



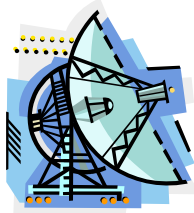
Wayne Amateur Radio Club - W8WOO

Serving Wayne County Ohio since 1972 • We'll be listening on 147.21 (PL 88.5) & 443.175 (No PL)

The Club meets on the third Thursday of every month at the Wayne County Communications Center on the corner of Burbank and Oldman Roads in Wooster. Meetings start at 7:30pm.

WARC SPRING WING-DING

If you weren't at Hawkins Cafeteria on April 1st, you missed a great meal and a great presentation by Michael Brugger (N8CEY) who talked about DXing (500 contacts in one night) from Tajikistan and about life in Tajikistan. His slide show was quite an eye opener. Quite a few people walked off with some pretty good door prizes and table decorations. A big "Thank You" for Stan Kinney (N8RNK) for seeing that all went well.



THURSDAY, APRIL 20TH MEETING

Jim Henry, KC8RRT, has put together a great program on the "ins and outs" of satellite communication. Jim brought his equipment and expertise to our 2005 field day, giving us an added feature to display to the general public. This is a program that you won't want to miss.

PROGRAM SCHEDULE FOR THE NEXT FEW MONTHS

MAY



The big event for the month obviously is the Dayton Hamvention which runs from Friday, May 19th through Sunday, May 21st. Since our normal "Third Thursday" meeting falls on a day when a goodly number of members will be traveling to Dayton, we have decided to have our meeting a week earlier on May 11. Please mark your calendars accordingly. The primary business to be taken care of at this meeting is getting ready for the Mohican 100 Mile run. Duane Hart (WD8BVV) will fill us in with the details and, if known, our times and assignments. This is a great event for the Club and you should plan to attend.

JUNE



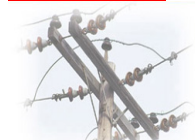
MOHICAN 100 MILE RUN • The 2006 "Run" is scheduled for Saturday, June 17 through Sunday June 18. Our regular meeting falls Thursday, June 15 and you will want to attend to get the final details and logistics of the "Run" and also of ARRL Field Day which is the following weekend.



ARRL FIELD DAY • This is the big event of the year. "Goose" (W8AV) has Spangler Park reserved and Duane Hart (WD8BVV) has reserved the Wayne County Emergency van for our use and testing. Please reserve Saturday, June 24 and Sunday, June 25 for Field Day. Dave Balint (N8IW) is spearheading the event and we need all the participation we can get.

JULY • No meeting !

AUGUST



Larry Knox (K8LK) will present to us more information that you can handle concerning radio transmission over power lines. Given the current debate over BPL, this should be very timely and interesting. He has a Power-Point presentation all ready to go.

SEPTEMBER



Jim DeLucca (N8ULN) and Herman Gibbs (KD8PD) have agreed to tell us all they know about "Vintage Radio". Since most of us are old timers (age wise), this should be right down our alley. We will finally figure out just who buys all of the old "stuff" that we see at hamfests.

OTHER PROGRAMS

We have a commitment from, but have not yet set the date for a presentation by the Red Cross. With all the disaster activity of late, we would do well to "get up to speed" on their programs as they relate to Ham Radio.

An ARRL observer has also agreed to come to one of our meetings and discuss his duties and activities. This should give us an insight into how we can be better neighbors and make sure that we have clean signals and operate within and according to regulations.

AREA HAMFESTS, SYMPOSIA, ETC.

