



TALK IN ON THE STARLINK REPEATER SYSTEM (STARS)

HAMFEST 2025

Saturday, February 08, 2025

Rio ARC is a 501(3)C Non-Profit Organization



ALL INDOOR EVENT for amateur radio (HAM), citizens band (CB), general mobile radio service (GMRS), family radio service (FRS), & digital mobile radio (DMR) enthusiasts !

Encore Sunshine RV Resort

1900 Grace Avenue **Harlingen, Texas**

North or South on Interstate 69E use Exit 29 (Highway 77 turn onto Grace Avenue)

The entrance gate and HAMFEST RECREATION HALL are on Grace Avenue

BREAKFAST ITEMS AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE

\$2 RAFFLE TICKET PRIZES

DAKOTA LITHIUM POWERBOX 10 with 12V Battery

Alinco DM-530T Digital Power Supply

MFJ-1116 DC Multiple Outlet Panel

Lacrosse Weather Station

MFJ-1976, 10FT Stainless Tele Whip Antenna

Jetstream 45A Power Pole 20 PAIR 10-14 G

Jetstream JTSP-10 External Speaker

ER SD-203 Temp Controlled Soldering Station

ARRL Gift Certificates (multiple)

AND MORE

RAFFLE TICKET DONATION IS **\$2 each TICKET or 6 for \$10**. Need not be present at drawing to win, see club web site for prize list, prize selections subject to change without notice.

EVENT SCHEDULE

0700 - 0800 - Setup for sellers

0730- Noon - Open for buyers/sellers

1000 - 1100 - EXAM Session

1100 - Prize Drawings

Noon - It's all over, see you next year !

ADMISSION: FREE - open to the public

Inside seller space - FREE - tables provided

Reserve a table ahead of time: Contact

Richard Cox, kb5rfo@gmail.com, 956-245-7229

EXAMS for TECHNICIAN / GENERAL / EXTRA

Begin at 1000 in CLASSROOM #1

Walk-in and inquire at the information booth

VEC: ARRL/VEC. Sponsor: Rio ARC

BRING TO THE EXAM SESSION

FRN & EMAIL address (must have prior to exam)

Email Address Photo ID or student ID

Exam fee \$15 (cash, exact amount) required

Non-programmable calculator allowed. Testing for

General or Extra Class bring copy of current license.

Expired license testing/credit FCC Rule 97.505 applies.

GRAND PRIZE

AnyTone 578UVIII PLUS Tri-Band Mobile Radio with Training Course (lots of value here!)
Donation \$20 each ticket, **only 50 tickets sold !**
Need not be present to win Grand Prize.



See the club web site RIOARC.ORG

for additional information concerning the event, prizes, drawing rules, membership, and contact information.