



Tri County Radio Association

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December 5th: "HOLIDAY PARTY" The TCRA Annual Club Holiday Dinner will be held at the Snuffy's Steakhouse, Park Ave. and Mountain Ave., Scotch Plains on Monday December 5, 2005. The party will start at 7 PM. Each member/couple will order from the regular menu and receive their own check. All attending must complete and send in or drop off at a meeting the enclosed reservation form on page 2 by November 28th.

November/December 2005

TCRA NEWS

NOVEMBER/DECEMBER 2005

TCRA News is published ten times a year, with no issues in August and December.

PROGRAMS/EVENTS FOR NOVEMBER/DECEMBER*

*Subject to change.

November 7th: "ELECTION" The election of officers and trustees will take place. A potluck dinner starting at 6 PM will precede the election. Please bring a covered dish, casserole, dessert or other specialty. Election to start at 8PM. **Note: the 5 meeting attendance requirement to vote has been waived this year, but your dues must be paid. (AT THE UNION ELKS)**

November 12th & December 10th: "VE TEST SESSION" 8AM at the Union County College Cranford Campus.

November 21st: "AUCTION" All are welcome to sell including non-club members. TCRA receives 10% of the sale price (up to a max of \$10 on the first \$100 of any sale-all sales above \$100 are commission free). Items for sale must be Ham Radio-Electronics or Computer related items. No home electronic items or commercial sales. **Note: There is no admission charge. Doors will open at 6PM and the auction will start at 7PM. (AT THE UNION ELKS)**

November 28th: "ON THE AIR MEETING" (9:30PM W2LI 2M 147.255 PL 141.3).

TCRA Holiday Party:

Monday December 5th
at Snuffy's Steakhouse,
Park Ave. and Mountain Ave.,
Scotch Plains
Dinner 7PM

All TCRA Members and their guests are invited to the annual Holiday celebration. **Each member/couple will order from the regular menu and receive their own check.** Please fill out and drop off the reservation form at a meeting or mail the reservation form below by November 28th.

A grab bag will take place. Each attendee wishing to participate should bring a holiday wrapped gift (\$5.00 max.) with a 5 ft ribbon attached. Following dinner, the participants will select (grab, seize, grasp, etc...) as necessary, in the traditions of TCRA.

HOLIDAY PARTY RESERVATION FORM

Please Reserve _____ places.
For the Holiday Party on December 5, 2005.

Name: _____

Phone Number: _____

Address: _____

Participating in the grab bag?

YES: ___ NO: ___

Please mail to TCRA PO Box 412 Scotch Plains NJ 07076 or drop off at a meeting by November 28th.

THANK YOU GERRY, AA2ZJ

Citing personal reasons Gerry, AA2ZJ has resigned his Trusteeship of the W2LI Memorial Station License and Bob, KB2BBD has been appointed to take his place effective October 14, 2005. In order to accept the Trusteeship of the W2LI Memorial Station License Bob, KB2BBD has resigned as TCRA Vice President effective October 14, 2005. Due to the October 17th meeting being Officer nominations there will be no special election to replace KB2BBD as TCRA Vice President. Note even though Gerry has relinquished this duty, he is still an active member of the club and can be regularly heard on the repeater.

OPEN LETTER TO AA2ZJ

I want to personally thank Gerry, AA2ZJ for his time as W2LI Memorial Station License Trustee and hope to live up to the standards he and those who have held the position before him have set.

Bob, KB2BBD

Swap and Shop

TCRA members are welcome to list any amateur related items for sale, trade, or swap. You may also list wanted items as well. Please contact Bob, KB2BBD at kb2bbd@arrl.net if you have anything to list.

YOUR ITEM HERE

ADVERTISE YOUR EVENT HERE

If you belong to another organization and would like to list it in the TCRA Newsletter contact Bob, KB2BBD at kb2bbd@arrl.net.



November 2005



TRI-COUNTY RADIO ASSOCIATION EVENTS



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		<i>1</i> 8:30 PM SATERN NET 449.975 MHz	<i>2</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>5</i>
<i>6</i>	<i>7</i> 6:00 PM TCRA DINNER/ ELECTION MEETING AT THE UNION ELKS	<i>8</i> 8:30 PM SATERN NET 449.975 MHz	<i>9</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>12</i> 8:00 AM VE TEST UNION COUNTY COLLEGE CRANFORD
<i>13</i>	<i>14</i>	<i>15</i> 8:30 PM SATERN NET 449.975 MHz	<i>16</i>	<i>17</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>19</i>
<i>20</i>	<i>21</i> 7:00 PM TCRA MEETING AT THE UNION ELKS "AUCTION"	<i>22</i> 8:30 PM SATERN NET 449.975 MHz	<i>23</i>	<i>24</i>  THANKSGIVING DAY	<i>25</i>	<i>26</i>
<i>27</i>	<i>28</i> 9:00 PM TCRA ON THE AIR MEETING - NJ5R 147.255 MHz	<i>29</i> 8:30 PM SATERN NET 449.975 MHz	<i>30</i>			



December 2005



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4	5 7:00 PM TCRA HOLIDAY PARTY	6 8:30 PM SATERN NET 449.975 MHz	7	8	9	10 8:00 AM VE TEST UNION COUNTY COLLEGE CRANFORD
11	12	13 8:30 PM SATERN NET 449.975 MHz	14	15	16	17
18	19	20 8:30 PM SATERN NET 449.975 MHz	21	22	23	24
25  CHRISTMAS	26  HANUKKAH	27 8:30 PM SATERN NET 449.975 MHz	28	29	30	31