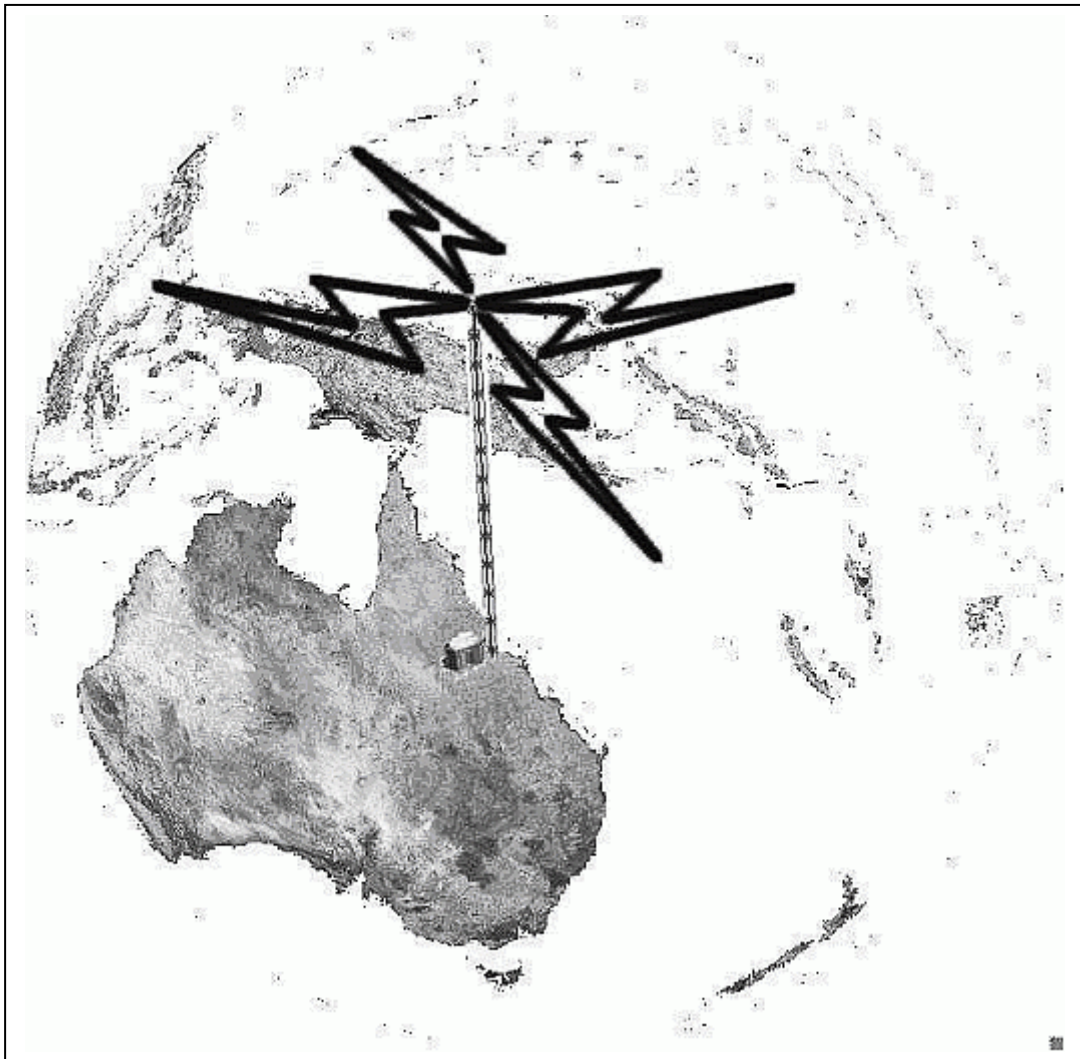


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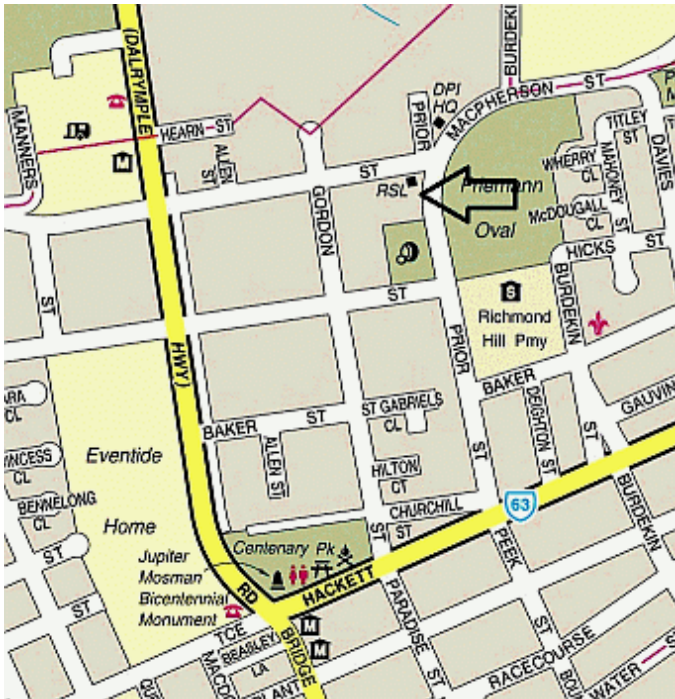
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**Main Venue – Charters Towers RSL Club Function Room
8 Prior Street (cnr Hewett and Prior Streets) Richmond Hill
Location 20deg03.57min South 146deg 15.75min East
APRS Object NQARC**

TET-EMTRON



Mark Rawlings VK6MOA will be making the long trek across the country to be at this years Convention and will be bringing along a vast array of super-quality TET-EMTRON products.

However, he wants to know if you are after something in particular to purchase at the Convention. Check out the online cattledog by surfing the net to

<http://www.tet-emtron.com> or drop Mark a line on email mark@tet-emtron.com.au or even get him on the phone business hours WA on 08 92963224

NAVCOM ELECTRONICS



Barry Dionysius VK4TBD / VH4X is Townsville's premier ICOM and Standard Vertex (Yaesu) dealer and is currently trying to wrangle the big manufacturers to support the Convention with the display of new models and offering specials on a wide range of product. The job is tough though, so if you feel you want to grab something special, help by contacting Bazz on 0416 181740

or on the freecall 1800 632422

The Convention will be hosting such diverse activities as:

- * technical lectures.
- * trade displays by manufacturers, dealers, and special interest groups.
- * demonstrations of several facets of the hobby including Direction Finding, Computer enhanced communications and long distance communications.
- * social functions including the famous TARC Mystery Pressie Auction.
- * awarding the Ken Robertson VK4KT Memorial Award.
- * display of self-made equipment, handicrafts and produce.
- * future planning talks.
- * tours to significant local features and landmarks.
- * used equipment car-boot sale and monster auction.

