



# The Denver Radio Club, Inc.

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**WELCOME** to the Denver Radio Club and the world of amateur radio. We invite you to be part of a growing amateur radio community. Many areas of amateur radio are represented here: contesting, DXing, public service, UHF, VHF, HF, repeaters, EchoLink®, autopatch and Packet just to name a few. The DRC, long known as a leader in developing the interest of amateurs, is the oldest club in Colorado, dating back to 1917. We have been affiliated with the American Radio Relay League (ARRL) for over 50 years.

## Denver Radio Club membership brings you the following benefits

- **Regular Monthly Meetings.** The meetings include topical programs on all phases of amateur radio. Meetings are held the third Wednesday of each month. Watch for the meeting announcement in the club email or on our web site at “www.w0tx.org”.
- **Round Table Newsletter.** The monthly newsletter, delivered by email, covers current information on the club, upcoming meetings, special activities, technical updates and other interesting articles.
- **Operating Activities.** Activities include field day, special events, simulated emergency tests and a vital role in emergency preparedness plans. We support ARES, the Red Cross and the Salvation Army along with the Lakewood Police Dept. and the West Metro Fire Protection Dist. Participation in these events is purely voluntary by club members. We believe that amateur radio should support our community and encourage you to participate.
- **Repeaters include:**
  - 145.490 MHz (-600 kHz, 100 Hz PL tone)
  - 147.330 MHz (+600 kHz, West Area - 100 Hz PL tone, East Area - 131.8 Hz PL Tone)
  - 447.825 MHz (-5 MHz, 100 Hz PL tone)
  - 448.625 MHz (-5 MHz, 100 Hz PL tone), (Linked to 145.490)
  - 449.350 MHz (-5 MHz, 100 Hz PL tone), Wide Area coverage and used for EchoLink®
  - 53.090 MHz (-1 MHz, 107.2 Hz PL tone)
  - 224.380 MHz (-1.6 MHz, 100 Hz PL tone)
  - Packet 145.05 MHz / 14.105 MHz, DIGI/HF node.
- **Sunday Night Net.** Join us each Sunday at 8:30 p.m. on the 145.490 MHz 2-meter net. (Or use the 448.625 Freq. as they are linked). The PL tone requirement is disabled for this net.
- **Social Activities.** These include our Holiday party, a summer hamfest in August and community activities throughout the year including Field Day in June.
- **Our Members.** The DRC is composed of amateurs from all walks of life. Within its diversified membership are experts in many fields, not limited to electronics. DRC members take pride in helping each other.
- Our ARRL Volunteer Examiner team works on an appointment basis and can arrange a mutual location for testing.

English to be used on all Club Repeaters.

*It is our concern that, due to the board and general membership's inability to understand all of the other languages in the world that might cross our repeaters, we would not be able to enforce all applicable FCC rules if we allow other languages. We, as an elected board, have a duty to the club membership (owners of our machines), to be in compliance with FCC rules. There is no discrimination toward any speaker of any language. It is our prime directive, as we sign our license every 10 years, to control our transmitters, and provide a lawful and safe place to share ideas.*