Dates	Event and Contact	Location
30 Apr 2006	Athens County Amateur Radio Association http://www.ac-ara.org Talk-In: 145.15 Contact: Drew McDaniel, W8MHV 61 Briarwood Drive Athens, OH 45701 Phone: 740-592-2106 Fax: 740-593-9184 Email: mcdanied@ohiou.edu	Athens, OH Athens Community Center 665 East State Street Div: Great Lakes Sect: Ohio
18-21 May 2006	Kennebec ARS & 7272 and 1872 Ragchewers Group http://www.ragchewers.net Talk-In: 146.72 Contact: Martin W. Rigoulot, K1PIG 427 Sandy River Road Kents Hill, ME 04349 Phone: 207-293-2393 Email: k1pig@arrl.net	Dayton, OH Dayton Holiday Inn Wagoner Ford Road Div: Great Lakes Sect: Ohio
19-21 May 2006	Dayton Hamvention / ARRL EXPO 2006 Dayton ARA http://www.hamvention.org/ Talk-In: 146.94 (PL 123) Contact: Jim Nies, WX8F	Trotwood, OH Hara Arena 1001 Shiloh Springs Road ARRL EXPO info: www.arrl.org/expo

	PO Box 964 Dayton, OH 45401-0964 Phone: 937-276-6930 Fax: 937-276-6934 Email: info@hamvention.org	Div: Great Lakes Sect: Ohio
11 Jun 2006	Fulton County ARC http://k8bxq.org Talk-In: 147.195/147.795 Contact: Angela Infante, KB2AVN 7649 County Road L Delta, OH 43515 Phone: 419-822-4382 Email: lindsayinf@wcnnet.org	Tedrow, OH Roth Family Park 131 Hill Avenue Div: Great Lakes Sect: Ohio
17 Jun 2006	Milford ARC http://www.w8mrc.com Talk-In: 147.345+ Contact: Chris Reinfelder, KB8SNH 3782 Grovedale Place Cincinnati, OH 45208 Phone: 513-351-2776 Fax: 859-534-4884 Email: kb8snh@fuse.net	Milford, OH Eastside Christian Church 5874 Montclair Blvd. Div: Great Lakes Sect: Ohio
16 Jul 2006	Van Wert ARC http://www.w8fy.org Talk-In: 146.250 / .850 repeater Contact: Louie Thomas, WD8LLO 208 North Chestnut Street Van Wert, OH 45891 Phone: 419-238-2812	Van Wert, OH Van Wert County Fairgrounds 1055 South Washington Street (US Route 127 South) Div: Great Lakes Sect: Ohio
22 Jul 2006	CANCELLED due to construction. Will be back next year! OH-KY-IN ARS http://www.ohkyin.org Talk-In: 146.670 - no PL needed Contact: Phil Smith, KG8AP 86 Riddle Road Cincinnati, OH 45215 Phone: 513-771-7839 Email: hamfest@ohkyin.org	Cincinnati, OH Diamond Oaks Career Development Campus (Vocational School) 6375 Harrison Avenue Cincinnati, OH 45247 Div: Great Lakes Sect: Ohio
30 Jul 2006	HAMFAIR 2006 Portage Amateur Radio Club http://www.hamfair.com Talk-In: 145.390 - Contact: Joanne Solak, KJ3O/8 9971 Diagonal Road Mantua, OH 44255 Phone: 330-274-8240 Email: ljsolak@apk.net	Randolph, OH Portage County Fairgrounds State Route 44 Div: Great Lakes Sect: Ohio

WHAT'S IN THE BLACK BOX?



Assuming that the box contains only resistors, what circuit is in the box? Send your answers by email to k8rmc@arrl.net. I'm not enough of an electronic expert to know if there is more than one answer but I don't think so. I'll publish the answer and the winners in next month's newsletter.

DX CLUB

The DX Club meets at various locations on the fourth Tuesday of each month. This month (March), the meeting falls on the 25th. All hams interested in discussing ham radio and DX are invited. Check the WARC web site for meeting place.

ANYTHING TO ADD?

If you have any announcements that you want to put in a newsletter or you feel inclined to write an article, let me know. You can email me at [K8RMC@arrl.net](mailto:k8rmc@arrl.net) and I'll do my best to get it in writing. I have no schedule as yet for publishing these newsletters but I think I will aim for once a month.

Russell McQuate, K8RMC
 President