

# 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

**December 2010**

## **Upcoming Scheduled Meetings**

Next scheduled Board Meeting, Nov. 11, at 7:30 p.m. at Heritage Park  
Next scheduled General Meeting, Nov. 18, at 7:30 p.m. at Senter Park East

Next scheduled Board Meeting, Dec 8, at 7:30 p.m. at Heritage Park  
Next scheduled General Meeting, Dec 16, at 6:00 p.m. at Golden Coral (Christmas Party)

The program for the November will be a demo on Amateur Radio Satellite given by Tom Schuessler N5HYP.

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

## **Monthly Fox Hunt**

**The next Fox Hunt is postponed until January. An email will go out to remind all you Fox hunters.**

The Fox will be Kent Weeks KF5HDU. We will send out an email blast after the General meeting-if we don't get any responses we won't go out that Sunday.

Don't forget the winner gets to hold the sought-after trophy for the month.

**Mark your calendar !!!**

**CHRISTMAS DINNER**

**Invitation for a fun night of visiting and  
good food with friends and family**

IRVING AMATEUR RADIO CLUB INC.

CHRISTMAS DINNER

DATE: Thursday, December 16, 2010

TIME: 6PM

LOCATION: Golden Corral  
1701 N. Beltline Rd. Irving, TX,  
Ph # 972-790-6665

**WHITE ELEPHANT GIFT EXCHANGE!!!!  
BRING A GIFT – RECEIVE A GIFT**

## **Hamfest**

### **COWTOWN HAMFEST 2011**

Cowtown Hamfest, the original Hamfest in the Fort Worth Metroplex. The event date, January 14-15, 2011 at Lockheed Martin Recreation Area, 3400 Bryant Irvin Road, Fort Worth, Texas 76109.

Doors open Friday evening the 14<sup>th</sup> at 3:00 pm until 8:00pm. Saturday the 15<sup>th</sup> we open at 8:00am and close at 3:00pm. Lunch, Bar-B-Q sandwiches, is available Saturday at 11:00am. Morning coffee and snacks will also be available. Door prizes will be awarded through out the event. The main prize will be at the events end.

Volunteers are needed; free entrance will be given in return for a minimum of 2 hours volunteer time. Volunteer by contacting Ken Bush at [kb5ybi@dot11net.net](mailto:kb5ybi@dot11net.net) or David Forbes at [KC5UYR@compuserve.com](mailto:KC5UYR@compuserve.com).

The event will feature large vendor areas over 100 tables and outdoor tailgate flea market. Several well known commercial vendors will be present. Vendors should go to the website for table availability and or contact Kevin Vickers at [kdvickers@aol.com](mailto:kdvickers@aol.com). Educational programs, and VE Testing, will be conducted through out Saturday. Talk-in is 147.28 tone 110.9. Cowtown Hamfest is sponsored by the Lockheed Martin Amateur Radio Club, W5SJZ and LMRA. Website is located at [www.cowtownhamfest.org](http://www.cowtownhamfest.org) and personal contact can be made with David Forbes, KC5UYR, [KC5UYR@compuserve.com](mailto:KC5UYR@compuserve.com)

### **NEW MEMBERS**

Harold Wylie – KE5FIW

## Recipe

### Peach Cobbler

Preheat oven 400 degrees.

# 1 =Melt 1/3 cup butter in a 9 x 13 oven baking dish

# 1 =Combine

1 (29 oz) sliced peaches w/heavy syrup (do not drain)

3/4 C sugar

1/4 tsp. or each = nutmeg, cinnamon, all spice and ground cloves

# 2 =Combine

1 C flour

1/2 C sugar

1 tsp baking powder

dash salt

1 C milk

Pour 1st mixture (peaches) into baking dish, with melted butter.

Add 2nd mixture (batter) to the 1st mixture, spreading over all the peaches.

Bake 25 minutes. or until lightly brown

## 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**

## Equipment for Sale

If interested contact Chuck Beaupre WA5MJB

Kenwood Box – Junk	Asking Price
2 – Antennas – Mag Mounts	\$15.00 ea
1 – Filter (low pass)	\$20.00
3 – 18 con. Plastic box	\$10.00

1 – 10 x 18 Plastic box w/wire & junk	\$10.00
1 – plastic/steel util. box	\$15.00
1 – Mfj ant. Tuner 936B & 40m quad. Plastic/wire	\$70.00
1 – mini Mfj and power meter 812B	\$20.00
1 – EDC 20 mountings	\$5.00
1 – H-keyer (paddle)	\$30.00
1 – Larson mag. Mount	\$15.00
1 – weller – soldering sta.	\$25.00
1 – VHF/UHF ant. New style (UHF con)	\$15.00
1 – ½” Dual Band – Pole Mount Ant	\$20.00
2 – 259 jumpers – 4 ft @ 2 ft	\$1.00
1 – ICOM IC 756 HF – 6 meters (10 Meters X mtr?)	\$1000.00
1 – box keyer (V) & access)	\$20.00
1 – Mfj H. keyer & mem. Box 850-1002	\$70.00
1 – Electrocraft – kit 40M/20M	\$100.00
1 – Alinco DR 590 T/E	\$100.00
1 – Kenwood TM221A – 2 meter xcvr	\$75.00
1 – drawer w/manuals goes with radios	

