Hello, and Good Day

I truly hope all of you had a good Thanksgiving this year. I know it is truly a blessing that we have this opportunity to be able to celebrate with our family and friends and to be thankful for the freedom that we as Americans have. We also need to give thanks to and for our fellow American soldiers that continue to make this time of year possible.

I also want to thank those of you that came to the last meeting. It also was a great meeting with

Bob Allphin, K4UEE presenting the Peter 1 Island DXpedition.

Additionally, we need to welcome two new members to NFARL and they would be,

Bret Arnold N4BTA, and Jim Smith W4JDS. Welcome aboard.

It is that time of year again when we have our annual Christmas dinner. Over the years we have had it at many locations, several have been at the home of N4CLA, and this year we will again have the party at the home of N4CLA. We need to know whether you will attend or will not attend.

That means you need to <u>RSVP</u> regardless of your attendance intentions. It is easy to <u>RSVP</u>.

Just click on the link marked <u>RSVP</u>.

Accurate plans for the Christmas party need to be made so that there will be enough food to go around.

Just tell us who you are and how many will be with you.

It is scheduled to be on December 19th, that is the 3rd Tuesday in December.

It will start at 6PM, and end at 9PM.

The location is 1545 Oakwood Dr, in the big city of Roswell, GA. http://maps.google.com/maps?oi=map&q=1545+Oakwood+Dr,+Ros well,+GA

I mentioned in the meeting announcement the other day that there were several things that need to happen if you plan on attending.

First

Everyone is welcome, however, if you plan on attending, you <u>must</u> bring some kind of <u>child's gift</u> or bring a <u>small shoe box with an</u> <u>assortment of small children's gifts</u> that will be given to one of the charitable organizations for Christmas for children that more than likely will not have a Christmas like you and I have had in our younger days.

Second

You need to be a *paid in full member*, and *if you are not* current with your membership and you would like to attend this annual Christmas party, please come and *bring your annual dues of \$30* for your 2007 membership. Click here for a <u>Membership form</u>. We will enjoy seeing you.

Third

We are also asking that everyone that is planning to attend, to please bring some kind of covered dish that will feed four to six people. As usual, NFARL will be supplying the meat and beverages Our plans are to have ham and turkey from Honey Bake.

Sincerely,

Jim Stafford, <u>W4Q0</u> – President Steve Knittel, <u>KC4YB0</u> – Vice-President Fred Moore, <u>N4CLA</u> – Secretary / Treasurer Walt Woron, <u>KJ4HE</u> – Program Chairman