

ARRL Youth Editor Position Description

Responsibilities

- Write one column each month (12 per year). Each column will have at minimum 1000 words (not including title, byline, etc). Each column will be original material written solely by the Youth Editor, and not have been published elsewhere in any form, including electronically.
- Each column will focus on youth and Amateur Radio activities involving youth. This can include (but is not limited to) contesting, DXing, homebrewing, giving licensing exams and Field Day. A “youth” is defined as someone who is a traditional-age college student or younger.
- Each column will be accompanied by a minimum of three pictures. Each picture will have its own caption (including first and last names and call signs, if applicable, of those in the picture) and photo credit (including call sign, if applicable).
- Each column will be due on a mutually agreed-upon date between the Youth Editor and the ARRL News Editor. The News Editor will edit the column for style and post it on the ARRL website.
- The ARRL Youth Editor will notify the ARRL News Editor if he/she encounters any problems writing the column.
- The ARRL Youth Editor may be requested to represent the ARRL at certain events, such as Dayton Hamvention and ARRL National Convention.

Qualifications

- Be a student in high school (traditional or home-schooled) or college.
- Posses a good understanding of English grammar and sentence structure.
- Able to meet deadlines.
- Able to take instruction to improve their writing skills.
- Able to take digital photos suitable for web publication.
- Hold a General or Amateur Extra class license.
- Be an ARRL member (and maintain membership through tenure of position).
- Maintain an e-mail address of **call sign@arrl.net**.

Please contact ARRL News Editor S. Khrystyne Keane, K1SFA with any questions via e-mail at k1sfa@arrl.org.