

Saratoga County Amateur Radio Association
presents our 40th annual

HAMFEST 2026

Saturday, September 12th - Gates open at 7:00 am

Saratoga County Fairgrounds, 162 Prospect St, Ballston Spa, NY 12020
Only \$10 per person, includes door prize drawings, 8'x 8' "tailgate" space, and a chance to win the Grand Prize!

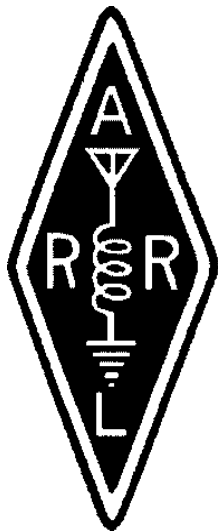
**** GRAND PRIZE: Icom IC-7300-MK2 ****

Plus, Bucket Prizes, which you can purchase tickets for up to FOUR additional big-ticket prizes

*****You don't have to be present to win the grand and bucket prizes*****

NEW This Year onsite overnight camping – must be reserved in advance Plus discounted blocks of rooms at nearby hotels (detail on back of this flyer)

NEW This Year online admission ticket purchasing (details on back of this flyer)



- NEW AND USED gear and accessories to haggle over
- Under-cover tables available for \$10 each
- VE exam to be held at 8:30 am (on site this year!)
- Delicious Food served all day
- Door prize drawings every 30 minutes (must be present to win)
- Pico Ballon Launch (weather permitting)
- Max Freddman, N4ML - 2026 DXpedition on Bouvet Island

Directions:

- I-87 to Exit 12
- West on Rt 67 to Ballston Spa
- At intersection of Rts 50 & 67, follow 50 North; look for HAMFEST signs
- In village, turn left at Citgo station on Prospect Street; up hill on left

Talk-In

K2DLL Repeater System
147.000 or 147.240 or 147.360
PL = 91.5 Hz.

GPS Coordinates

43.007438 ° -73.855821 °

For additional Information contact: Fred Halley, W2EMS - Phone: 518-505-3733 - - - Email: Hamfest@K2DLL.org

See us at: www.K2DLL.ORG or on Facebook at: <https://www.facebook.com/K2DLL>

• Discounted Hotel Rooms

- Fairfield Inn and Suites:

- Friday September 11th and / or the 12th, 2026 - \$139.00 plus tax per night (10%)
 - 101 Saratoga Village Blvd, Malta, NY 12020 - (518) 899-6900

- Home2 Suites:

- Friday September 11th and / or the 12th, 2026 - \$149.00 plus tax per night (10%)
 - 103 Saratoga Village Blvd, Malta, NY 12020 - (518) 899-9100

- *To take advantage of these great hotel prices please be sure to follow these simple rules:*

- Reservations must be made 30 days prior to your arrival.

You may cancel your reservation up to two days prior to your arrival if your plans change.

- Be sure to mention the "HAMFEST block of rooms" or "Amateur Radio" when calling to make your reservation.

• Online Hamfest and camping ticketing

- This year the Saratoga County Amateur Radio Association (SCARA) is offering online ticketing available for attendees for our 40th Annual Hamfest. On-site tickets will still be available.
- Tickets can be purchased by pointing your web browser to: <https://www.zeffy.com/en-US/ticketing/40th-annual-hamfest>
- Tickets are \$10 each and free for anyone under 18 years old.
- Also, we are offering camping on-site at the Fairgrounds for \$55 per site. You still need to purchase a Hamfest ticket.
- Just bring your receipt from the online purchase and we'll provide you with a paper ticket so you can be included in the "every half-hour door prize drawing", which you do need to be present to win.



Purchase Admission tickets and camping pass here