



December 28, 2023



We are looking for more Net Control Operators!! If you are willing, please let me know. Pre-net visiting and early check-ins start around 7 PM and the "formal" part of the Net starting with Prayer and Pledge at 7:30 PM. Here is the rotation for net control. This is subject to change and most the time without notice! If you cannot fulfill your duties on your night, please contact the next weeks' net control operator.

There is a Net Control Operator Script on the website with everything you need. Print it and practice it. Let me know if you would like to call a net.  
**Goto Members Only / Net Control Operator Scripts.**

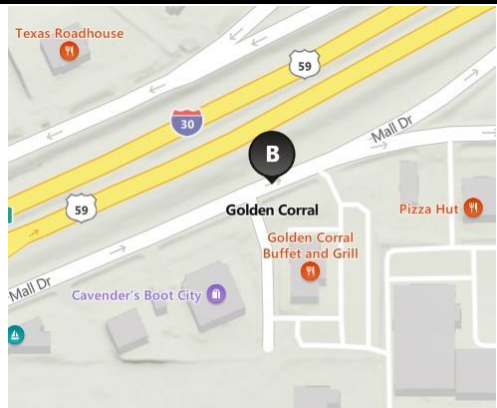
- The Net Control Operator is:
- Dec 28 - Clarence Shilling**
  - Jan 04 - Eric Richards
  - Jan 11 - David Jackson
  - Jan 18 - Greg Waits
  - Jan 25 - JW Franklin
  - Feb 01 - Clarence Shilling
  - Feb 08 - Eric Richards
  - Feb 15 - David Jackson
  - Feb 22 - Greg Waits
  - Feb 29 - JW Franklin
  - Mar 07 - Clarence Shilling
  - Mar 14 - Eric Richards
  - Mar 21 - David Jackson
  - Mar 28 - Greg Waits
  - Apr 04 - JW Franklin



## 2024 Club Officers

New officers were elected during the December meeting:

President:	Adam Huggins
Vice-President:	Greg Waits
Secretary:	Richard Hopkins
Treasure:	Greg English
Director 1:	Karen Houston (2025)
Director 2:	Clarence Shilling (2026)
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## Club Meeting!

The meetings are always held on the first Saturday of the month. The meeting starts at 9:30am.

The January 6th meeting will be held at GOLDEN CORRAL located on the access road of I-30 and Richmond Road.

The meeting area is located to the right of the cashier, all the way to the wall. Find the ice cream machine! The meeting will begin at 9:30. You are encouraged to eat. They will allow us to meet in the meeting room along as the majority of us eat. They have just about every breakfast food you can think of. Eggs and Omelets made to order, bacon, sausage, waffles, pancakes, fruit, yogurt and a lot more. Coffee is available at the table, just tell the waiter. The doors open at 8am. Just watch for antennas in the parking lot!



## Total Solar Eclipse

I attended a seminar presented by the National Weather Service. The Solar Eclipse was a major topic in this all day meeting.

The eclipse will happen on April 8, 2024. Texarkana will be on the very edge of the visibility path. The partial eclipse is predicted to be about 2 minutes in length.

However, Paris and Sulphur Springs is expected to have total eclipse lasting about 4 minutes starting about 1:45pm.

For more information see:

<https://www.click2houston.com/features/2023/09/22/where-to-watch-the-2024-solar-eclipse-in-texas/>

<https://www.greatamericaneclipse.com/texas-2024-eclipse>



## Welcome! Flyer



A very long time ago, I created an auto responder. I don't know why, but never advertised it. Well, here it is. Send a blank email to either

[Info@4sarc.org](mailto:Info@4sarc.org) or  
[Information@4sarc.org](mailto:Information@4sarc.org)

You will receive an email with information about the club. Great for new hams!

Pass it out!



## Membership Renewal

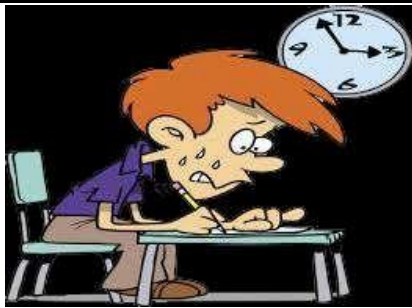
It's time to renew. It's easy! If you are already a member, login as normally do, then click on Member Only / Member Detail. Your information should automatically populate.

If you are not member yet, click on Register at the top of the home page.

You may pay by Paypal or by check, online or in person at the meeting.



Friday Morning breakfast at Johnny B's. They open at 6am!



Ready for your Technician or upgrade to General, or Extra?

Email us at [exam@4sarc.org](mailto:exam@4sarc.org)! It's that easy!



### Got NET?

Sunday	8:30	Daingerfield	145.230 / 151.4
Sunday	8:30	D-Star	REF 77A
Sunday	9:01	Nashville	147.045 / 107.2
Monday	8:20	Slow Scan TV	147.285 / 77
Tuesday	7:30	D-Star	REF 48B
Tuesday	8:00	Atlanta	145.390 / 100
Wed day	8:30	Longview	147.340 / 136.5
Thursday	7:30	Texarkana	146.620 / 100
Thursday	8:00	Shreveport	145.390 / 100

The Shreveport net is on the Freedom Link. You may check the [Freedom Link map](#) for a repeater near you.



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If you have any news worthy items, you would like to include in the newsletter, email it to [newsletter@4sarc.org](mailto:newsletter@4sarc.org) before Tuesday.

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