

London Bridge Amateur Radio Association

**STATIC**



*January-February 2011*

## **WELCOME BACK**

**LBARA'S MONTHLY MEETING WILL RESUME  
THIS MONTH AT OUR REGULAR TIME.**

**FEBRUARY 17TH**

**7:00 P.M.**

**LONDON BEACH YACHT CLUB**

**(BOARD MEETS AT 6 P.M.)**

**Dick Jernigan will have a program on the 2009 Desecheo Island  
DXpedition**

**REMINDER:**

**IT'S DUES PAYING TIME**

**SEE PAGE 5, COMPLETE THE APPLICATION  
AND RETURN TO AL KEY (WA6FLL) OR  
JERRY FRANCE (K7LY)**

## LBARA MEETING SCHEDULE

MONTH	BOARD	REGULAR
FEB	NOTE: BOARD	2/17
MAR	MEETINGS WILL NOW	3/17
APR	TAKE PLACE ONE	4/21
MAY	HOUR PRIOR TO THE	5/19
SEPT	REGULAR MEETING	9/15



### THE TOWER COMES DOWN

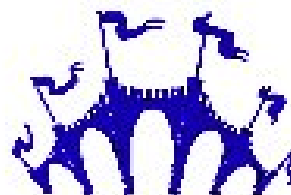
With the help of Dick Jernigan (W6DXJ), Lyle Sibbald (K7YQ) and Reiner Schick (KD7MBA), the last of Doug Spreng (SK) (W7MCF)'s radio equipment, antennas, and tower is now down and gone.

Doug was a long-time friend of this Club and was always available to assist members with their radio repairs and his technical knowledge.

Doug will be missed by all of us.

### Monday Night Net (7 PM)

System	Location	Freq	Offset	PL
MCARS	Bullhead City	145.27	-	131.8
	Kingman	146.76	-	131.8
	Kingman	448.25	-	131.8
	Lake Havasu	146.62	-	131.8
	Willow Beach	147.12	-	131.8
CRRRA	Lake Havasu City	146.96	-	162.2
	Lake Havasu City	224.24	-	156.7
	Lake Havasu City	146.64	-	156.7
	Lake Havasu City	449.95	-	141.3
BARN	Lake Havasu City	447.54	-	136.5
	Las Vegas, NV	449.95		136.5
	Onyx(Palm Springs)	449.34	-	136.5
	Orange County, CA	447.54	-	100



# 2010 LBARA CHRISTMAS PARTY



## Upcoming Activities and Hamfests

February 18-19  
May 7  
July 15-17

Yuma Hamfest & Emergency Preparedness Show  
Larry Warren Memorial Hamfest, Sierra Vista, AZ  
ARCA/Williams Hamfest

## **SATURDAY MORNING'S BREAKFAST**

You're all invited to join LBARA members for a great breakfast each and every Saturday morning at **Rusty's Resturant** located at the southwest corner of Lake Havasu Ave and Kiowa Blvd. Breakfast is served at 6 a.m. (or earlier if you want a good seat!) Most important, the food is great!!!!

## **TOAD TRAINING CLASS**

Lyle Sibbald (K7YQ), Carl Schiller (W7CRL), and Jerry France (K7LY) attended a training class on the operation of Mohave County's Emergency Communication vehicle, known as the TOAD. This Comm Training class was held by Mike Browning, Assistant Coordinator, Mohave County Emergency Management.



## **Are you looking to upgrade your license?**

**Give our VE Exam Team a call.**

**See Ed Gillespie, AB7EM at #453.7412**

**LONDON BRIDGE AMATEUR RADIO ASSOCIATION, INC.**  
**DUES INVOICE** - (Please fill out the bottom part of page for new and/or changes in your informaton.)

Dues are payable January 1<sup>st</sup> and are delinquent February 1<sup>st</sup> of each year as follows: (Circle One)

Active (Licensed): \$24.00/year

Family (Same Household): \$36.00/year

Associate (Non-Licensed): \$12.00/year

New member dues will be prorated for partial year membership (1/12 of dues for every month remaining in the year), and will be billed for the following year during the month of December.

Please make checks payable to: LBARA

**Send this page and your check to:** London Bridge Amateur Radio Association  
P.O. Box 984  
Lake Havasu City, AZ 86405-0984

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**INFORMATION AND MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION**  
(Please Print - Use this portion for new and/or changes in your information.)

