

CALAVERAS AMATEUR RADIO WELCOMES ARRL VICE PRESIDENT

The Calaveras Amateur Radio Society had the opportunity to welcome the Vice President of the American Radio Relay League, Kristen McIntyre K6WX. The American Radio Relay League is the national organization representing Amateur Radio operators throughout the United States.

“Established in 1909 the primary objective of the American Radio Relay League is to promote the art, science, and enjoyment of Amateur Radio. The League represents Amateur Radio interests to regulatory bodies, provides technical advice and assistance to Amateur Radio enthusiasts and supports a number of educational programs throughout the country.”

Kristen McIntyre gave a presentation at the club meeting which was of interest to the membership. Her appearance at the club’s organized meeting was of specific importance as it confirms the importance of the small rural amateur radio club to the national body and the nation’s communication network.

The Calaveras Amateur Radio Society was formed in the early 1960’s and incorporated as non profit public benefit corporation in 2007. The club has approximately ninety (90) members. The club participates in emergency services with the County such as Search and Rescue and also assists with several County bicycles races and parades. The Calaveras Amateur Radio Society meets the second Thursday bi-monthly at Roundtable Pizza at 27 N. Main St., Angels Camp, CA 95222. Meetings start at 6:30 p.m. Additional information on club activities can be viewed at the club website at www.calaverasars.org