

# IARC, Inc News



Irving Amateur Radio Club Inc. – P.O. Box 153333, Irving, TX 75015-3333  
The Friendly Bunch – Website <http://www.irvingarc.org/> - WA5CKF Repeaters  
146.72 (110.9 Hz) – 224.40 – 442.675 MHz - Public Service

**August 2008**

## **Upcoming Scheduled Meetings**

Next scheduled Board Meeting, Sept. 11 at 7:30 p.m. at Heritage Park  
Next scheduled General Meeting, Sept. 25 at 7:30 p.m. at Senter Park East

**The program for the August General Meeting will be given by Jim Shultz W5OMG on Fox Hunting – Directional Finding.**

**Clean out your Ham Shack and bring it to the Swap Table at the General Meeting each month**

## **Monthly Fox Hunt**

A monthly Fox Hunt is held on each Sunday following the 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday general club meeting. Starting point is SH183 & Story Road in the parking lot on the northwest corner at 1:30 pm. Winner of the hunt gets to be the FOX next time. All Amateur Radio operators are welcome.

Fox Hunt has been postponed. Will let you know when it starts up again.

## Equipment for Sale

Kenwood HF-SSB Transceiver, TS-520 [100 Watt] w/D104 Mic, DC Cable, AC Cable and Manual [Copy]. Cost \$250.00

If interested contact Dennis Riise at [K5AVT@verizon.net](mailto:K5AVT@verizon.net)

## Local Activity Section

23 August -- Cooke County Amateur Radio Club Hamfest, Gainesville Civic Center, 311 South Weaver Street, Gainesville, TX. Talk-In: 147.34 and 442.775 (both PL 100). For more information check:

<http://www.gainesvillehamfest.org>

4 October -- HamEXPO, Bell County Expo Center, 301 West Loop 121, Belton, TX. Talk-In: 146.820 (PL 123.0). For more information check:

<http://www.beltonhamexpo.org>

10-11 October -- Paris Texas Radio Group Hamfest, Red River Valley Fairgrounds, 570 East Center Street, Paris, TX. Talk-In: 147.040+ (PL 100) For more information check: <http://www.paristexasradio.com>

24-25 October -- Texoma Hamarama, Ardmore Convention Center, 2401 North Rockford Road, Ardmore, OK. Talk-In: 146.97 for more information check: <http://www.angelfire.com/tx5/TexomaHamarama/>

## CONGRATULATIONS!

The ARRL has awarded the prestigious Herb S Briar Instructor of the Year Award for 2008 to Doug Loughmiller, W5BL of McKinney, Texas.

The Foundation for Amateur Radio has announced the scholarship winners for 2008. The Richard G. Chichester, Memorial Scholarship - \$2000, sponsored by Patricia and Jack Chichester, W9AMF, was awarded to Tamara Sevier, KE5DJZ, Austin, Texas. 10-10 International Net Scholarship - \$1500 was awarded to Francis T Gradijan, KD5HTB, Carrollton, Texas. Way to go Tamara and Francis!

## **Every Wednesday Morning**

**Starting Wed. April 2, 2008 -- 8:30 am, a group of IARC Inc. members and guest will meet for breakfast , coffee etc., at McDonald's, 2410 N Story Rd and 183 , (East side of Story , before Rochelle) .**

**Come join us**

## **Recipe**

### **Chicken Broccoli Casserole**

1 can cream of mushroom soup                      ¾ cup milk  
2 cups diced cooked chicken                      1 10 oz package frozen broccoli  
1 box stuffing mix for chicken (prepare according to saucepan directions)

Mix soup and milk pour in a 9" square baking dish. Layer chicken over the soup; add the broccoli on top of the chicken. Top with stuffing and bake 1 hour at 350 F.

## **New Members**

Marvin "Ike" Rich KB5WRN

## **Upcoming VE Test Sessions**

VE Testing Sessions are held every 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday at 8:30 am Betcha Bingo #2 2420 Irving Blvd (Story and Irving Blvd), Irving, TX you will need:

2 forms of identification – one must include photo

Pencils or pens (black or blue)

Your current Amateur Radio License (if you have one) and a copy of same to file with your application; your CSCE; and a copy of same, if you have completed relative elements at a prior session

**\*\*\$14.00 exam fee\*\***

Contact for further information

Chuck Beaupre 972/745-8456

Dennis Riise 972/255-8187

Doyle Taylor 972/579-9089

## Birthdays

### August

David Scott AC5UW – 8/1  
Patrick Jankowiak KD5OEI – 8/2  
Linda McMullen Assoc – 8/15  
Bob Barnes N5WZ – 8/16  
Keith Mears KM5MFP – 8/21  
Lee Vincent K5LMH – 8/25

### September

Wayne Schollian K3WN – 9/19  
Thomas Gray N5OGU – 9/20  
French Crook Jr. KB5TFC – 9/23  
Bob Alexander W5AH – 9/24  
Ryan Ingolia K5NRP – 9/24  
Dennis Christensen N5DJC – 9/28  
Mike Ihry N5KB – 9/29

## Ham Shack Dennis Brady – Chairman

We have recently restored the IARC station to full operation on bands 80 – 10. There are two functional stations available for use. Contact Dennis Brady 972/790-9026 or any of the Club officers to gain access to the station/equipment.

