

# IARC, Inc Newsletter



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

**January 2010**

## **Upcoming Scheduled Meetings**

Next scheduled Board Meeting, January 14 at 7:30 p.m. at Heritage Park  
Next scheduled General Meeting, January 28 p.m. at Senter Park East

The program for the January meeting will be given by Tom Schuessler N5HYP on  
“Propagation”.

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

## **Monthly Fox Hunt**

The Fox Hunt has been postponed until January 31, 2010.

Since we started the Fox Hunts again we've had one hunter show up both times (Thanks Chris KE5KPC). We understand the summer can be tough so we'll send out an email blast after the General meeting-if we don't get any responses we won't go out that Sunday.

Thanks!

Jim W5OMG

**Irving Amateur Radio Club, Inc. Members:**

There will be a planning meeting Monday, Jan.25, 2010, 7:30 pm at Betcha Bingo # 2 (Story & Irving Blvd. behind Bank of the West) for the 8th IARC, Inc. Hamfest,

Jim Shultz W5OMG Hamfest Chairman for 2010 has asked all IARC, Inc. members to attend and help plan for the up coming 8th Annual Hamfest Mar. 13, 2010.

If you can't make the planning meeting, email Coleta at [coleta.mt@verizon.net](mailto:coleta.mt@verizon.net) or call 972-579-9089 to sign up as a volunteer. We need all us to make this another successful event.

A few have already volunteered.  
Thank you.

If I can be of any assistance, please let me know.

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Secretary

Coleta M. Taylor KD5QFH

We need to advertise our hamfest again.

Please feel free to copy the IARC Inc. 8th Annual Hamfest flyer for distribution.

IARC Inc. 8th Annual Hamfest  
March 13, 2010

Thanks to Richard KE6LOU, we have a flyer with the logos on it.

Please go the club website [www.irvingarc.org](http://www.irvingarc.org)

Click on 8th Hamfest link to the left

This will bring up the Hamfest page, about midway down use the click here for the hamfest flyer. This will bring up the hamfest flyer.

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## **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**

From Southern Living Cookbook, 1986

### **Cranberry Nut Relish**

1 small thin-skin orange, quartered  
2 cups fresh cranberries  
1 medium apple, quartered, and seeded  
2 cups pecan halves  
 $\frac{3}{4}$  cup sugar

Position knife blade in food processor bowl; add quartered orange ,with skin. Cover with top; process 3 minutes or until orange peel is finely chopped. Check time. Add cranberries, apple and pecans; pulse 4 times, scraping sides of the processor bowl between each pulse (may take more times). Remove cranberry mixture from processor bowl, and add sugar, stirring well. Cover and chill. Better the next day. Yield: 3 cups.

- If you have a thick skinned orange (like a naval orange), I just peel and scrape off the white pithy part. Put the peel in the bowl with the orange quarters.

## 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

W5YI \$14.00 exam fee –cash, correct change please

ARRL \$15.00 exam fee—cash, correct change please

Contact for further information

Chuck Beaupre 972/745-8456

Dennis Riise 972/255-8187

Doyle Taylor 972/579-9089

## Birthdays

### January

Charles Phillips – KC5TQJ  
Ira Wiesenfeld – WA5GXP  
Ray Story – K5ANG  
Wesley Dyer – KA5EYJ  
Coleta Taylor – KD5QFH  
Joshua Elson – KD5ZBD

### February

James Comer – KB5FVS  
Chuck Deaupre – WA5MJB  
Doyle Taylor – AD5KE  
Anthony Harwood – N5WLS  
James Shugart – N5BKL  
Chris Hernandez – KE5KCB

## 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 Dec.10, 2009 at Heritage Park, Irving, TX.

The meeting was called to order by Presidents Riise K5AVT, approx 7:30Pm.

Prayer Tom N5HYP

Pledge of allegiance by the membership.

7 signed the roster --- 5 board = 2 members

Motion by Chris KE5KPC to accept business meeting minutes of Nov.12, 2009 read by secretary Coleta Taylor, second by James N5BKL motion carried.

