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BROOKINGS RADIO RESEARCH CLUB

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The Brookings Radio Research Club to host a 3 day course that will prepare you to obtain your first ham radio (Technician) license on Tuesday June 13th Tuesday June 20th and Tuesday June 27th 2017 6:30-8:30 pm. in the basement of the Brookings, Pubic Safety Center Building, 307 3rd Av. Brookings, SD.

No technical experience is necessary... just a desire to join the ranks of ham radio operators, a unique hobby that is both fun and a community resource.

As a Licensed Ham Radio Operator You Get To: Serve Your Community: Talk To other Hams On The Radio: Meet New Friends: Have Your Own Individual Call sign.

Preregistration and walk-ins welcome. There is no age limit, but youths must take and pass the same test as the adults.

The class itself is free, as is the FCC license. There is a \$15 FCC fee for electronic processing and submittal of the exam.

Testing: The FCC Technician Exam will be offered as part of the class Those passing the exam will receive a free one-year club membership.

Please Note: Although the class is fun and low-stress, it is an accelerated course. As such, it is highly recommended that you read a study guide or book prior to attending the class to ensure your success.

You can download this study guide **No-Nonsense Technician Class License Study Guide** at <http://www.kb6nu.com/study-guides/> The PDF version is free. Before the class, read through the study guide a few times, then take some online practice tests. Ham test questions. <https://hamstudy.org/> ARRL. <http://www.arrl.org/> QRZ Ham test questions <http://www.qrz.com/index.html> .Ham Radio test questions just as they look on the exam. <http://aa9pw.com/>

The book, "The ARRL Ham Radio License Manual, Third Edition," is available from the American Radio Relay League www.arrl.org/shop/Ham-Radio-License-Manual-3rd-Edition..

Technician Class 2014-18 FCC Element 2 Radio License Preparation - 8th Edition, by Gordon West.

Both books are available on line at Amazon.com

You may also do the study guides and online tests listed above on your own and do the test on Tuesday night June 27th.

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