

Irving ARC, Inc. Newsletter Jan. 2012

Irving Amateur Radio Club Inc.

P.O. Box 153333, Irving, TX 75015-3333

The Friendly Bunch - Website <http://www.irvingarc.org>

President: James Comer KB5FVS,

Vice President: Stan Disbrow WA2KQY,

Treasurer: Chris Shanahan KE5KPC

Board Members: James Shugart N5BKL, Dennis Riise K5AVT,

Bob Alexander W5AH, and Tom Sheussler N5HYP

WA5CKF Repeaters: 146.72 MHz (110.9 Hz), 224.40 MHz (110.9 Hz), 442.675 MHz (110.9 Hz)



Happy Birthday!

February:

- ⤴ KB5FVS James Comer
- ⤴ WA5MJB Chuck Beaupre
- ⤴ AD5KE Doyle Taylor
- ⤴ N5BKL James Shugart
- ⤴ KE5KCB Chris Hernandez

January:

- ⤴ KE5MBY Pittman Haymore
- ⤴ KF5MYB James Bratton
- ⤴ KC5TQJ Charles Phillips
- ⤴ WA5GXP Ira Wiesenfeld
- ⤴ KA5EYJ Wesley Dyer
- ⤴ KD5QFH Coleta Taylor

General Meeting:

DATE: January 26th, 2012

TIME: 7:30PM

LOCATION: Senter Park East
228 Chamberlain, Irving, TX

IARC Inc. CHRISTMAS DINNER

A good time was had by all!



Irving ARC Inc – The *GIVING* Bunch
During 2011, the club has donated time and funds to the following deserving organizations:

Irving Cares
Brighter Tomorrows
Great Days of Service
Salvation Army
American Heart Association
Irving 4th of July Parade
Boy Scouts of America JOTA
Boy Scouts of America Merit Badge Classes
K5BSA Amateur Radio Society

Upcoming Meetings:

Board Meeting:

February 9th at 7:30 PM

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Weekly Wednesday Morning Breakfast

Every Wednesday at 8:30AM, a group of IARC Inc. members and guests gather for breakfast, coffee, etc., at McDonald's, 2410 N. Story Rd. and 183, (East side of Story, before Rochelle).

Please join us for breakfast!

Monthly Newsletter Recipe For the New Year! Crock Pot Black Eyed Peas

- 3 cups of dry black-eyed peas (symbolizes luck in the New Year)
- 5 strips bacon (symbolized progress)
- 4 stalks celery - chopped
- 1/2 cup onion - chopped
- 4 cloves garlic - chopped
- 1 jalapeno - chopped
- 1 beer
- 2 cans chicken broth
- 2 - 3 cups water

1. Using dried black-eyed peas, soak them in water, making sure the water covers the peas completely for at least 3 hours (but preferably overnight). In a skillet, pan-fry bacon and remove to plate.
2. In remaining bacon grease, sauté celery, onion and garlic.
3. Pour black-eyed peas into crock pot or slow cooker, add sautéed vegetables, chopped jalapeno, crumbled bacon, beer, chicken broth and water. Make sure water covers the top of the peas.
4. Set Crock Pot on low for 6-8 hours.
5. Serve with sauerkraut or collard greens (symbolizing wealth), kielbasa (representing progress) and corn bread (representing happiness)

Recipe courtesy Coleta KD5QFH

Yes it is that time of the year again!!!!

IARC Inc. 2012 dues were due Sept. 1, 2011. Past due Nov. 1, 2011. Dues are \$15.00 per year, family members are \$7.50 (living in the same household).

Those that have paid their 2012 dues --- Thank You.

You may bring your dues to the general meeting on Dec. 15th, 2011 at 6PM at Golden Corral or mail them to:

IARC Inc.
P.O. Box 153333
Irving, TX. 75015-3333
Thank You .
Coleta M. Taylor KD5QFH PIO
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HamFest Volunteers Needed!

Sign up at
<http://www.irvingarc.org/iarchamfest.html>

The next Hamfest Meeting is at Betcha Bingo on February 21st at 7PM.

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10th Annual Hamfest

March 10, 2012

8:00 am – 2:00 pm

**Betcha Bingo Hall, 2420 W. Irving Blvd. #125,
Irving, TX 75061**

Directions: State Hwy 183, exit Story Rd., south on Story Rd., cross intersection of Irving Blvd. (behind Bank of The West on the right)

Hourly Door Prizes

Lots of Fun

ARRL Sponsored VE Testing

For more information, contact:
www.irvingarc.org/iarchamfest.html
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