The Emily Fund

Emily Maytan AC2V was a staple of YARC. I never knew her, but I can not tell you how many hams Carol and I meet online, or at a hamfest who ask if we know Emily. After she became a Silent Key Jerry Peppers W8JPP started The Emily Fund.

It's purpose is to help a person who can not afford the educational material or the test fee, to supply them with what they need and help them become a Ham.

With Field Day comming up and a surge in new hams recently, would you like to help?



Emily in her Shack



Emily's wall of awards



Emily cleaning The Beam



Emily & Paul AC2T Cleaning
The Beam Traps



What's inside your traps



A clean beam performs in all types of weather

Congratulations, Emily!

Emily Maytan, AC2V, of Yonkers, New York, has become the first American YL to win the "100-SM" award for confirmed contacts with 100 Swedish amateurs. Only 659 other amateurs worldwide have won the award. AC2V's was endorsed for making all 100 contacts on 21 MHz CW.

Primarily a CW operator, Emily was first licensed as a Novice in 1976: Originally WB2DXP, she rose quickly through the license classes, earning her Extra class ticket, and one-by-two callsign, in 1978. AC2V has won some 40 other operating awards and is a member of the "Dipioma Interest Group" (#3189), a certificate-hunting group which requires a minimum of 25 operating awards before issuing a number.

Emily shares her shack with husband Paul, AC2T, and soon to be married daughter Karen, WD2AHI. She is a member of the ARRL, YLRL and 10-X International, and serves on the board of directors of the Westchester Emergency Communications Association, a Westchester County, New York, public service club and ARRL Special Service Club.

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For information on The Emily Fund contact AC2T, AA2HX, W8JPP, WB2AUL, KA2FBL or you could just write a check and in the memo write "The Emily Fund", and if you do Thanks in advance!

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