

Three New Hams in Point Arena High School May 2016

Point Arena High School licensed two students and one instructor as amateur radio operators. After classes were held, the FCC Technician license test was administered. Lauren Curlee (KM6DAW) and Elise Allen (KM6DAU) earned a Technician class license upon passing the FCC exam. Ken Reynoldson (KE6WC) of the Anchor Bay Amateur Radio Club (ABARC.club) gave the course of instruction and along with Jim Johnson (KG6PTX) and Neil Jonkers (NJ6L) administered the examinations.

Technology Director, Howard Cole (now KM6DAV), also earned a technician class license. These young people are our future leaders and community service activists. Their commitment to study and pass this exam opens new doors of opportunity for them in careers and life adventures. PAHS is not only providing our children with a technical education, but also creating public service resources benefitting the coastal community.

PAHS is also in the process of organizing and setting up an Amateur Radio Club open to all students and staff. An amateur radio station is already installed in a classroom to augment the school's function as a Red Cross Emergency Shelter.