



Updates from AmRRON National – 06/03/2018

Note from JJS

Greetings AmRRON team!

June is now upon us and T-Rex is now less than two months away. The T-Rex planning team is doing stellar work putting the final exercise message traffic together and we're excited. It's going to be a great training exercise. I recently received an email asking if T-Rex is only for AmRRON Corps. Absolutely not! Although AmRRON Corps operators are doing the heavy lifting on the planning of the exercise, it is for anyone interested in practicing their emergency preparedness plan, either alone, as a family, or a large or small group. Participants do not even have to be radio operators. However, this IS a scenario-based exercise which is designed with radio communications in mind. In a real-world emergency when conventional communications are disrupted, the most efficient and self-reliant way to stay informed and inform others is with the use of non-commercial communications. This is your chance to encourage your friends, family, or group to consider moving communications to the top of the priority list, even if only for receiving. This can be done using a [shortwave radio receiver with Single Sideband \(SSB\)](#) for long and intermediate range communications, and/or a scanner for local coverage. Hopefully they'll see just how important communications is by the end of the exercise. And of course, the more one is trained and equipped, the more one is able to receive and even contribute.

All are invited. Keep checking AmRRON.com for more information about how to participate and get the most out of T-Rex and other future training exercises, and tell your non-AmRRON friends!

God bless, and 73,
-John Jacob Schmidt

Upcoming Training & Important Upcoming Dates

T-REX 2018 MARK YOUR CALENDARS for the 5th annual, nationwide grid-down disaster training exercise T-Rex! Friday, July 20th through Sunday, July 22nd, 2018.

Liberty State Visit [Liberty State Facebook Page](#) for the latest events

Red Pill Expo – Spokane, WA
June 21-23, 2018 World Premier of LAVOY: Dead Man Talking. [The Red Pill Expo Read More...](#)

General Updates

This week, we are celebrating the 7 year Anniversary of Radio Free Redoubt! As many of you know, AmRRON (the American Redoubt Radio Operators Network), was originally created as a network to keep the American Redoubt connected. It has since grown into a nationwide network! With the rapid growth, we have been working hard behind the scene implementing several updates to help support this crucial network! These updates will also help streamline some of the administrative tasks.

****THANK YOU**** There are several of you stepping up and helping keep the [Mission of AmRRON](#) moving forward! We appreciate you!

Are you new to AmRRON? and not sure where to start?
[Click HERE](#) for some resources!

AmRRON Surveys

The T-REX planning team needs your feedback!
Visit AmRRON.com for the 2018 [Pre-TREX Survey!](#)
Also, watch for the HF antenna survey results!

Rabid Rudolph Train Exercise

I want to encourage everyone to review the [Rabid Rudolph AAR](#)
This training is the lead up and for this year's T-Rex 2018. I can't stress enough how valuable and impactful the 'Rabid Rudolph' TRAINEX (AmRRON Training Exercise) was. Although there's no substitute for experience gained from personal hands-on training with your own skills and equipment, there is tremendous value in learning from others' experiences. Through this AAR you'll be able to glean from the reports of AmRRON Corps operators, both trainers and trainees alike, and I trust you'll be greatly encouraged by them.

Welcome Newest AmRRON Corps Members!

Welcome! Golf Whiskey-12 (NC), November Zulu-02 (TX), Whiskey Tango-21 (TX), Whiskey Tango-20 (TN), Oscar Papa-06 (OK), Whiskey Tango-19 (IL), India Tango-01 (WA) & Juliet Echo-11 (MT)!

[CLICK HERE TO LEARN MORE ABOUT JOINING AmRRON Corps!](#)

NEW BOOK S RELEASED

[The Divide | A Great State](#) – by Shelby Gallagher!

[Divided We Fall: A Novel of the Coming Civil War in America](#) & [Embers of Empire](#) by Mark Goodwin!

One Time Pad Exercise

[\[OTP EXERCISE\]](#) Hint: You will be using the Tree Series

“Let’s make some Birch Paper”

27807 89659 64069 55357 80545
39833 38436 90356 65368 47563
78173 82490 78872 05478 71611
94485 68604 65243 13675 26966
70159 63090 42558 8707

Were you able to decrypt the message? One guess on who this quote is from.

Let us know by emailing

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using subject title, “A man from the USSR”.

[What will the UN do if America does not comply with Agenda 21 ? They buy American infrastructure of course.](#)

[Ontario Canada talks about how great Hydro One is as their Utility Company.](#)

[North West Property Alliance is taking on the fight - will you?](#)

Earthquake Updates

www.emsc-csem.org

16 May 2018 Largest last 7 days earthquake in the ring of fire was a 5.4 in Papua Indonesia

15 May 2018 Largest last 7 days earthquake along US west coast was a 3.5 in San Francisco CA

14 May 2018 Largest last 7 days earthquake in the central US was a 4.1 in Oklahoma

Cascadia Subduction Zone activity- <https://pnsn.org/>

Training from other organizations
[Ham-Com 2018](#)

June 8-10th in Plano TX

[Western Pennsylvania Section Convention](#)

June 2 and 3rd in Prospect PA

[Southeastern Division Convention](#)

August 18-19, 2018

[37th annual ARRL-TAPR Digital Communications Conference \(DCC\)](#)

September 14 – 16 at the Sheraton Albuquerque Airport Hotel
in Albuquerque, New Mexico.

[Wyoming State Convention](#)

Sept 15, 2018

[Rocky Mountain Division Convention](#)

Sept 21 - 23, 2018

[Great Lakes HamCon](#)

October 6 - 7, 2018

Please check out Combat Studies Group for Internet Security classes in particular
<https://combatstudiesgroup.blogspot.nl/p/calendar.html>

Forward Observer has started doing in person classes again.
<https://forwardobserver.com/training/>

Comments, questions or suggestions for the newsletter, let us
know! **editor@amrron.com**

73, and God Bless!

John Jacob Schmidt

Kilauea Volcano in Hawaii
continues to put out more lava in
new parts of the island - **[Map](#)**

[Latest news on Kilauea Volcano](#)