



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 September 3rd, 7:00 P.M.**

Western Hills Church of Christ.  
210 North General Bruce Dr. Temple, TX

## Conventions and Hamfests

Check out Conventions and Hamfests at [www.arrl.org/hamfests-and-conventions-calendar](http://www.arrl.org/hamfests-and-conventions-calendar)

Closest ones are Arkansas and New Mexico.

## Special Event Stations

Sept 18-21, 1800Z-2000Z, K5P. Plano Balloon Festival. Plano ARC and McKinney ARC. 21.350 7.155 14.307 QSL. [www.k5prk.net](http://www.k5prk.net)

Sept 26-27, 1400Z-2000Z, W5SFA. 195<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Founding of the Austin Colony. Stephen F Austin ARC. QSL. [www.w5sfa.org](http://www.w5sfa.org)

Check out [www.arrl.org/special-event-stations](http://www.arrl.org/special-event-stations) for a list of all events for the month of September.

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

## Editorial

Did you ever find yourself to be the first car at a red light? You may have started out in a long line of traffic. You were okay just being part of the pack. But there you are in front. You realize that when the light turns green it is going to be you that have to look left and right, to make sure other drivers are doing what they should before you start moving. But you do it because it needs doing. All those cars behind you are counting on you. Without you the line goes nowhere. But once you did it you found it wasn't difficult at all.

Club bylaws require that a Nominating Committee be formed and its recommendations for offices be published in the October TARC bulletin.

Won't you consider being at the front when the light turns green?

## Club Breakfast

Monthly breakfast will be Saturday September 5th. Temple Golden Corral at 8:30 A.M. As always it is Dutch treat.

## Monthly Attendance

Work prevented me from attending last month's meeting. I do not have a count.

## VE Testing

Anyone that needs to take an amateur radio license exam can contact Jan W5GNK at [jang5@yahoo.com](mailto:jang5@yahoo.com) or 254-217-3791 or contact Gil N5GLR at [gilrymer@gmail.com](mailto:gilrymer@gmail.com) or 817-480-7511 in order to get an exam scheduled.

## Bulletin Content

If anyone has any information they would like to see in the TARC bulletin please contact Myron N5TFK. [meseckem@vvm.com](mailto:meseckem@vvm.com). 254-770-0529.

## **FROM THE ARCHIVES**

2015 bulletins will focus on the years 1990 through 2000.

September 1990

More than 40 long time CW operators from Texas and Oklahoma were in Temple August 18<sup>th</sup> for the TARC sponsored CW Ham-Jam. A luncheon, tour of the Texas Instruments plant and a program by ARRL vice President Jim Haynie WB5JBP were part of the activities.

September 1991

Radio Shack 2 meter handi talkie announced.

September 1992

TARC did not have a monthly meeting, instead it was the guest of the Williamson County ARC in Georgetown.

September 1993

Program for the monthly meeting was an arcing demonstration by TU Electric.

September 1994

TARC fish fry September 25th.

September 1995

TARC gets a web page.

September 1996

New FCC RF Safety standards.

September 1998

Program is KCEN's new Meteorologist Andy Anderson. New repeater controller.