

**ACARA Questionnaire—2008 Results**

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**In which amateur radio-related activities do you participate? E.g., DXing, Digital modes, field/portable operations, attending hamfests, etc.**

| Activity                             | Responses | Rank |
|--------------------------------------|-----------|------|
| Field/portable                       | 6         | 1    |
| Hamfests                             | 4         | 2    |
| DXing                                | 3         | 3    |
| Contesting                           | 2         | 4    |
| Nets                                 | 2         | 4    |
| Building/repairing                   | 2         | 4    |
| Digital                              | 1         | 5    |
| Public Service                       | 1         | 5    |
| CW                                   | 1         | 5    |
| Rag Chews                            | 1         | 5    |
| Alternate energy for radio operation | 1         | 5    |

**What are some new activities or events in which we as a radio club might participate? These can be public events or club-only activities.**

Club Contests (10-meter contest December 13/14, 2008)  
 Trip(s) to ham shack  
 Trip to radio site that may not be amateur, e.g. WOUB  
 Dinner meeting  
 Field trip

**We are always looking for program topics for meetings. What would you like to see presented? Is there an area of amateur radio that you could talk about?**

A hands-on workshop wherein participants can assemble a complete power cord fitted with Anderson Power Poles.

What modes or activities of amateur radio would you like to know more about?  
 E.g., contesting, antennas digital HF, VHF, DX, theory, construction.

VHF Operations  
 Antennas - Two responses  
 Digital  
 Repair of Vintage Rigs  
 Construction  
 Sound card software for RTTY, PSK31, etc.

**What should we do at meetings?**

*Get new ideas.*

**Please provide any general comments that you may have that could improve our club.**

Repeat the winter potluck.

More social events.

Fix DX network.

Have those experienced in repair of vintage gear assist those with less experience repair/align said gear.

Have more people step forward to serve as officers, organize events, and make presentations.