## **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

### November

Kent Weeks – KF5HDU  
Billy Moore – KC5EIE  
Bill Haney – N5LF  
Melodye Green – Assoc.  
Tommy Carver – N5PLT  
Ray McCoy – N5CSG  
Bob Wiemers – W5FIG

### December

Tom Schuessler – N5HYP  
Lance Parkes – KE5YCJ  
Gregory Scheretter – KE5ZYA  
Raymond Jeffcoat – WA5RWO  
Nick Disher – KE5KGK  
Ralph Rogers – K5KGK  
Joe Martin – KM5CW  
Tim Fooks – KF5FRV

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. minutes of general meeting Oct.28, 2010, at Senter Park East Irving, TX.**

The meeting was called to order approx 7:30 Pm  
by Pres. Dennis Riise K5AVT  
Prayer by Tom N5HYP  
Pledge by the membership

In attendance were 16 members and 4 visitors ==KC5DFE George Carpenter=Duncan Parkes  
=Cullen Weeks and Loren Weeks

Programs for the night: discussion of programs, recap of Jota event Oct. 16, 2010

Motion to accept new members, Shane Woodward KF5ISZ and Harold Wylie KE5FIW by James N5BLK, second by Coleta KD5QFH motion carried.  
Welcome to IARC Inc.

Prayer Concerns:

Doyle AD5KE has a herniated disc, taking therapy and injections.

Bill Caldwell AC5BC -- Bill Flowers N5VLK

Refreshments of cookies and cold drinks by Amelia KD5TXQ were enjoyed by all present.

Reminder: Note \*\*

IARC Inc. 2011 dues are due Sept. 1, 2010 past due Nov. 1, 2010.

Those that paid their dues. Thank you.

Next Fox Hunt Oct. 31, 2010 James KB5FVS and Chris KE5KPC will be the Fox.  
Kent Weeks KF5HDU won the hunt last month, but will not be available this month.

IARC Inc. Christmas Dinner at the Golden Corral Irving, TX. 6pm Dec. 16, 2010. White Elephant gift exchange.

50/50 raffle \$54.00 Split \$17 each =Tom N5HYP was the winner.

Meeting adjourn approx 8:30 pm

Respectfully Submitted

IARC Inc. Secretary

Coleta Taylor KD5QFH

### **IARC Inc. Business meeting minutes of Oct.14, 2010 at Heritage Park Irving, TX.**

The meeting was called to order by  
V-Pres. James Shugart. N5BKL, approx 7:30Pm.  
Prayer by Tom N5HYP  
Pledge of allegiance by the membership.  
8 signed the roster --- 6 board = 2 members

Motion by James Comer KB5FVS to accept business meeting minutes of Sept. 9, 2010 read by secretary Coleta Taylor, second by Bob W5AH motion carried.

Motion by Bob W5AH to accept General meeting minutes Sept. 23, 2010 as read by secretary Coleta Taylor ,second by ,Tom N5HYP ,motion carried.

Treasurer report as read by Chris KE5KPC Treasurer:  
Sept. 30, 2010 = Motion by James C.KB5FVS to accept treasurer's report, second by Tom N5HYP motion carried.

James Comer KB5FVS has agreed to volunteer as IARC Inc. 2011 Hamfest Chairperson  
Thank You.

Special Concerns:

AC5BC, Bill Caldwell Jr. == Bill Flowers K5VKL

**W5BTG Raphord Scott Became a SK 9/27/10**

Note \*\*

IARC, Inc. Christmas dinner at the Golden Corral, 6Pm Dec. 16, 2010.Irving, TX.

2nd Qtr. 2010 Bingo Distribution due the last of Sept. 2010

BSA efforts managed by Tom N5HYP, JOTA event will be Oct 16, 2010. Operators needed.

Charles McLarty N5AOE, SK equipment list will be made & sale offers will be made to members.

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Meeting adjourned approx 8:30 pm.

Respectfully Submitted  
IARC Inc. Secretary  
Coleta M. Taylor KD5QFH

Deadline for articles for December Newsletter is November 30

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

President	Vice President	Treasurer	Secretary
Dennis Riise K5AVT	James Shugart N5BKL	Chris Shanahan KE5KPC	Coleta Taylor KD5QFH

### **Directors**

Bob Alexander W5AH	Roy McCoy N5CGS	James Comer KB5FVS	Tom Schuesslar N5HYP
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