

Yale University Amateur Radio Club -- W1YU

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Dear Linda,

Our Club requests to be known as the "Yale University Amateur Radio Club - W1YU".

Let me highlight a bit of our history. The Club has been in existence at Yale since 1926. It is an organization of amateur "ham" radio operators at Yale for mutual support and education, as well as for service to the Yale community. Over the years, the Club has evolved along with student life and technology. In its most recent incarnation, it was a Student Organization in Yale College with Tony Niesz as Faculty Advisor and a room in the 305 Crown St. building.

The Club became inactive as undergraduate membership fell to zero ca. 2003. At that time, we were asked to remove our equipment from 305 Crown St., and we lost registration with the College.

This year, a group of us has been re-energizing the Club, mainly around faculty, staff, and alumni, while still seeking out student hams as we can identify them. Thus, we are seeking recognition as a "non-undergraduate organization".

We intend to develop a broad membership of interested members from the Yale community. Today, we have a core group of 15 persons, and a total of over 40 on our mailing list.

We are happy to answer any further questions.

With best regards,

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