## DES MOINES RADIO AMATEURS ASSOCIATION

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# **STATIC SHEET**

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### APRIL 2016

## **2016 DMRAA HAMFEST**

Make plans to attend the DMRAA's annual Hamfest April 16th, 2016. Same time and place as usual. Now is the time to look for that new mobile rig or HF accessories you need. Several vendors are on tap. Of course Radio City, D & L and the RF Adapter guy will be there as well as others. Table sales have been brisk so look for a full venue. Tables are still available so be sure and reserve yours early. You will also

be able to get a table at the door.

Several Forums are offered as well, including The Iowa Repeater Council, The ARRL Section Forum and others. ARRL DXCC Card checking and VE testing will be offered too. Polk County ARES will have the EMCOMM trailer on display and you'll be able to sign up to help with local events. Save gas, bring a friend or two! www.dmraa.com/hamfest



## **1-Day Technician Workshop**

11 new hams attended the technician follow-up class Thursday March 11th, Topics for the meeting included basic operating procedures, using and understanding the Baofeng radio, and proper net protocol. Many of the attendees had just received their call signs. The group practiced checking into an impromptu net on a portable repeater. Many questions were answered. Please extend all of these new hams encouragement as they become proficient in Amateur Radio.

Thanks to instructors Bob, WØSMS, Lisa KNØWME and Tom, NØVPR



# Web o That!

Come enjoy the fellowship

## DMRAA

meetings are the 4th Tuesday of the month. Be sure and mark your calendars!

## **Upcoming Meetings**

April 26th 2016 Skywarn Spotter Training 7:00PM Plymouth Congregational Church 42nd & Ingersoll Recital Hall, 3rd floor Mid-Iowa Skywarn meeting at 6:45PM to precede Spotter talk.



May 24th, 2016 7:00 PM Plymouth Congregational Church 42nd & Ingersoll Waveland Room, 2nd floor Annual election of officers and DMRAA Board

The DMRAA meetings provide an excellent opportunity to meet new friends and enjoy fellow hams. Please feel free to invite newly licensed amateurs to attend.

## **Future Meetings**

Brad & Scott are looking for meeting ideas and presenters. Please feel free to make suggestions and offer to help with a presentation. Brad Boeckmann KC9DMQ <u>brad.boeckmann@gmail.com</u> Scott Kirstein, NØOOD n0ood@arrl.net



## You can Help?

Are you interested in helping the club? There are many ways you can help -- assisting with an event, taking a few pictures or even writing a piece for this newsletter.





## **May Meeting**

Dayton; Show & Tell DMRAA Elections

May 24th, 7:00pm Waveland Room Plymouth Congregational Church 42nd & Ingersoll

## **Future Meetings**

### Don't forget

The DMRAA Hamfest is only a couple of weeks away. It's not to soon to make your table reservations.

Go to dmraa.com/hamfest for more information



Giving back through community service

Scott Kirstein NØOOD Polk County ARES EC 515 490-7414 (cell) <u>n0ood@arrl.net</u>



Elsewhere in this issue of the Static Sheet, you will find some photos from a recent exercise at Camp Dodge. Members of Polk County ARES were again asked to participate alongside other organizations in an effort to make working together easier in the event of an actual emergency. This is nothing new for ARES members, we "practice" several times a year at real life events throughout the county. During my time as the county emergency coordinator, there have been literally thousands of hours given in service to various agencies to support their mission, and protect their participants. We have also been making preparations for the Fight for Air Climb. As I write this, there are 1,500 people signed up to participate in the fundraising event for the American Lung Association. We will have 33 people working for about 8

hours that day to make sure that any injured "climbers" get needed medical attention as soon as they can. To be clear, we won't be treating the injuries directly – we will be working alongside the professionals from the Des Moines Fire Department - serving as points of contact and communicators, which allows the professionals to concentrate on rendering aid. Yes it's an early morning. Yes it's on a Sunday. Yes the stairwells can get a bit "funky smelling." But I truly believe that helping out with these events is why the Amateur Radio Service still has as much of the radio spectrum as it has. Part 97 of the FCC rules specifically states that helping out on events like this, using them as training opportunities, and working together as a group, is a big part of the reason Amateur Radio still exists.

