



Temple Amateur Radio Club  
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*W5LM Repeaters*  
146.820 MHz (PL 123.0)  
444.700 MHz (PL 123.0)

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# Bulletin of the Temple Amateur Radio Club

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**UPCOMING EVENTS**

**Club Meeting Thursday March 5th 7:00 P.M**  
**Western Hills Church of Christ**  
**210 N General Bruce Dr**  
**Temple, TX 76504**

**HAM EXPO**

**March 13th and 14th**

**Please be sure to volunteer!**

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



## Spring Ham Expo

Ham Expo is Friday and Saturday March 13th and 14th.

Please consider volunteering to help.

On Friday (set up day for vendors) we will need people to number the tables and guide vehicles in and out of the building. Commercial vendors start setting up at Noon and non-commercial vendors set up at 2:00 PM.

On Saturday we will need people to watch the door, guide vehicles in and out of the building, take admission and work the raffle table.

Saturday timeline: 5:30 AM vendors begin entering the building. This is when we need help watching the door and guiding vehicles. 7:00 AM is when the public comes in. We will need additional people to work admission and the raffle table.

We are doing away with the hand stamps and going to wristbands. Public and vendors will have different color bands. Commercial vendors should have their preprinted name badges.

## Technician Class

Five people attended the first class session for the Technician class license.

The class went through the first three chapters in the book.

Second session will be Saturday March 7th. They expect to get through the next three chapters.

The class is taught by Charles KI5SGT and Frankie KA5IHY. It is taught at the Western Hills Church of Christ.

The classes are on Saturdays. Please contact either Charles or Frankie for more information.

## Conventions and Ham Fests

March 6th and 7th

Texas State Convention – Greater Houston Hamfest. Rosenberg, TX

Friday – Noon to 8:00 PM. Saturday – 8:00 AM to 3:30 PM.

Sponsor – Brazos Valley ARC

Fort Bend County Fairgrounds 4310 TX 36

Admission – Advance \$8 Door \$10

[www.houstonhamfest.org](http://www.houstonhamfest.org)

March 7th

Irving, TX

8:00 AM to 2:00 PM.

Sponsor – Irving ARC

Betcha Bingo Hall 2420 W Irving Blvd

Admission - \$5

[www.irvingarc.org](http://www.irvingarc.org)

March 21st

West Texas Section Convention. St. Patrick's Day Hamfest. Midland, TX

8:00 AM to 4:00 PM.

Sponsor: Midland ARX

MLK Community Center, 2300 Butternut Ln.

Admission: Free

[www.hamfest.w5qgg.org](http://www.hamfest.w5qgg.org)