

ARC at D-Day Commemoration



Alexandria Radio Club (ARC) members Gary Sessums-KC5QCN, Sean Gallagher-K4KBB, Stefano Fonda-K4IEW, and Jan Maas-KB2LRX participated in the City of Alexandria 2025 D-Day Commemoration to mark the 81st Anniversary of the D-Day landings and invasion of Normandy during World War II. Not pictured are Joe Kalfa-KD2HZG and Bjorn Jernudd-KC3A00.

The program included live period music, WWII reenactors, history displays, community tables, performances by the U.S. Army Fife and Drum Corps, and the Alexandria Citizens Band.

The event was held on Sunday June 1, 2025 from 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm in the Old Town neighborhood of Alexandria, Virginia.

The team setup a battery powered portable amateur radio station and antennas, distributed club flyers, answered questions from the community, while demonstrating voice and digital modes of amateur radio, including the use of Winlink email over ham radio.