**Polk County ARES** 

The rules and regulations in this part are designed to provide an amateur radio ser-



vice having a fundamental purpose as expressed in the following principles: (a)

PART 97 - Amateur Radio Service Subpart A - General Provisions § 97.1 Basis and purpose

Recognition and enhancement of the value of the amateur service to the public as a voluntary noncommercial communication service, particularly with respect to providing emergency communications...To all of you who continue to volunteer vour time and skills in an effort to guard the spectrum, "Thank you." If you have not had the opportunity to help out with an event in the past, - and would like to help out - please let me know. Scott. NØOOD

## Polk County ARES Meetings

Polk County EOC at 1907 Carpenter Avenue Des Moines, IA



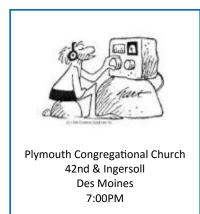
ARES MEETINGS DATES 2016

Monday, April 11 Monday, July 18 Monday, October 10 7:00 PM

Polk County Emergency Operations Center 1907 Carpenter Des Moines, IA

2016 ARES Events Fight for Air Climb, Sunday April 10th, 2016 Drake 1/2 Marathon April 30th. 2016 Market to Market, Saturday May 7th, 2016 Dam to Dam, Saturday June 4th, 2016 ARRL Field Day, June 25<sup>th</sup> -26<sup>th,</sup> 2016 Iowa State Fair Parade, August 10<sup>th</sup>, 2016 Head of the Des Moines Rowing Regatta, September 24<sup>th</sup>, 2016 Des Moines Marathon. October 16<sup>th</sup>, 2016 Living History Farms Fun Race, November 19, 2016

## 2016 DMRAA Calendar



## Calendar 2016-17 General Meetings and Events

General Meetings and Events

**16 April, 2016 Hamfest** 26 April, 2016 24 May, 2016 **25 June, 2016 Field Day** 28 June, 2016 26 July, 2016 23 August, 2016 27 September, 2016 25 October, 2016 **22 November, 2016 ChiliFeed /Auction 6 December Christmas Party** 

## **Board Meeting Dates**



You now have the option of paying for up to 3 years when renewing your membership in the DMRAA. 1 Year = \$20 2 Years = \$40 3 Years = \$60

> See Scott Kirstein NØOOD for details. Dues are calendar year

**President's Soapbox** 

It's great so see that Spring has finally arrived! With it comes fresh breezes, green grass, and lots of flowers. I've been encouraged to hear all the "fresh" callsigns when we do introductions at the beginnings of he club meetings. I'd like to encourage those of you who have been newly-licensed to become active in the club and in radio in general. As far as major events go, we've got the club hamfest coming up at the middle of the month and Field Day at the end of June.

In between, there are many opportunities to be involved in radio. We'll continue to have our



monthly meetings. We expect to have a great meeting this month as the NWS delivers its annual Skywarn severe weather spotting training.

The Spring season always delivers severe weather and perhaps you could contribute to the spotting nets. Polk county ARES has several events including the Fight for Air Climb, Drake Relays half -marathon, Market-to-Market race, and Dam to Dam. All of these occur within the next couple of months. Please let me or Scott Kirstein know if you'd like to help.

Club elections are coming up in May. We'll again be presenting you with a wellqualified slate of candidates. These folks have stepped-up and have indicated a willingness to lead by their example of getting involved. There are ample opportunities for you to step out of your comfort zone and get involved. There are always committees

that could use extra help.

You won't even really need to get up and talk in front of a group of people. Just be willing to help.

RRL

Perhaps you have a great idea for a monthly meeting -- or would be willing to present it yourself. As mentioned above, maybe you'd like to help out with the Hamfest, Field Day, the Chili Feed and Auction, or the Christmas party. There's lots of behind-the-scenes work available.

