



# W4SNC Iredell Wireless

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*The Iredell County Amateur Radio Society will meet at  
Julia's Tally House Thursday January 8 2004.  
Come and eat at 6:00pm. The meeting starts at 7:00pm.  
Bring the family. Everyone welcome!*

## **2004 Time for a change**

Some of you are looking to see when you're scheduled to be net control station for one of the nets. Some of you are hoping that Tim hasn't put your name on the list for this month. Well time has come for me to pass the Net Manager job to someone else. I want to thank everyone who was a net control station last year and to hope you will continue to help whoever takes over this job by volunteering to be a NCS. Being a net control station is one of the **easiest** jobs in the club. It is also one of the most **important** jobs in the club. It only takes a little of your time and an HT. Any Amateur can be a NCS. Please do your part to support ICARS and the new Net Manager. I will! 73 and Happy New Year. Tim KC4MJC.

**Don't forget you're 2004 Dues! \$15.00**

**Iredell County Amateur Radio Society  
Minutes of December 13 2003 Meeting**

The Iredell County Amateur Radio Society met at the Prime Sirloin on Hwy 90 in Statesville for the regular monthly meeting. There were nine members and five visitors present. Larry Earle WD4LXC welcomed everyone, then asked if everyone received their copy of the Iredell Wireless, ICARS newsletter. Larry next asked for a motion to approve the minutes of the last meeting, as printed in the newsletter. A motion was made, seconded and approved to accept the minutes as written. Next Larry called for the Treasurers report. John Lamson WB4WRY, Treasurer reported a beginning balance of \$533.52. One check written for \$37.00 for newsletter postage. Another check written to Honor Craft for Ham of the Year plaque for \$41.61. One deposit of dues totaling \$30.00, giving an ending balance of \$485.91. Larry asked for a motion to accept the treasurers report. A motion was made, seconded and then approved by the group. Next John WB4WRY, nomination committee chairman read the nominations for office for 2004. They were Larry Earle WD4LXC, President Margie Person KE4YWO, Vice President, Tim Misenheimer KC4MJC, Secretary, John Lamson WB4WRY Treasurer, Lee McClure KE4ERH Member at large 2004, Mike Bryan WA6KWW Member at large 2005. John also noted that Tim Misenheimer KC4MJC was the trustee of the club call sign and thus was repeater trustee. John then asked for any nominations from the floor. None were heard. The nominees were installed into office. Larry Earle then thanked everyone for their support last year and also thanked everyone for allowing him to serve as President another year. Then Larry introduced Mike Bryan WA6KWW. Ham of the year for 2002 to announce the winner of Ham of The Year for 2004. Mike Read the Ham of the Year plaque, then announced Larry Earle WD4LXC as Ham of the Year for 2003. Congratulations Larry!! Larry thanked everyone and said he was "honored" to receive the award and reminded us all that we were all part of an important group that helped the community in time of need. Larry encouraged everyone to get involved when you could. That each of was needed to make this group work. After some informal discussion, the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted

Tim Misenheimer KC4MJC Secretary

Dates	Type	Event and Contact	Location
7 Feb 2004	+	Charleston ARS <a href="http://www.qsl.net/wa4usn/hamfest.htm">http://www.qsl.net/wa4usn/hamfest.htm</a> <b>Contact:</b> Jenny Myers, WA4NGV 2630 Dellwood Avenue North Charleston, SC 29405-6814 Phone: 843-747-2324 Email: <a href="mailto:brycemyers@aol.com">brycemyers@aol.com</a>	North Charleston, SC <b>Div:</b> Roanoke <b>Sect:</b> South Carolina
22 Feb 2004	**	Virginia State Convention Richmond Amateur Telecommunications Society <a href="http://www.frostfest.com">http://www.frostfest.com</a> <b>Contact:</b> Pat Wilson, W4PW PO Box 14828 Richmond, VA 23221-0828 Phone: 804-932-9424 or 804-330-3165 Email: <a href="mailto:w4pw@frostfest.com">w4pw@frostfest.com</a>	Richmond, VA <b>Div:</b> Roanoke <b>Sect:</b> Virginia
29 Feb 2004	+	Vienna Wireless Society <a href="http://www.viennawireless.org">http://www.viennawireless.org</a> <b>Contact:</b> Jim Parsons, W4JTP 11011 Moxleys Ford Lane Bristow, VA 20136 Phone: 703-392-0150 Email: <a href="mailto:W4JTP@aol.com">W4JTP@aol.com</a>	Annandale, VA <b>Div:</b> Roanoke <b>Sect:</b> Virginia
29 Feb 2004	+	Plateau ARA <a href="http://www.qsl.net/kc8lob">http://www.qsl.net/kc8lob</a> <b>Contact:</b> Wes Holstein, N8WBR PO Box 96 Fayetteville, WV 25840 Phone: 304-574-0004 Email: <a href="mailto:n8wbr12@aol.com">n8wbr12@aol.com</a>	Fayetteville, WV <b>Div:</b> Roanoke <b>Sect:</b> West Virginia
13-14 Mar 2004	*	North Carolina Section Convention Mecklenburg ARS <a href="http://www.w4bfb.org">http://www.w4bfb.org</a> <b>Contact:</b> Tim Slay, N4IB 141 Queens Cove Road Mooresville, NC 28117 Phone: 704-948-7373 Email: <a href="mailto:hamfest@w4bfb.org">hamfest@w4bfb.org</a>	Charlotte, NC <b>Div:</b> Roanoke <b>Sect:</b> North Carolina
20 Mar 2004	+	Charleston Area Hamfest & Computer Show <b>Contact:</b> William Kibler, K8WMX PO Box 916 St. Albans, WV 25177-0916 Phone: 304-722-3150 Email: <a href="mailto:k8wmx@juno.com">k8wmx@juno.com</a>	Charleston, WV <b>Div:</b> Roanoke <b>Sect:</b> West Virginia