



Amateur Radio Eules Club



Congratulations on passing the Technician License. Below you will find some useful information as you explore the amateur radio world.

Amateur Radio Eules Club. www.w5eul.com

General Meeting is on the 2nd Wednesday of each month at the Eules Police Station. You are always welcome to join us.

Use the FCC Website to check for call sign and upgrade status. <http://wireless.fcc.gov/uls> and click on LICENSES or visit tiny.cc/fcculs for a direct link.

* After you pass your test, it may take 2 weeks to see your name in the data base, however, most times it is 3-4 business days.

* Once you see your name in the FCC ULS Database you are able to get on the air under technician privileges.

* Go to the Search field and click on licenses, change to “by name”. Search by Your; last name, first name

Links to places to study for upgrades:

www.hamstudy.org

www.hamtestonline.com

www.qrz.com

www.w5yi.com

www.hamuniversity.com

www.arrl.org

Places to purchase a radio:

www.hamradio.com

www.maintradingcompany.com

www.universal-radio.com

www.gigaparts.com

Types of radios:

Many new licensees start with a handheld radio which can range in price from \$100 single band 2 meter to \$400 dual or tri-band 144/440/220. There are also mobile radios that can be used in your car on your house. These range from a \$150 single band 2 meter to \$800 for a dual band 144/440.

There are several different ways amateur radio is used in the community. These are just a few of them, public service events (bike rides, runs, parades), storm spotting, public utility outages, emergency communications for disasters, and the most important, having fun and making new friends.

Once again CONGRATULATIONS. If you ever have any questions, or are looking for more information on amateur radio, please visit the Amateur Radio Club Eules website www.w5eul.com and send us an e-mail.

Good luck on future tests and we look forward to hearing you on the air.

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