Wouldn't it be nice if you stepped up and helped make your club even more

successful? We look forward to working with you in 2016! 73, Bruce KCØZMT I feel that everything I do in my life I can do in a shorter time than most men can. It's the quality, not the

quantity. Garry Shandling SK6OY SK



Bruce Brumm KCØZMT

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	AMES				
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	Sunday	146.850-		8:00pm	Boone County ARES Net
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	Sunday	443.400+	t  5 .4	8:30pm	SW Iowa Amateur Radio Assn.
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net lately? 🗲	Sunday	29.670-	t103.5	7:30 pm	Iowa Ten Meter Net
	Sunday	146.610-	t     4.8	8:00 pm	Central Iowa ARES Net
	Sunday	146.940-	t     4.8	follows ARES net	Central Iowa Technical Net
	Sunday	443.400	t  5 .4	8:30 pm	SW Iowa Amateur Radio Assn Net
ARES Nets serve	Monday	146.820	203.5 PL	6:30 pm	State Wide ICN Net (Mason City,
several purposes					Pella, Des Moines, Bedford)
	Monday	146.940-	t     4.8	7:00 pm	DMRAA information Net
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<ul> <li>Training of Net</li> </ul>	Wednesday	146.610-		I I:00 pm	Night Owl Net
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## Des Moines 1:00pm

April 16, 2016 -@Hamfest May 15, 2016 July 17, 2016 September 18, 2016 November 20 2016

Registration starts at 12:30 PM (no admittance after 1pm) Location: Johnstone Supply Classroom (2nd floor) 11000 Justin Drive Urbandale, IA 50322

Contact: Rick Allen NØCFL (515) 795-2162 n0cfl@arrl.net

### Ames

Apr. 16, 2016 (Sat.) 10:00 AM May 17, 2016 (Tue.) 7:00 PM

Location ISU Campus -Building and Room TBA

Contact: George Oster, NP2N 515-233-3535

### 9:00am

Area Nets

April 9, 2016 June 11, 2016 August 13, 2016 October 8, 2016 December 10, 2016

Boone

Time: 9:00 AM Location: Conference room behind the cafeteria at the Boone County Hospital, 1015 Union St, Boone, Iowa Contact: Steve NØNEU (515) 432-4006

### **Marshalltown** 9:00am

May 7, 2016 August 6, 2016 December 3, 2016

Check-In: 9:30 AM Exam Starts: 10:00AM Location: RACOM Corporation 201 West State Street Marshalltown, IA Contact: Brian Krumm, NØMXK n0mxk@arrl.net 641-752-9658

Time to find a new home for your extra gear? This Buy, Sell & Trade page may be your answer. This service is offered to DMRAA members.

Contact info@DMRAA.com



Time to Eat?

Buy / Sell Looking for something? Looking ioi sourcunner We'd be happy to help you by listing your want items Here

DMRAA Club Inventory

The recent club inventory has been completed. Please contact Mark if you would like to see the inventory list.

If you have club equipment in your possession, please contact Mark with that information.

> Mark KØMJG MGlobuschutz@msn.com

## Keyboard Tip

On Windows based computers you can make a  $\emptyset$  (slash zero) with a keyboard short cut. While holding the alt key down type 0216. This will give you the familiar  $\emptyset$  in your call sign. Note: this only works with a desktop keyboard. On a laptop you will need to insert a symbol.

Are you checking the website? Keep up to date with local amateur radio news. The club website is a great resource.

## <u>Go to dmraa.org</u>

DES MOINES RADIO AMATEURS' ASSOCIATION

Hungry and looking to meet local hams? On Fridays at the Buffet City on University (next to Toys R Us) a group of hams meet for lunch. This is an informal meeting and provides an excellent opportunity to pass information while enjoying a nice selection of Chinese cuisine. The group (around 20) usually arrives around 11:45 and breaks up at about 1:00. All are welcome, including family members.

Caution! Considerable amount of amateur radio topics will be discussed.

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## Why Join the 160,000+ Members of ARRL?



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- Regulatory Information Branch
- Public Relations for Amateur Radio
- ARRL Field Organization
- ARRL-sponsored contests
- Operating Awards
- Local Clubs
- Amateur Radio Emergency Service
- Hamfests and Conventions
- Volunteer Examiner Coordinator Program

## ARES Reflective Vests

Polk County ARES now has several Class 3 Level 2 Safety Vests available for purchase. These are better quality surveyor type vests with sleeves and several pockets in sizes m thru 3XL. They have the words "RADIO COMMUNICATIONS" on the back.

Cost is \$20.

Contact Tom, NØVPR <u>n0vpr@arrl.net</u>

Note: You need not be a Polk County ARES or DMRAA member to purchase a vest.