Nearest Places To Stay

- Dalrymple Tourist Van Park** - Gregory Development Road
(07) 4787 1121 admin@dalrymplevanpark.com.au
4 Star Villas, Van Sites, EnSuite Sites, Camp Sites (most staying here)
- Affordable Gold City Motel** - Gregory Development Road
(07) 4787 2187 goldcitymotel@bigpond.com
3 Star Motel Accommodation
- Charters Towers Motel** - 95 Hackett Terrace
(07) 4787 1366 c.t.motel@bigpond.com
3 Star Motel Accommodation
- Cattleman's Rest Motor Inn** - 1 Bridge Street
(07) 4787 3555 admin@cattleman.com.au
3.5 Star Motel Accommodation
- Hillview Motel** - 3 Hackett Terrace opposite Racecourse
(07) 4787 1973 aiwise@bigpond.com
3 Star Motel Accommodation
- Aussie Outback Oasis Cabin & Van Village** - Dr George Ellis Drive
(07) 4787 8722 ausoback@bigpond.net.au
4 Star Villas, Van Sites, EnSuite Sites, Camp Sites
- Country Road Motel** - Flinders Highway
(07) 4787 2422 countryroadmotel@bigpond.com
3.5 Star Motel Accommodation
- Charters Towers Top Tourist Park** - 37 Mt Leyshon Road
(07) 4787 7944 ct_caravanpark@bigpond.com
3.5 Star Villas, Van Sites, Camp Sites

Convention Tours – pay on the day but need your numbers

- Guided tour of the Venus Gold Battery \$11.00 per person
- Historic Ambulance Centre \$ 2.20 per person
- Zara Clark Museum \$ 5.00 per person
- only available to those who register

Registration

- includes name badge and goodies bag \$15.00 per household

Saturday Night Convention Banquet

- only available to those who register \$25.00 per person

Friday Night Meet and Greet + Official Opening

- registered bods only – Free but need numbers

Lunch – pay on the day Sat & Sun but need your numbers

- available from RSL Bistro – pay as you eat \$8 to \$10

Home Brew Display – entry only for those who register

- able to be viewed with wonder by everyone !
- Three types, Technical, Craft, Produce

Exhibits – only those who register can exhibit.

