

There won't be time to get another news letter out before the banquet. So if you need to sign up as attending (we will need to know how many will attend,) if you need to place your order (if we do menu selections,) or if you have any other questions or information to pass on regarding the banquet, use the telephone or e-mail to contact Rob or me, beat the April 14 club meeting, or be on the April 15 2-meter Net. We will have to give our information to Alexander's on the morning of April 16 at the very latest.

BBARC 2 METER REPEATERS

146.2 Hz PL tone Encode required, Decode optional. All offsets are **600 kHz** + or - for 2-meter, **5MHz** + or - for 70 cm.

Elephant Mt., South of Alpine:	147.020+
Ft. Davis/McDonald:	146.620-
Alpine, Twin Sisters Mt.:	146.720-
Christmas Mt, Terlingua Ranch:	146.820-
Glass Mountains:	146.920-
Davis Mt Resort (DMR):	444.625+ 5MHz

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Big Bend Amateur Radio Club

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Meetings on the second Tuesday of each month, 7:30 P. M. in the West Texas National Bank Meeting Room.

Annual Membership Dues

Full Membership Dues (member or member & spouse): \$36.00. Includes Newsletter subscription.
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The Big Bend Amateur Radio Club;
founded December 17, 1974
Amateur Radio Relay League affiliate since 1986
The Big Bend 3.922 MHz Emergency Net;
founded September 18, 1977
The Big Bend 2-Meter Net;
founded July 9, 2008

BBARC CALENDAR OF EVENTS

2009

March 31, Tuesday, 7:00 p.m.
SKY-WARN SPOTTER TRAINING
SRSU Warnock Building, Room 201

April 4-5, Saturday-Sunday
FT. DAVIS HAMMER-FEST Bicycle Race

April 14, Tuesday, 7:30 p.m.
BBARC MEETING, West Texas National Bank , Alpine

April 18, Saturday, 7:00 p.m.
BBARC ANNUAL BANQUET
Check in on the 2-meter Net or attend the April 14 regular club meeting for location and other details.

May 12, Tuesday, 7:30 p.m.
BBARC MEETING, West Texas National Bank , Alpine

June 9, Tuesday, 7:30 p.m.
BBARC MEETING, West Texas National Bank , Alpine

June 27-28, Saturday-Sunday
FIELD DAY

July 4, Saturday
HAMBURGER FUNDRAISER at Kokernot Park

July 14, Tuesday, 7:30 p.m.
BBARC MEETING, West Texas National Bank , Alpine

August 11, Tuesday, 7:30 p.m.
BBARC MEETING, West Texas National Bank , Alpine

September 5-7, Saturday-Monday
BIG BEND BALLOON BASH, Alpine

September 8, Tuesday, 7:30 p.m.
BBARC MEETING, West Texas National Bank , Alpine

September 19-20, Saturday-Sunday
FT. DAVIS CYCLE-FEST Bicycle Ride

October, 13, Tuesday, 7:30 p.m.
BBARC MEETING, West Texas National Bank , Alpine

November 10, Tuesday, 7:30 p.m.
BBARC MEETING, West Texas National Bank , Alpine

December 8, Tuesday, 7:30 p.m.
BBARC MEETING, West Texas National Bank , Alpine

December 17, Thursday
BBARC 35th BIRTHDAY

Trip to 146.920 Repeater

Bill Baker, W5ATO

The Glass Mt. repeater seems to have a low voltage problem. On Monday April 6, the day after Hammaer-Fest, weather and road conditions permitting, I will be going to the 92 site for inspection and correction if possible. I already have 3 other people to ride with me, w5npr, k5hct and friend (I'm Full) and one other in his own vehicle, ke5yfd. We may be able to take 1 or 2 others. Let me know if you are interested.