## **DMRAA Club T shirts at Hamfest**

It is always impressive to promote our club. We will have club shirts on sale this year. Various sizes are available Small thru X-Large. Sorry the larger sizes are sold and being stretched!

Sale price \$ 5.00 Get yours before they are gone Please be sure and wear your DMRAA shirt to the Hamfest this year.





February Boar	rd Meeting Minutes	
	rd Meeting Minutes	The Des Moines
DMRAA Board Meeting Minutes Tuesday February 3 2016		Radio Amateurs
I	-	Association
The meeting was called to order at 7:05pm		board meets
In Attendance:		monthly in the
Bruce Brumm – KCØZMT – President Lisa Payton – KNØWME – Secretary	Bill Claypool – NUØQ - Treasurer	upstairs
Mark Globuschutz- KØMJG – Board	Michael Waldron – AEØMW – Board	conference
Scott Kirstein – NØOOD – Board		room at the
1. Review of minutes from prior board	d meeting – There were a couple of correc-	East Euclid
tions, motion to approve minutes as ame	-	Hy-Vee
2. Treasurer's report:		2540 E Euclid
a. Balance \$19,915.40	Ave	
3. Unfinished business:	Des Moines	
KØMJG – inventory report		
	d. Mark handed out a preliminary list to the	1
<ul> <li>board members.</li> <li>4. Polk County ARES update: - no reference</li> </ul>	anort	1
<ul> <li>I 5. Subcommittee reports</li> </ul>	sport	1
a. Hamfest 2016 : April 16, 2016		1
The fliers are finished, will	go on the webpage and be placed in the static	1
sheet.		1
Table reservations are open		
DXCC is covered		
VE testing room		
Vendors have been confirmed except for Radio City		
<ul> <li>b. Field Day – 6/25/16; we are "penciled in" to the site</li> <li>c. Repeaters &amp; Packet – no report.</li> </ul>		
Education "One-Day-Class	s" plans a posted, set and ready to go. There ed. Payment cutoff is 2/12/16. e a General class to Continued on page 9	
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1	February Board Meeting Minutes, cont.			
	be offered in the fall, using Gordon West materials.			
Pro	gramming: Jan: "HT Roundup", KC9DMQ, Brad Boeckmann Feb: 23-February TBD. Mar: 22-March, APRS (WL7CLI / KØSXY) Apr: 26-April, NWS/Storm Spotter Training The recital hall reservation will be confirmed by Dennis KAØDOS Election ballot? May: 24-May, Dayton Show & Tell/ Elections			
6.	Communications & Public Relations: – No report			
7.	Membership: no report			
8.	8. Awards: Bob Evans award, @Hamfest. Does not need to be DMRAA member. Recipient is chosen by the board for their service to the HAM community.			
	Motion to adjourn by Michael Waldron, 2 <sup>nd</sup> by Scott Kirstein motion carried at 7:46pm.			
Questions about or to DMRAA leadership may be sent to <u>info@dmraa.com</u>				
	Did you know that the DMRAA board meetings are open to all club members. Your input is always welcomed.			

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MarchBoard Meeting Minutes	1	
DMRAA Board Meeting Minutes Tuesday, 1-March 2016	The Des Moines Radio Amateurs	
The meeting was called to order at 7:01pm	Association	
In Attendance:	board meets	
Bruce Brumm – KCØZMT – President Brad Boeckmann – KC9DMQ - VP Brad Boeckmann – KC9DMQ - VP	monthly in the upstairs	
Mark Globuschutz- KØMJG – Board Ray Harden – WØRAY – Board	conference	
Ron Overholser – KDØTTO – BoardKevin Sanders – KØKDS – BoardMichael Waldron – AEØMW – BoardScott Kirstein – NØOOD – Board	room at the	
1. <b>Review February minutes</b> : Motion to approve by Mark G, 2nd by Kevin S.	East Euclid	
Motion Passed	Hy-Vee	
2. Treasurer's report \$20,005.40	2540 E Euclid	
3. Unfinished business	Ave	
Metro STEM Festival: A request was received for club to man a table at the	Des Moines	
metro STEM festival. Decided to send the information out to the general mem-		
bership to see if there is any interest. It is the weekend following the fight for air climb and preceding Hamfest.	1	
<ul> <li>I 3. Polk County ARES update</li> </ul>	I.	
2016 events and meeting schedule: add Drake 1/2 marathon to the ARES cal-	I	
endar on April 30. This will use about 10 people, and function is organized by		
same group as the DM Marathon. It was agreed to ask for volunteers on the lo-		
<ul> <li>cal nets. Contact Scott K N0OOD for more info.</li> <li>A request was made for up to \$100 to replace the demaged flearing in the trail</li> </ul>		
A request was made for up to \$100 to replace the damaged flooring in the trail- er. Motion to approve made by Scott K, 2nd by Kevin S. Motion passed.		
a. Subcommittee reports	i	
Hamfest – 16-April-2016 – confirm reservation, insurance, etc., door prize au- thorization		
Testing, Repeater Council Meeting, ARES Meeting.		
Testing will be in the side room where it is quieter.		
Repeater council meeting will be from 10-11 am	;	
Scott needs to contact DX engineering re: door prizes Continued on page 11		

