



Thunderbird Amateur Radio Club

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501(c)(3) non-profit organization

Calendar of Events

First Saturday (January 4) Monthly Breakfast, 630am MST, at Fast Eddie's Diner, 17017 N 33rd Avenue, Phoenix, AZ 85053

Second Wednesday (January 8) Semi-Monthly Lunch, 100pm MST, at Fast Eddie's Diner

Second Thursday (January 9) Board of Directors Meeting, 630pm MST, Online

Third Thursday (January 16) Dinner Meet-up for all club members at Denny's Restaurant, 5161 W Thunderbird Ave, Glendale, AZ 85306, 430pm MST

Third Thursday (January 16) General Meeting of the Membership, 700pm MST, Arizona Christian University, 57th Avenue and West Greenway Rd, Building 3600, Auditorium 1, or online via Zoom.

Fourth Wednesday (January 22) Semi-Monthly Lunch, 100pm MST, at Fast Eddie's Diner

Weekly HamNet, Tuesdays 730pm MST: 147.040 MHz, Offset +600 kHz, Tone 162.2 Hz, and 446.150 MHz, Offset -5 MHz, Tone 100 Hz. Club repeaters are linked during the HamNet, so you may join the conversation on either of these repeaters to participate.

Upcoming Events

Annual HamFest, Haven Church, 5902 W Cactus Rd, Glendale, AZ, 85304; details at www.tbirdfest.org

Website: <https://www.w7tbc.org>

Email: webmasters@w7tbc.org

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Social Media: Facebook, Twitter/X

Online Discussion Forum: tbarc.groups.io

Mailing Address:

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Memberships: \$25 per person per year with discounted family memberships

Reports:

See our website for board meeting minutes and general meeting minutes.

We held our annual Christmas dinner at Macayo's Glendale on December 21. Over 30 members and guests showed up. Thanks to Daniel Varner (kk7mgs@w7tbc.org) for reserving the room we dined in. It was so popular Dan couldn't sit with his family! During the dinner we announced an award for Bruce Kabana who couldn't make it due to family health. We'll present it to him at the General Meeting in January. See photos below.

We also lost long time member Jack Lunsford (NT7MM) over the holidays. We have renamed our HamFest in his honor.

