

SANTA NET, DEC. 16

The 2-meter Santa Net is scheduled for Wednesday December 16 from 5 to 7 P.M. We will set up the Communications RV in front of True Value in Alpine. We are looking for volunteers to help usher the children in and out of the RV and to help as control operators. It seemed to work well last year to have control operators to operate in shifts. we had a little over 70 Santa QSOs last year and it was a very busy 2 hours. We need about 4 to 6 volunteers to help with the RV operations. Arrangements for advertising and moving the RV to and from the operating location have been taken care of, as well as Santa's plan to be on the air with us that evening.

DECEMBER AUCTION

Please plan to attend the December 8th club meeting and bring anything you can donate to the club for the silent auction. Items are not limited to radio gear. Baked goods often show up. Interesting books that you don't need any more might find a new home. How about hand made items that might make nice gifts or stocking stuffers.

Proceeds from the auction go to the club treasury.

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

<http://www.bigbendarc.com>

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.
Newsletter Subscription only: \$7.00

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

Every Sunday, 8:30 a.m. Central Time (CST / CDT)

The Big Bend 2-Meter Net;

Founded July 9, 2008

Every Wednesday, 7:00 p.m. Central Time (CST / CDT)

Sometimes available through Echo-Link via Internet -

Look for KA1AAJ, node #409253

BBARC CALENDAR OF EVENTS 2009

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 16, Wednesday

BBARC SANTA NET

December 17, Thursday

BBARC 35th BIRTHDAY

January 12, 2010, Tuesday

BBARC MEETING, West Texas National Bank , Alpine

January 30, 2010, Saturday (tentative)

BBARC ANNAUL BANQUET