March Board Meeting Minutes, cont.
Clint Miller from Story County has requested space for a forum
10m group, consignment table, The 10m group runs this in exchange for 10% of proceeds.
Vendors confirmed exc. Radio City; Bruce will contact via phone & order prize.
Field Day – 25-June-2016 nothing to report (site being cleared for construction)
Per ARRL "Always the fourth full weekend in June"
Repeaters & Packet
Broadlawns initiative, NØOOD No report
Education One-day class update – excess supplies disposal (5 radios, 5 books) It was decided to make
these available at Club meetings. These should be advertised on FB, Nets and in the Static
Sheet. Possibly add to the 10m consignment table.
Extra Baofeng radio from 1st class will be used as a door prize for Hamfest
Financial report, income vs. expenses
Total expenses: 1498.17, Receipts: 1580, net income: 81.83. There were 15
students registered, 12 passed Tech exam. One extra radio was sold to
a club member.
The next class will likely be a General class in the fall using Gordon West
materials. More information to come.  Programming
Jan: 26-January, "HT Roundup", KC9DMQ, Brad Boeckmann
Feb: 23-February, "HF & You" – NU0Q, Bill Claypool
Mar: 22-March, APRS (WL7CLI/K0SXY) Apr: 26-April, NWS/Storm Spotter Training
Recital Hall reservation confirmed with Dennis, KA0DOS
May: 24-May, Dayton Show & Tell/Elections
Communications & Public Relations No Report
<b>Membership</b> – need current spreadsheet (KCØZMT) to update mailing list and to include recent class
graduates.
Awards
Bob Evans Award (@Hamfest) The recipient needs to be chosen by the next board meeting. Who has
the plaque? Possibly Tom R
New Business
Board elections are in May, we need to have a slate together by the April meeting. Up for
reelection are:
Mark G, Scott K, Ron O, Brad B and Bruce B.
Mike W agreed to being chair of the election committee, and to presenting nominee/ask for
nominees.
The IRLP was up and then failed. What needs to be done to get this up and running? It was
decided to discuss how to move forward on this at the next board meeting.
Motion to adjourn by Scott Kirstein, 2 <sup>nd</sup> by Ron Overholser motion carried at 8:03pm.
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## COMMEX











COMMEX is an exercise sponsored by the Iowa National Guard and the Iowa State Interoperable Communications System Board. This program allows various Local, State, Federal, Military and volunteer agencies to work together to test equipment and develop common practices for use in emergencies. COM-L students were given an opportunity to complete their taskbooks. The Guard had a helicopter which provided an airborne repeater platform as well as live video feeds. Several ARES groups participated including groups from Polk County, Story County and Warren County. ARES helped in testing various modes such as VHF/UHF HF D-Star and digital message handling. ARES also provided a back-up to the administration net for the exercise. Also involved were units from the Iowa Air and Army National Guard, US Postal Inspection Service, Missouri Army National Guard, Polk, Story and Warren County EMA, US Coast Guard Auxiliary, Des Moines FD/PD, Missouri USAR and the Iowa RACES SEOC communications group.







