The Tampa Amateur Radio Club holds meetings at the TARC Operations Center every Monday night at 7:30pm.

On the first Monday of the month, regular business meetings are held. The second Monday features training/mentoring for new hams. The third Monday of the month features presentations on topics of interest to the club membership. The fourth and fifth Mondays are usually informal and are a great time to chat and play with the radios.

TARC also holds licensing classes and hosts VE Testing. Please see our website for current dates and times.

**STOP BY ON MEETING NIGHT! YOU’RE ALWAYS WELCOME AT TARC!**

Yagis in the moonlight at the TARC Operations Center
Since its formation in 1922, TARC has focused on staying at the forefront of technology while having fun doing it! Our members have diverse interests and talents and freely share their talents with each other.

Some of our members are active in public service communications, some in contesting, still others love to ragchew on our repeaters. But above it all, it’s our love of the hobby that is the overriding motivation.

TARC’s 2,000 sq ft facility is outfitted with some of the finest tools available. Our multiple tall towers are equipped for world class communications with top shelf antennas from HF to 1.2 GHz. Equipment includes multiple operating positions featuring computer controlled, late model ICOM and Kenwood systems. But we also keep “yeasteyeye” alive with a fully equipped AM/OW “legacy” position for “radios that glow in the dark” fun!

WELCOME TO THE SOUTHEAST’S PREMIERE AMATEUR RADIO CLUB!

GIVING BACK TO OUR COMMUNITY.

The Tampa Amateur Radio Club owns and operates two repeaters: N4TP (HF) on 147.105MHz (pl 146.2) and N4TP (VHF) on 443.025MHz (pl 146.2). These repeaters are primary ARES/RACES systems and are closely tied in with local government emergency communications plans. Both feature emergency power while the UHF system features VoIP interconnection. Our club makes available its equipment and human resources for SHARES/MARS use in support of county, regional and state emergency operations. The TARC Operations center also has full emergency backup power generation on site.

We take pride in our involvement with public service communications to support our community in times of need.

FUN WITH A PURPOSE!

TARC holds many events throughout the year, both operating and social. Our annual Christmas Party is held each December and is a “family” event. We also host TAROFest, our bi-annual Hamfest, held in August and April, dubbed “Florida’s Friendliest Tailgate” where you can swap gear and share stories.

We also participate in many contests, most notably ARRL Field Day, where we test our facilities against those of other hams across the country.

JOIN US!

Don’t have a license? We’ll teach you how! Already Licensed? Come enjoy the fun and camaraderie! We have many activities for you to enjoy! Send an email to info@hamclub.org and one of our membership committee staffers will contact you. Or just stop by on Monday Night!

Tower #1:
Force 12 C31XR and 2 E 40Meter Beam at 110 feet.

Directions:
From Hillsborough Ave turn left or right on 22nd to the end of the road. Next to Eddy Lopez Field is the TARC building.