

THE DARC PACKET



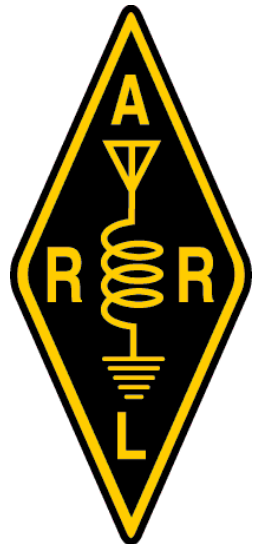
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Hello everyone, This is Zach, KEOKED with the newsletter. Summer is (almost!) here and things are happening! The Ironhorse race is at the end of the month and the Hardrock 100 isn't far behind it.



HAM NEWS

- New York Club GSBARC will be hosting the American Airpower Museum in Farmingdale NY for Armed Forces Day. They will be on-air 5-20 and 5-21. See ARRL for details.
- Maritime Mobile Service Net helped to assist a sinking vessel in Mexican waters recently. Never a bad idea to join a net and stay current with net operating procedures!
- Midway and Kure Islands have been reinstated as DXCC entities.



CLUB NEWS

- Thank you to Jess, KD0MLS for consolidating the club's equipment. If you would like to borrow something, please contact him and he will get you set up.
- Be sure to keep an eye on the club website for updates on the "For Sale" page. If you would like to list an item for sale, please contact Carol at jclewin114@aol.com



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- If you're interested in getting a club/personal magnetic sign made to use on your vehicle for special events, please attend next month's meeting. There will be discussion on ordering and layout for a possible group order.
- Fox hunting season is here! If you would like to schedule a Fox Hunt picnic or anything of that matter, don't hesitate to send a group email out to discuss dates. Meanwhile, for those who are new to the subject, you can visit [Homing In's site](#). for info. If you would like to build a cheap yagi antenna out of PVC and a tape measure, check out [NT1K's page for instructions](#).



UPCOMING EVENTS

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- **MAY 27 | 7AM | DURANGO, CO:**
Ironhorse Bicycle Classic. If you haven't signed up and would like to assist, please email durangoarc@hotmail.com

 - **JULY 14 | 6AM | SILVERTON, CO:**
Hardrock 100 foot race. If you haven't signed up and would like to assist, please email durangoarc@hotmail.com

 - **SEPTEMBER 23 | 9AM | SILVERTON, CO:**
Double Dirty 30 foot race. Race begins Sep. 24 at 7:00. Volunteer meeting Sep. 23 at 3:00PM. Racers will be using SPOT tracking devices this year. Being a new course, we need to organize a scouting trip to check and test equipment at all aid stations. If you haven't signed up and would like to assist, please email durangoarc@hotmail.com

 - **Every Saturday | 8AM | Denny's Restaurant 666 Camino Del Rio:**
Breakfast with club members and non-members.

 - **June 14 | 7PM | Christ the King Lutheran Church, DURANGO, CO:**
Regular Club Meeting.



