

REPEATERS AND NETS

DARC owns and operates three repeaters in the Chicagoland area:

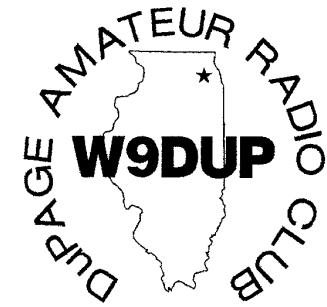
- 2-meters**
145.250 MHz (107.2 pl)
- 1.25-meters**
224.680 MHz (no pl)
- 70-centimeters**
442.550 MHz (114.8 pl)

Be sure to check out our nets:

- ◇ **Primary Information**
Sundays at 9 p.m. on our 2-meter and 220 machines. This is a formal, directed net. Includes Newsline, traffic, and Swap-n-Shop.
- ◇ **Lunch Bunch**
Weekdays at 12 noon on 2-m and 220. Roundtable discussion.
- ◇ **2-meter SSB**
Tuesdays at 8 p.m. on 144.220 MHz. Roundtable discussion.
- ◇ **VHF AM**
Wednesdays at 7:30 p.m. on 50.40 MHz (6-m AM), & continues on 144.144 MHz (2-m AM) at 8:15 p.m. Roundtable discussion.
- ◇ **Astronomy**
Thursdays at 8:30 p.m. on 2-m and 220. Hosted by the Southwest Astronomical Observers Group (SWAOG).
- ◇ **10-meter FM**
Thursdays at 9:30 p.m. on 29.60 MHz FM. Roundtable discussion.
- ◇ **Technical**
Saturdays at 4 p.m. on 2-m and 220. All are welcome to ask questions and contribute to the discussion.
- ◇ **SSTV**
Sundays at 8 p.m. on 145.550 MHz. Roundtable discussion and picture swapping.



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The DuPage Amateur Radio Club (DARC) is an ARRL Special Service Club, chartered in 1948.

The club is a diverse group of radio amateurs from all walks of life, all ages, and with different interests in the hobby of amateur radio.

The origin of the club dates back to June 25, 1925, when it was called the Westmont Radio Club. Hiram Percy Maxim signed the original charter. The club was disbanded during World War II. After the war, local hams formed and chartered the DuPage Radio Club in December of 1948. The name was changed to DuPage Amateur Radio Club in 1980. In 1998, we celebrated our 50th year.

DARC membership is open to anyone interested in Amateur Radio, whether licensed or not.

Meetings

DARC meets on the fourth Monday of every month (except July and December). Meetings are held at the First United Methodist Church, 1032 Maple Avenue in Downers Grove (*this is a new location beginning April 2004*). All radio amateurs and guests are invited to attend. Meetings begin promptly at 7:30 p.m., and end no later than 10:00 p.m.

Here are just a few things DARC has to offer...

- √ DARC sponsors classes in amateur radio and hosts VE sessions for those who want to earn their license;
- √ DARC sponsors a number of annual special event stations including Armed Forces Day, JOTA (Boy Scouts Jamboree-On-The-Air), and more;
- √ DARC operates Field Day every June;
- √ DARC conducts a seven weekly nets & one daily net (listed on the back of this brochure);
- √ DARC holds mobile Fox Hunt outings on a regular basis;
- √ DARC provides community service for a number of special events, like providing communications for Crop Walk;
- √ DARC is always standing by to offer assistance in the event of emergency;

In addition to all of these radio activities, DARC holds periodic social gatherings - a Holiday meal and get-together, a family picnic... just to name a few!

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Please join us!

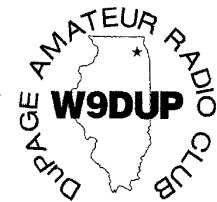
All radio enthusiasts are welcome and invited to join us. You don't have to be a DARC member to attend our meetings and events, however, we do encourage our guests to consider membership.

Membership to DARC is voted on by the general membership at one of our regularly scheduled meetings after the applicant has attended two consecutive meetings, has completed a DARC membership application form, and has paid the current year's dues. "Associate" membership may be obtained for those unable to attend our meetings on a regular basis.

Applications may be obtained:

- from our website at www.w9dup.org;
- by contacting our membership chair by e-mail at membership@w9dup.org;
- by contacting a club member on one of our repeaters.

We hope to see you soon or talk with you on the air. Until then, very 73.



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