

## Handheld Radio Help

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Help File should cover most BaoFeng & Rugged handheld radio's but some models have different key boards. The below information was taken from the BaoFeng BF-F8HP owners manual.

The Club channels are all VHF frequency's within the range of (150.000 - 160.000 MHz).

To use the Club channels your radio has to be in that frequency range.

Read your owners manual or contact your vendor.

Settings	How To
A/B select (Blue Key)	Change between upper & lower display
Entering Keypad numbers	Freq. mode VFO/MR - Use "Exit" key if you enter a wrong number.
FM radio	Press "Call" Orange side button momentarily (Again to exit)
High/Low power	"#Key" (Lower right key) Press to change power (Don't hold down)
Scanning Channels	Hold "*Scan" key 2 sec. To Stop scan push EXIT key
Unlock/Lock radio	Hold down "#Key" at bottom right for 2 seconds
Up & Down Arrows	Change Freq. up & down
VFO/MR Key (Orange)	Changes between Channel & Freq. mode
VOX Mode	(Hot mike) ** Don't use off road **. Set using "Menu" (See manual)

**\*\* Your radio does not have to be programmed to use it on trail rides.**

Use Blue key to select upper numbers then select the VFO/MR key.

See Tech Talk - Club Radio Channel's - Frequency's are listed.

Enter the frequency number for your group. Use all six numbers (000.000).

On some radio's you can lock the channel to prevent an accidental change.

Some older or other brand radio's have fixed frequency's and cannot be programmed unless you have special cables or software.

**\*\*\*\* DO NOT USE Club or other VHF frequency's for your personal use. The allotted frequency's are for trail rides ONLY. If there is other traffic on that channel, contact your group leader for a possible change of frequency.**

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