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W5LM Repeaters
146.820 MHz (PL 123.0)
444.700 MHz (PL 123.0)

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UPCOMING EVENTS

Club Meeting Thursday August 3rd 7:00 P.M

**Western Hills Church of Christ
210 N General Bruce Dr
Temple**

Be sure to attend the August club meeting.

It's been a real scorcher lately and ice cream is just the ticket to help cool off.

**Don't forget the Monday night net!
7:00 P.M. on the 146.82 repeater.**

SOLAR ECLIPSE – AUGUST 21ST

Central Texas will experience about 75% coverage of the Sun during the eclipse. Remember to not look at directly at the Sun. Either use an indirect method of viewing the eclipse or use properly designed and certified filters and glasses.

Belton July 4th parade

Road construction forced a change in parade staging. All entrants lined up at UMHB. This eliminated the long march from Industrial down Main St and over the overpass. This greatly simplified the staging and made the entrant merging process unnecessary. Thanks to all of those that worked the parade. Once again the weather smiled on us with the temperature staying tolerable. Thanks go to UMHB, which again provided its electric carts for parade use.

Ham Expo

Registrations have been strong for Fall Ham Expo. Several people have also inquired about the dates for 2018. That is a good sign as it means people are planning ahead.

It appears that the majority of the hand stamps have gone missing. Did anyone take them home to clean them? They were over inked (by yours truly) and were leaking. If you know where they are or if you know if they were thrown away please let John WD5BFS or Myron N5TFK know. We will buy more if necessary.

If you have any suggestions on how to improve any aspect of Ham Expo be sure to let John or Myron know.

VE Testing

Anyone that needs to take an amateur radio license exam can contact Jan W5GNK at jang5@yahoo.com or 254-217-3791 or contact Gil W5GLR at gilrymer@gmail.com or 817-480-7511 in order to get an exam scheduled.

Bulletin Content

If anyone has news, items for sale, ham interest articles or ham related equipment or business news they wish to submit to be included in the TARC bulletin contact Myron N5TFK. 254-563-4579. mmesecke@twc.com



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