Name (Last): \_\_\_\_\_ (First): \_\_\_\_\_

Call: \_\_\_\_\_ Class: \_\_\_\_\_ Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Birth M&D: \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Birth M&D: \_\_\_\_\_

Call: \_\_\_\_\_ Class: \_\_\_\_\_ Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_ ARRL Member (Circle One): Yes No

Would you be willing to furnish radio assistance in an emergency? (Circle One) Yes No

Would you be available for Club participation in community events, parades, etc.? (Circle One) Yes No

Comments and/or ideas (activities, guest speakers, programs, etc.): \_\_\_\_\_

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# **2011 Arizona State Convention**

*7<sup>th</sup> Annual*

## **Yuma Hamfest**

**& Emergency Preparedness Show**

**Yuma, Arizona**

**Feb. 18 & 19, 2011**



Yuma County Fairgrounds  
2520 East 32<sup>nd</sup> Street, Yuma, Arizona

**[www.yumahamfest.org](http://www.yumahamfest.org)**

Check the Website for Additional Information  
and a Current Schedule of Activities and Seminars

**Amateur Radio Equipment  
Emergency Supplies  
Batteries & Power Inverters**

**Disaster Preparedness Information  
Solar Power Information  
Emergency Bug Out Bags**

Gates Open for Camping Thursday, 2 pm Vendor Setup Friday, 7 am - Noon	Event Hours Friday, Noon - 5 pm Saturday, 8 am - 5 pm	Buzzard BBQ & Grand Prize Drawing Saturday Night 6:00 - 8:00 pm
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**Consignment Sales  
License Testing for Hams  
Hourly Door Prizes  
Incredible Grand Prizes  
\$1 Admission**

**Tailgating (Swap Meet)  
Seminars  
Hospitality Area  
On-site RV Camping  
Free Parking**

Hamfest Talk-In Frequency: 146.840 (-) PL 88.5 Hz

Email Contact: [info@yumahamfest.org](mailto:info@yumahamfest.org)

Presented by the Yuma Amateur Radio Hamfest Organization (YARHO)



We are proud to have the Amateur Radio  
Council of Arizona (ARCA) as a sponsor of  
our event.

The Yuma Hamfest is an American Radio  
Relay League (ARRL) sanctioned event.



# FOR SALE/TRADE

Your ad here.....with pictures if you like....contact the Static editor.

**Kenwood 940AT** Excellent condition. Used only once since factory overall. Includes all the manuals. Price is \$700 firm. Alan, N7QLL, at (928)855.6609 .



## Ham Groaners

**\*He stayed up all night wondering where the sun went. Then it dawned on him.**

**\*The dead batteries were given out free of charge.**

**\* If you take the logging computer for a run, you could jog your memory.**

### LBARA OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS

Jerry France	President
Carl Schiller	Vice-President
Al Keys	Treasurer
Lyle Sibbald/Lyle Ross	Secretary
Dick Jernigan	Director (2 YR)
Jim Daughtry	Director (2 YR)
Jim Gould	Director (1 YR)
Cliff Baril	Director (1YR)
Jim Varner	Sgt-at-Arms
Ed Gillespie	Web Master
Jerry France	Static Editor
(Unfilled)	Membership Chair

### VISIT OUR WEBSITE

[www.lbara.net](http://www.lbara.net)

### FROM THE EDITOR

If you have anything you would like to see included in these issues, please let me know. I'm always looking for articles, news items, construction articles, or anything that might be of interest to our readers. You can contact me at 928.855.7941 or email at [grf@uneedspeed.net](mailto:grf@uneedspeed.net) or [francej@ajsinsurance.com](mailto:francej@ajsinsurance.com).

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# STATIC

## ATTENTION READERS

Please note that this issue represents a “work-in-progress” and there are a number of changes to be made in subsequent issues. I would greatly appreciate your comments, both good and bad, as well as any suggestions for future issues. This issue also begins our first attempt to deliver the **STATIC** to your doorstep electronically. Please keep me abreast of any email address changes you may have and I promise to have this delivered promptly and accurately. Also, I still have a number of articles awaiting publication and will do so in the future. This is your newsletter, so keep the articles, letters, and pictures coming. I can be reached at home (855.7941), at work (855.3081) or via email at [grf@uneedspeed.net](mailto:grf@uneedspeed.net) .

## EQUIPMENT FOR SALE

**EDITOR’S NOTE:** List your items for sale here. Ham radio related only, please. Include a picture if you like (please use a jpg format). Email all to me at [grf@uneedspeed.net](mailto:grf@uneedspeed.net)) along with your name and phone number.