## Minutes

### IARC Inc. Business meeting minutes of July 10, 2008 at Heritage Park, Irving, TX.

The meeting was called to order by Pres. Dennis Riise, approx 7:30pm.

Prayer

Pledge of allegiance by the membership.

11 signed the roster --- 5 boards -- 4 members --2 visitor--Kim Price, Marvin "Ike " Rich KB5WRN

Motion to accept new member application of Marvin "Ike " Rich KB5WRN by Chuck AD5XF second by James N5BKL motion carried, application will be presented to the membership at the July 24 meeting.

Motion by Chuck AD5XF to accept business meeting minutes of June 12, 2008 read by Secretary Coleta Taylor, second by Jeff WA5RWO motion carried.

Motion by Chuck AD5XF to accept General meeting minutes June 26, 2008 as read by secretary Coleta Taylor ,second by ,Jeff WA5RWO , motion carried.

Treasurer Report June 30, 2008 by Doyle Taylor:

Motion by Chuck AD5XF to accept treasurer's report, second by James N5BKL, motion carried.

Motion to purchase Tristao manual crank up tower Mod. # 354 Sn# 530728, ----rotor and controller CDE model TR-44. --- Mosley TA-33. three element trapped triband yagi, designed for 10, 15, and 20 meters, used at Field Day 2008, from Jim Hoge W5QM , by Chuck AD5XF second by James N5BLK, motion carried.

Reminder:

Meeting adjourned approx 8:20 pm.

Respectfully Submitted  
IARC Inc. Secretary  
Coleta M. Taylor KD5QFH

**IARC Inc. minutes of general meeting July 24, 2008, at Senter Park East Irving, TX.**

The meeting was called to order approx 7:30 Pm by  
Pres. Dennis Riise  
Prayer by Tom N5HYP  
Pledge of allegiance by the membership

In attendance were 15 Members and 1 Guests: Marvin "Ike" Rich KB5WRN.

Motion to accept new member applications of Marvin "Ike" Rich KB5WRN. By Chuck AD5XF second by Tom N5HYP, motion carried.  
Welcome to IARC Inc.

Concerns, Prayers for the families of  
Bill K5VKL and Gay Flowers  
James Shugart's uncle in Temple...

Programs of the night by Jeff WA5RWO, slide show of field day event June 28 -29, 2008 and Prior 4th July parade  
Very good visitor turn out, Tom will have points report later.

IARC Inc.'s communications participation in the Irving 4th July parade another successful event of communications. A few mishaps, one stalled vehicle, 2 ambulance runs for injured spectators. ---23 Parade Monitors.--101 parade entries.

Refreshments of cookies and cold drinks by Amelia Shultz were enjoyed by all present.

Club Shirts:

Doyle brought several to view. Shirts with a pocket, button front, and collar.  
Coleta will make contacts for quotes and colors available.

Suggestions:

Color (safety green) (bright yellowish-green)  
Club logo on right front,  
Pocket on left front,  
Special Event Team on the back.

Chuck Ferguson chairperson: Whether or not the trailer meets the needs of the club.  
To volunteer for the committee, just email me at [AD5XF@ARRL.NET](mailto:AD5XF@ARRL.NET)  
The discussion centers on whether or not the trailer meets the needs of the club. Is it too heavy to move to sites where we need it? How often do we need it? Does it cost more to maintain than the value it gives the club? And other such issues.  
This message is about getting your input on the discussion. I'm looking for two things: 1) your views on the topic; and, 2) volunteers to be a part of the committee to evaluate all of the views from all of the members and make a recommendation to the Club.

50 /50 Raffle \$ 24.00--(\$ 12.00 each) the winner was Richard Baker N5VKR and he donated his share to the general fund. Thank you Richard.

Fox Hunt has been canceled until further notice. Members will be informed when the HUNT begins again.

Red Hot Chile Pepper event --Aug. 16, 2008 --Operators needed, Contact Richard KE6LOU.

Meeting adjourn approx 9:15 pm

Respectfully Submitted  
IARC Inc. Secretary  
Coleta Taylor KD5QFH

**Deadline for articles for September Newsletter is August 30**

## IARC Officers and Board Members

President	Vice President	Treasurer	Secretary
Dennis Riise	James Shugart	Doyle Taylor	Coleta Taylor
K5AVT	N5BKL	AD5KE	KD5QFH
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### Directors

Chuck Ferguson	Vern Kilburn	Tom Schuessler	Richard Bartlett
AD5XF	KE5HXT	N5HYP	KE6LOU
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To send an email to any of the board left click on the email address.