visitors	New & Visitors	New & Visitors
	VA3JSZ	VE3HJR	
General Check-ins	General Check-ins	General Check-ins	General Check-ins
VE3KTN - NCS	VE3KTN - NCS	VE3KTN - NCS	VE3KTN - NCS
VE3FNG VE3ZZU VE3LC VE3NA VE3GIQ VE3BOE VA3RLA VE3NPO VA3IAH VA3FCV	VE3GIQ VE3NA VE3LC VE3RXH VE3SYZ VA2EEK VA3RLA VE3ZZU VA3IAH	VE3RKB VA3FCV VE3NA VE3LC VA3RLA VE3ZZU VE3BRJ VA3EO VE3KMV VA3ORL VA3IAH	VA3BGO VA3FCV VE3NA VE3LC VA3ZZW VE3KAE VA3RLA VE3NPO VA3IAH VA3VGR VA2EEK VA3ORL VE3RKB VE3LBU VE3EJ

OVMRC Pothole Net: 3760 kHz. LSB Sunday mornings at 10 a.m. local.

February 2	February 9	February 16	February 23
VE3EJJ - NCS	VE3XRA - NCS	VE3EJJ - NCS	VE3XRA - NCS
VA3ZTF VE3LC VE3KAE VA3BGO VE3KTN VA3PCJ VE3EKN VA3IQ VE3XRA VE3MHP	VA3QV VA3ZTF VE3LC VA3NAH VA3PCJ VE3EJJ VE3EKN VE3KTN VA3RLA	VA3BGO VE3KTN VE3LC VA3RLA VE3XRA VE3EKN	VA3QV VA3ZTF VE3LC VE3EJJ VA3PCJ VA3BGO VE3KTN VE3EKN VA3BIT

MEMBERSHIP FORM

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- ✓ The membership year starts 1 September, and runs until 31 August of the following year.
- ✓ Regular membership is open to licensed amateurs.
- ✓ Associate membership is open to all unlicensed radio enthusiasts.
- ✓ Membership includes a digital subscription to the club newsletter, the OVMRC Rambler.

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RAC ID: _____ Expiry (YYYY-MM-DD): _____			
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Signature _____	Date _____	<div style="border: 1px solid black; display: inline-block; padding: 5px;">Initials</div>	By initialing this box, I confirm that I consent to receiving e-mail messages from the Club.