## **Static Sheet Deadlines**

Item submission deadline	Publish Date (Email sent)	Web edition posted
February 1 <sup>st</sup>	February 15 <sup>th</sup>	February 20 <sup>th</sup>
April 1 <sup>st</sup>	April 15 <sup>th</sup>	April 20 <sup>th</sup>
June 1 <sup>st</sup>	June 15 <sup>th</sup>	June 20 <sup>th</sup>
August 1 <sup>st</sup>	August 15 <sup>th</sup>	August 20 <sup>th</sup>
October 1 <sup>st</sup>	October 15 <sup>th</sup>	October 20 <sup>th</sup>
December 1 <sup>st</sup>	December 15 <sup>th</sup>	December 20 <sup>th</sup>

## Presented by Story County Amateur Radio Emergency Service

## Earn your Ham Radio license in ONE DAY!

WHEN:	Saturday May 14, 2016 8:00am – 5:00pm (immediately followed by the FCC test)
WHERE:	State of Iowa Fire Service Training Bureau 1015 Haber Rd
	Ames, IA 50011

COST: \$100.00 (\$50 due at time of registration)

## What is included?

- Full-day Technician License study class
- Technician License class manual plus a 20 page pre-study guide
- · Provided working lunch and refreshments
- One FCC Technician Class Exam (with results the same day!) (Retests will require an additional fee)
- <u>Brand-new</u> handheld Ham Radio pre-programmed with local radio frequencies!

Our November class had over a 90% same-day pass rate!

NOTE: Class size is limited to 35 participants



The Technician license is your gateway to Amateur Radio... and now you do <u>NOT</u> need to learn Morse code!

If you have ever considered earning your Ham Radio license, this oneday class is the ideal place to start.

## **\*\*\*NO PRIOR EXPERIENCE IS REQUIRED\*\*\***

## To register:

Visit <u>www.kb7vml.net/registration</u> to sign-up online OR email <u>kb7vml@arrl.net</u> with your details

## **Questions?**

Clint Miller (KC0JUO) 515-292-1066 Paul Cowley (KB7VML) 515-233-2817 Participants will receive the class manual and study guide upon initial registration <u>AND</u> payment of the first half of the course fee (\$50)

This portion of the fee is **NOT** refundable but may be transferred to future Story County ARES Technician License Classes

The remaining \$50 is due on or before the day of the class

# Saturday, April 16th, 2016 - 8 am-1 pm

## ADMISSION: Adults: \$6 • 12 & Under: FREE

• Talk-in: 146.940 tone 114.8 • Free Parking • Handicap Accessible • Snacks & Drinks • Convenient Restrooms



## FLEA MARKET

Radio City, Inc. D & L Antennas Rue RF Adapter Guy



## Tables:

**1st Table:** \$20 • **Each Additional:** \$10 Online Reservations at: www.dmraa.com/hamfest Contact Bruce Brumm, KC0ZMT at info@dmraa.com with any questions. \* *No Tailgating Allowed!* 

## **VE TESTING**

Held in the Elwell Family Center Bldg Technician, General & Extra Exams

Testing Fee: \$15 Registration: 9:00 am Testing: 9:30 am-11:30 am

\* No one will be admitted for testing after 9:30 am

## **ARRL DXCC CARD CHECKING**

For more details visit: www.arrl.org/dxcc-forms

## **MORE INFO:**

www.dmraa.com/hamfest www.iowastatefair.org/for-visitors/maps-directions

## Prizes include: MFJ-225, Baofeng UV-5R HT, and ARRL Gift Certificates

\* Door prize ticket included with your admission



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Can you hear me now?

The Static sheet is bi-monthly (six per year) publication of the Des Moines Radio Amateurs Association. It is provided via email to the membership of the DMRAA. Please feel free to forward to prospective club members and interested Amateur Radio Operators.

The DMRAA is affiliated with the ARRL, The national association for Amateur Radio.



## **DMRAA Membership Application**

Des Moine	es Radio Amateurs As	ssociation
Name:		
Address:		
City:	, State:	_Zip:
Phone Number: ()	Email:	
Call Sign:	Class: (E) (A) (G)	(T)
ARRL Member:? Y / N What are your primary interests in amate What are you interested in learning about How would you like to volunteer with the	t?	
Dues \$20 Single \$60 3 Years		LIMIT
NOTE: Dues are for calendar year.	Mail Application and payme DMRAA P.O. Box 88 Des Moines, IA 50301	AMATEUR