

Dubois County Amateur Radio Bulletins & Announcements – May 29, 2025

Meetings & Events

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT

The 147.195 MHz repeater, which is owned and operated by the Dubois County Emergency Management Agency, has been upgraded to a Yaesu System Fusion DR2X supporting both FM/analog and C4FM/digital. Since the repeater's C4FM/digital capability has overcome serious noise issues, the Dubois County EMA is now using C4FM/digital to communicate with its staff of trained weather spotters while severe weather is moving through locally. All communications on the 147.195 MHz repeater, both analog and digital, are now being streamed over Broadcastify allowing 24/7 world-wide access. The 147.195 MHz repeater remains open for all amateurs to use during day-to-day operations in whatever mode they choose.

- June 4 **Dubois County EMA / RACES / Weather Spotter meeting**, 6:00 PM, EMA Office, 255 Brucke Strasse, Suite A, Jasper. This meeting includes a presentation *for EMA members* covering <u>NWS Storm Damage</u> <u>Assessment</u> showing how the NWS determines if a tornado was involved and assigns EF ratings.
- June 17 Patoka Valley Amateur Radio Club Meeting, Jasper Public Library, Hickory Room, 100 Third Ave, Jasper at 6:00 pm. <u>Prior to the meeting, club members get together around 4:30 to 5:00 PM for a meal at</u> the nearby Headquarters Restaurant at 201 Main Street in Jasper. This meeting will include <u>a</u> <u>presentation by WB9LIB covering logging utilities including LOTW, QRZ, and eQSL</u>. We'll also finish up our planning for our 2025 ARRL Field Day operations.

July 2 There will be no Dubois County EMA / RACES / Weather Spotter meeting during July.

Note: Guests are welcome to attend a Dubois County EMA meeting or presentation to get to know the agency. <u>Continued</u> <u>attendance requires membership</u>. All meeting times are Eastern.

Local Amateur Radio Weekly Nets (Times ET)									
Day Time	Net	Repeater(s)	Day	Time	Net	Repeater(s)			
Tue 8:00 PM	 PVARC Weekly Net Indiana Link South (ILS) Dubois County RACES 	()			Martin County ARC IN Link South ARES	145.210 MHz (FM) ILS Network (C4FM)			

Contests		Special Events			Ham Fests		
June 7-8	Kentucky QSO Party	May 31-Jun 15	Lewis & Clark		Sep 6	Louisville Ham Fest	
Jun 14-16	ARRL VHF Contest	July 1-7	13 Colonies		Oct 18	Hamtober Fest, Lynnville	
Jun 21-22	West Virginia QSO Party	Jul 21-27	Brickyard 500		Nov 8	Hoosier Hills Ham Fest	
Jun 21	ARRL Kids Day	Sep 6-14	Route 66 On-the-Air				
Jun 28-29	ARRL Field Day						

Amateur Radio License Exam Sessions								
Jasper, IN	Evansville, IN	Boonville, IN	Evansville, IN					
Patoka Valley ARC, Jasper	American Red Cross	Warrick County EMA	1576 E Morgan Avenue,					
Public Library, 100 3'rd Ave	29 S Stockwell Rd	107 W Locust Street	6:30 PM CT (No Walk-ins),					
10 AM ET (Appt. Only)	9 AM CT (Walkins Allowed)	9 AM CT (Walkins Allowed)	(812) 480-1266, (James Turner)					
(812) 639-4064 (Stephen Goins)	(812) 305-4100 (John Van Vorst)	(812) 306-5205 (Mike Koester)						
Dates: Aug 16, Nov 8	Dates: Jun 7, Jul 26, Aug 23,	Dates: Jun 14, Jul 12, Aug 9,	Dates: Jun 16, Jul 21, Aug 18,					
	Sep 27, Nov 22, Dec 27	Sep 13, Oct 11, Nov 8, Dec 13	Sep 15, Oct 20, Nov 17, Dec 15					