VK2 Notes – March 2015

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The 2015 AGM of ARNSW will be held on Saturday the 2 nd May at the VK2WI site. Nominations for committee have been called and will close at 12 noon on Saturday the 21 st March 2015 at 63 Quarry Road, Dural. Forms on the ARNSW web site.

The next round of the Foundation course and assessments conducted by ARNSW were scheduled for the 21 st and 22 nd March. As this weekend clashed with the John Moyle field day, the course and assessments have been moved to the 28 th February and the 1 st March. It is however - fully booked. The next available weekend is in May on the 23 rd and 24 th. Bookings are essential and have to be made by email to education@arnsw.org.au . Keep an ear on the VK2WI News Sunday sessions for where Foundation courses and assessments are available. To do this we ask that clubs and groups conducting these events to send a news item to VK2WI News at news@arnsw.org.au The Monday evening ARNSW upgrade course commences for 2015 on the 2 nd March, 7 to 9 pm. and will continue, except on public holidays, until mid November.

In 2014 ARNSW introduced a Development Fund which eligible VK2 clubs could apply for. It is on again this year with the close date of the 11 th April 2015. Check out the downloadable application form on the web site at <u>www.arnsw.org.au</u>

There will be one of the ARNSW field days at the VK2WI Dural site on Sunday the 8 th March at 10 am. The topics to be covered will be digital modes including P25, demonstration of microwave and the field use of same, along with D-Star. To plan the catering please email your interest in attending to <u>fieldday@arnsw.org.au</u> 73- Tim VK2ZTM.