



# Majors Field Amateur Radio Club

Monthly Meeting

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MARCH 14, 2019

# Agenda

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- Officer Reports
- Calendar of Events & Announcements
- New/Old Business
- Adjournment



# Current Officers

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- **PRESIDENT**  
Larry Smith – K5XB
- **VICE-PRESIDENT**  
David Rogers – KG5KPU
- **SECRETARY**  
Scott Davis – K5PS
- **TREASURER**  
John C. Nelson Jr. – W7JOY
- **TRUSTEE**  
Jonathan Brown – WB5KSD



# Officer Reports

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- **SECRETARY'S REPORT**
  - **MEETING MINUTES** – as published in the AirWaves newsletter.  
-- Questions / Comments / Corrections?
- **TREASURER'S REPORT** – John Nelson Jr. – W7JOY
- **PRESIDENT'S REPORT** – Larry Smith – K5XB



# Select Committee Reports

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- **REPEATER COMMITTEE** – Jonathan Brown
  - Internet connection update.
  - Linking update
  - Echolink update
- **FIELD DAY COMMITTEE** – proposed committee
- **HF STATION COMMITTEE** – proposed committee
- **ELMERING** – Proposed committee



# Area Club Meeting Calendar

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- Van Zandt County ARES meets Saturday, March 16<sup>th</sup> 9 AM, Canton Library.
- RARC March 19<sup>th</sup> (7PM) Soulman's BBQ . Net Tuesdays 7 PM 441.525(+) 141.3Hz. BU 441.375(+) 141.3Hz (Except meeting night)
- SVARA March 21<sup>st</sup> at 7 PM Hunt County Regional Hospital, Greenville – 2nd floor. Net Thursdays 7 PM 146.78(-) 114.8Hz (Except meeting night)
- Rains ARA Meeting April 13<sup>th</sup>, Rains County EOC, 9 AM. Combined Rains/Hopkins County net Mondays 7:30 PM 146.92(-) (88.5)
- Next Majors Field ARC Meeting April 11<sup>th</sup> at 11:45am --- Kitty Hawk CR.



# Hamfest Calendar

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- Upcoming
  - Texas State ARRL Convention (Houston Hamfest), Mar 22-23, Rosenberg, <http://houstonhamfest.org>
  - Belton HamEXPO!, April 5-6, Belton, TX, <https://www.tarc.org/hamexpo>
- Long Range Planning
  - Emory Tailgate Hamfest, May 11, Emory, TX, <http://w5ent.org>
  - West Gulf Division Convention (HamCom), June 6-8, Plano, <http://www.hamcom.org>



# Contest Calendar

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## MARCH

See: <http://www.arrl.org/files/file/Contest%20Corral/2019/March%202019%20Corral.pdf>

## APRIL

14 - Rookie Roundup (SSB)

## MAY

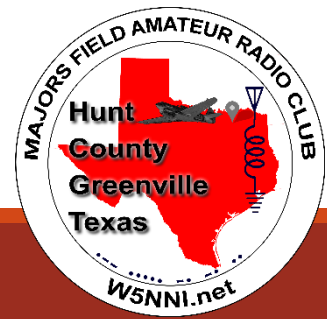
No ARRL contests in May. Contest Corral for May has not been published.

## JUNE

8-10 - June VHF

15 - Kids Day

22-23 - Field Day





# Old Business

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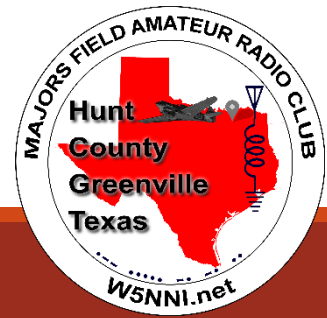
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# Old Business

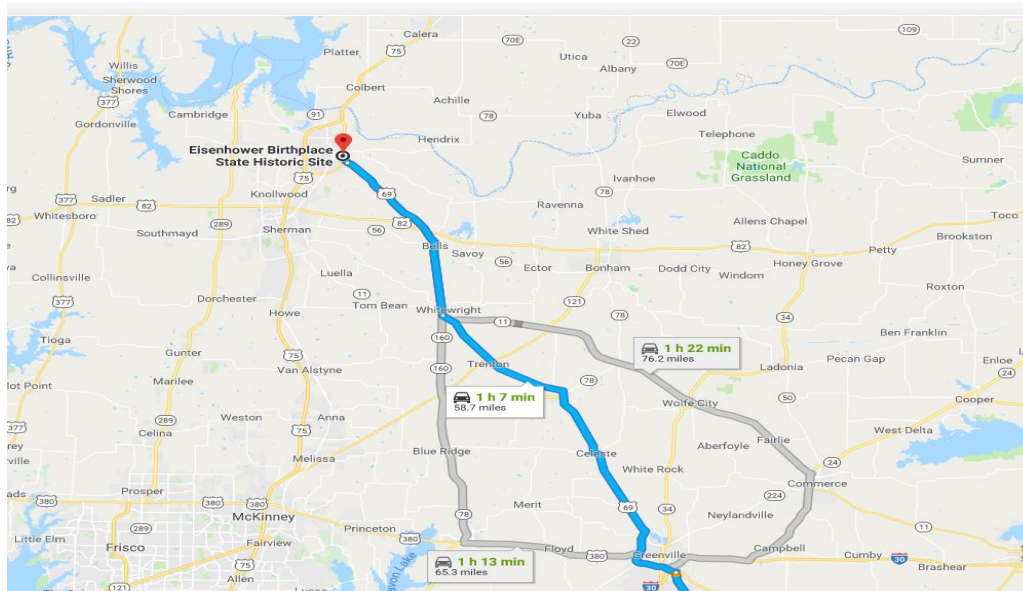
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- License Events
- HF Operation
  - Form Select Committee
- Elmering
  - Form Select Committee
- Field Day 2019
  - Form Activity Committee
  - June 22-23



# Old Business

- Special Event Station for Dwight D. Eisenhower's Birthday Oct 14th (Eisenhower State Park or Eisenhower Birthplace Historical Site)
- Activity Committee



# Old Business

- Texas State Parks on the Air
  - Activity Committee
    - Cooper Lake, South Sulphur Unit
    - Reserve Shelter April 12th for early set-up. Event is the 13th and 14th.



## TEXAS STATE PARKS ON THE AIR

April 13-14, 2019

*Event will take place every year on the second weekend of April (except when Easter falls on the second weekend, then the contest is moved to the first weekend of April). The Lake Area Amateur Radio Klub (K5LRK) enjoyed participating in this event in 2015 and 2016 and were saddened to hear that the initial sponsor Tom King, WK5DX, from Houston, who was running TSPOTA had gone silent key in 2015. The K5LRK club members decided that this was an event that should remain available as it provides a great opportunity for clubs to get out, have fun and enjoy our great state of Texas, so we carry on the torch for Tom! Please join us during this event, in a variety of state parks in Texas as we continue the Texas State Parks on the Air event!*



# New Business

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- Anything Else?



# Wrap-Up

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- Go Backs?
- Do Overs?
- Second Guesses?
- I Wish I Had Said...
- I Just Remembered...
  
- Remember to add your name to the sign in sheet!