- able to be viewed with and bought with wonder by everyone !

Car Boot Sale – entry available to anyone.

- able to be viewed with and bought with wonder by everyone !

Monster Auction – only those who register can bid

- able to be viewed with wonder by everyone !
- attend the Monster Auction only and pay \$5.00 pro rata.

Deadline for registration and payments is the TARC Management Meeting Tuesday Evening September 6th 2011.



The 20th North Queensland Amateur Radio Convention Convention Registration Form

One registration form per household or exhibitor.

Personal Information:

Name: _____
Name: _____
Name: _____
Name: _____
Name: _____
Name: _____
Name: _____
Name: _____
Name: _____

Include Callsigns if anyone has them, these will be identified on your Convention I.D.

Postal Address:

Telephone: _____ () _____

Mobile: _____ () _____

email: _____ @ _____

Convention Services Information: (Only those who have registered before the deadline can access these services)

Registration Fee : \$15.00 per Household.
*Confirmation of Registration and Services will take place on Friday evening and Saturday morning. Registration Fee is required if you wish to participate in Catered Events, Trips and Visits, Exhibits, Home Brew Contest and the **Monster Auction**. A Pro-Rata fee of \$5 applies to those only attending the Monster Auction with **no** other services supplied.*

\$ _____ . _____ rego
 \$ _____ . _____ prorata

Friday Night Meet and Greet, Number of People Attending.
Nibbles supplied by theTARCinc. Drinks at Bar Prices.
 The Friday Night Opening will take place at the RSL Convention Room, Charters Towers.

_____ Number of People

Saturday Lunch, Number of People Attending.
Pay as you eat – lunches from \$8 to \$10 off the menu
 Saturday Lunch will take place at the RSL Bistro, Charters Towers.

_____ Number of People

Saturday Night Banquet, \$25.00 per head.
 Sorry, no child's rate. The Banquet will be held at the RSL Convention Room, Charters Towers

Number _____
 attending

\$ _____ . _____

Sunday Lunch, Number of People Attending.
Pay as you eat – lunches from \$8 to \$10 off the menu
 Sunday Lunch will take place at the RSL Bistro, Charters Towers.

_____ Number of People

Tour of The Venus Gold Battery, Number of People Attending.
Pay as you tour - \$11.00 per person

_____ Number of People

Tour of Historic Ambulance Station, Number of People Attending.
Pay as you tour - \$2.20 per person

_____ Number of People

Tour of Zara Clark Museum, Number of People Attending.
Pay as you tour - \$5.00 per person

_____ Number of People

Fill in this form and post with payment before 6th September 2011 to:
NQ Convention, The Townsville Amateur Radio Club (Inc.),
PO Box 333, Garbutt East, QLD 4814.
 See over for payment options.

Total: \$ _____ . _____



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Convention registration and services can be paid using the following methods -

By post with cheque or money order

Cheque or money order for total amount shown on form made payable to The Townsville Amateur Radio Club Inc., accompanied with the completed Convention Registration Form, all sent to :
Treasurer, The Townsville Amateur Radio Club Inc. PO Box 333 Garbutt East, QLD, 4814.

By internet Direct Transfer

Direct Transfer for the total amount shown on form with the following details ;

Account Name	Townsville Amateur Radio Club Inc.
Bank	Commonwealth
BSB	06-4817
Account Number	00904117
Reference Details	Your call sign or surname.

Print the transaction details and either post along the completed Convention Registration Form to: Treasurer, The Townsville Amateur Radio Club Inc. PO Box 333 Garbutt East, QLD, 4814. or, hand it to the Treasurer before the deadline.

By cash

At the next Club Meeting or Event pay the total amount shown on the Convention Registration form in cash and tender the completed form at the time of payment to the Treasurer or Committee Member.

Insist whoever you give the cash and form to advise the Secretary so that he can ensure your incoming cash and form can be entered into the Inwards Correspondence register. This will allow for easy tracing should something go awry.

Any payment by the above methods NOT accompanied with a Convention Registration Form at the time of payment will be considered a donation – for which you will be gladly thanked for. This might make you unhappy so to avoid disappointment ensure a completed Convention Registration Form is submitted with your payment.

Registration Deadline is Tuesday evening 6th September 2011