Motion by Chris KE5KPC to accept General meeting minutes Nov.19, 2009 as read by Secretary Coleta Taylor, second by Tom N5HYP motion carried.

Treasurer Report Nov.30, 2009 by Doyle Taylor,

Motion by James N5BKL to accept treasurer's report, second by Chris KE5KPC motion carried.

#### \*\*\*\*Notes \*\*\*\*

Doyle, AD5KE, Richard, KE6LOU, Chris, KE5KPC, Dennis, K5AVT and Tom, N5HYP met Nov. 21 at 1 pm -Betcha Bingo Ham Shack to take the IARC Inc. Inventory. It went very well still a few places and items to be inventoried.

ARRL Field event in June 2010.

Garden & Arts is confirmed for the Field Day over night event this will use the 2 buildings we are given each month free of charge. Therefore we will have the June 10th and 24th meetings at the Betcha Bingo Hall # 2.

New 220 MHz repeater & controller by Pacific Research have been received and stored at the ham shack vault. Chris KE5KPC has the manuals to study for controller programming needs.

Boy Scout activities planning by Tom N5HYP. We should limit club liability to 2-3 connected activities a year.

Tom N5HYP will have an ARRL Kids day at the National Scouting Museum Jan. 3, 2010. Noon to 5pm.Using IARC Inc. equipment.

Tom N5HYP will set up a scout merit badge program at the National Scouting Museum, Mar. 6, 2010. Operators needed.

Special Achievement awards by Pres. Dennis Riise K5AVT to be presented at the Christmas dinner.

IARC Inc. Christmas dinner at the Golden Corral 6pm Dec. 17, 2009.White Elephant gift exchange.

Election committee will be appointed in Jan. 2010 .Election of 2010 officers and directors will be Mar. 25, 2010 at the general meeting.

Fox Hunt to start again in Jan. Jim W5OMG will be the fox.

Tom N5HYP will have the program on Propagation at the Jan. 28, 2010 general meeting.

2010 Hamfest flyer have been printed and flyer information has been sent to all IARC Inc, members for them to print and distribute.

Meeting adjourned approx 9 pm.

Respectfully Submitted  
IARC Inc. Secretary  
Coleta M. Taylor KD5QFH

**Irving amateur Radio Club Inc. Christmas dinner at Golden Corral**  
**Irving, TX. Dec. 17, 2009**

In the absent of pres. Dennis Riise, K5AVT home sick, walking pneumonia  
V=Pres James Shugart N5BKL presided over the Dinner

Prayer =Chuck Beaupre WA5MJB

Pledge by the membership, Duncan Parkes son of Lance Parkes KE5YCJ, held the US flag.

24 signed the sign in sheet and a Card for Bill Haney N5LF who in the Irving Hospital Rm #  
305== Heart Attack??

2010 IARC Inc. Hamfest Flyer was on the table for those that wanted to take them.

Happy Birthday Day to Dec. and Jan. members

Donation letters: \$1000.00 to each  
Pass around for all to see -note ck on the back  
Irving Salvation Army  
Irving Cares ==Food Pantry  
Brighter Tomorrows ==Irving Women's Shelter

Special Honor Award plaques were given to:

Lee Vincent K5LMH  
Chris Shanahan KE5KPC  
Tom Schuessler N5HYP

Jim Shultz W5OMG (not in attendance, home sick, Amelia KD5TXQ his XYL accepted his  
award for him)

Richard Bartlett KE6LOU (not in attendance, will be given at a later date)

White Elephant gift exchange-- Fun time, good food and fellowship.

Pictures by Raymond Jeffcoat WA5RWO

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IARC Inc. Secretary  
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Deadline for articles for February Newsletter is January 30

### **IARC Officers and Board Members**

President Dennis Riise K5AVT	Vice President James Shugart N5BKL	Treasurer Doyle Taylor AD5KE	Secretary Coleta Taylor KD5QFH
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<b>Directors</b> Chris Shanahan KE5KPC	Vern Kilburn KE5HXT	Tom Schuessler N5HYP	Richard Bartlett KE6LOU
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