# The Valley Radio Club of Oregon and the American Radio Relay League (ARRL) Present Field Day 2025

Saturday, June 28, 11:00 am - Sunday, June 29, 2:00 pm

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### What is amateur radio?

Amateur radio has existed for more than 100 years, providing learning opportunities in computers, electronics, geography, math, and physics. There are no age limits. Amateur radio operators provide communications for numerous public events and emergency communications when called upon. Events like Field Day provide practice setting up and operating in emergencies such as earthquakes, wildfires, and floods.

To learn more, join us at Field Day, a club meeting, or on the web.

## What is ARRL?

With more than 137,000 members, ARRL is The National Association for Amateur Radio in the US. Our mission is to promote and protect the art, science, and enjoyment of amateur radio, and to develop the

next generation of radio amateurs. ARRL and its affiliated radio clubs provide benefits to members to discover radio, to develop new skills, and to serve local communities.

# What is ARRL Field Day?

ARRL Field Day is a radio communications event held annually that brings together amateur radio operators (also called "hams") in the US and Canada. The theme for Field Day 2025 is "Radio Connects" – highlighting the many ways that wireless technology connects people across distances near and far. The event is a picnic, a campout, practice for emergencies, an informal contest, and most of all, fun!



## Where will it be?

Lowell State Recreation Site, 850 Shore Line Drive, Lowell, OR 97452

#### Is there a parking fee?

There is no parking fee.



#### Park amenities

Lowell State Recreation Site has a large covered pavilion with picnic tables, water, electricity, BBQ grills, a swim beach, and a playground for kids.

## **Nighttime operation**

Overnight operators may sign up for a time slot and park overnight. Park gates close at 9:00 pm Saturday evening and reopen Sunday morning.

Be a part of the most popular on-the-air operating event in amateur radio.