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---- SHORT SKIP ----

Okay. You're right folks. I stand corrected. Over the years there have been several movies featuring amateur radio. Here's a few: High Frequency (1988), Phenomenon (1996), Contact (1977), Frequency (2002), and Ice Station Zebra. To catch one of these flicks, I suggest you try the public library or perhaps the AMC channel on TV.

Okay. I stand corrected
(Such humble humility - ed)

73 de WB80WM

MARCH MEETING

The meeting for the month of March will be held at the Massillon Senior Center in downtown Massillon on March 7th 2008 at 8:00 PM. Doors will open at 7:00 PM.

There will be much to discuss because allot has happened in the past month. Some items to be discussed are: the club shack on the 3rd floor, a special event station with M.A.P.S, the upcoming Public Service Event The 2008 MS Walk, and I bet Scott will even mention Field Day ! MARC members will be busy this year! So come to the meeting and be informed !

FINAL DUES NOTICE

Yes it's that time again. If you haven't paid the dues for 2008 as yet then it must be paid by meeting night or else we are "forced" to drop you from the membership roles. So please while you are thinking about it, call Anne N8GAF at 330/ 832-8612 and let her know your intentions. REMEMBER: WE DO NOT WANT TO LOOSE A SINGLE MEMBER !!!

MARCH PROGRAM M.A.P.S.

"MILITARY AIRCRAFT PRESERVATION SOCIETY". This is a museum for all military aircraft including a Russian Mig, F-14 fighter, several recon aircraft, a push-pull recon aircraft, an open bi-wing, an open tri-wing, helicopters and the original glider from the F.W. Martin Airfield right here in our own N.E. Stark County. The museum is located on the West side of the Canton Akron Airport just off state route 241.

The presentation will include our own Rick's "K8RIC" restoration work of the original radio equipment from different aircraft, photos of the aircraft on display and much, much more.

The Museum is also thinking about getting a license and have a working station on site and would like our clubs insight and cooperation. A "Special Events Station" might also be requested at their site.

MARC MINUTES February 1st, 2008

The Massillon Amateur Radio Club meeting was held at the Massillon Senior Center with 38 members and guests present. MARC President Scott N3JJT opened the meeting at 8:00 P.M. The Pledge of Allegiance was given and a round of introductions was made.

Before the meeting a fantastic program on QRP operating was given by Tom Sly, WB8LCD Of Portage County Amateur Radio Service (PCARS). This program was very much appreciated.

Jim WA8GXM with Gary WC8W made a passing motion to accept the January 2008 and December 2007 Minutes as printed in the Feedback.

Anne N8GAF gave the treasurer report.

Committees

Classes – Code classes will start Friday Feb 22nd 7:00 pm each Friday for 10 weeks at the Senior Center. There will be a five dollar charge for this class to cover the cost of using the Senior Center. Technician classes will also start on Monday, March 3rd at 7:00 pm for about 8 weeks. The cost for this class will be \$5.00 plus \$19.00 for the manual that is used in the class. Please contact Perry W8AU or Gary WC8W for information.

V.E. – There will be a VE Exam session February 23rd at the E.O.C.

Old Business

Scott presented the Tesla award to Gene K8KXR since Gene was not at the awards banquet. Gene expressed his appreciation for this coveted award.

New Business

Gene made a motion and seconded by Roger to move the July 4th meeting to the following week July 11th. Motion passed.

Byron and Gene made motion to keep the Hamfest admission at \$5.00. Passed

The next safety break has been approved by ODOT for October 3rd.

There was a discussion about fund raising. Everyone is to think ways to raise money and bring their ideas to the March meeting.

MAPS Air Museum is requesting help with setting up a station and this may be our next program in March.

50/50 was won by Ralph K8HSQ for \$19.00.

Minutes by your Secretary Dan N8DZM

... March Madness ...

March is going to be a pretty busy month for Stark County ARES members and the Skywarn program as we gear up for another busy season in both areas.

Let's start with ARES. Your local ARES Coordinators are organizing a general meeting that will be held on Thursday, March 6th from 7:00 to 8:30 PM at the Stark County Emergency Operations Center. The EOC is located on Route 62 in the lower level of the Stark Co Sheriff's office. Several agenda items will be discussed but ideas are both welcomed and encouraged. Stark Co EMA Director Tim Warstler will be a guest speaker during the meeting. Time will also be available for some open discussion topics. If the idea catches on we may even try to have quarterly meetings.

Then on Wednesday, March 19th the area will again host the annual Skywarn Spotter Training Seminar at Stark State College of Technology. Registration will begin at 6:00 PM with the meeting to begin promptly at 6:30 PM. This will be similar to the training held last year but will include updates from last years severe weather season. We encourage everyone to take the training at least every two years so if you missed last years meeting please make plans to attend and brush up on your storm spotting skills.

Also mark your calendars for the morning of March 26th as our area will once again conduct the annual State-wide Tornado Test. The test will commence at 9:50 AM. A net should be up and running on the 147.12 repeater and if you can, please check in and report any warning sirens you hear.

This is all part of Ohio's Severe Weather Awareness Week which is March 23rd to the 29th. It's a good time to make sure you are fully prepared for this years severe weather season. Do you have a working Weather Radio ? How about new batteries in the flashlight ? Now is a good time to get ready. You only need to have seen the extreme weather that has hit various parts of the country to realize we all need to be ready for mother nature's fury.

Lastly on Saturday, March 29th several local ARES members will attend the Ohio Section ARES Conference in Columbus. This general meeting will cover current ARES activities from around the state as well as current ARRL news covering the ARES program.

Additional information covering most of the above topics is currently posted on the Stark County ARES website at www.wd8aye.net. You are also welcome to call me if you have any questions.

.. Amateur Skills – Part 2 ..

Since we covered the first basic skill that amateur's should be capable of performing, I have received several other ideas from a few of you. Some of the ideas that came in covered such topics as being able to do basic repairs to a radio, soldering on an antenna connector to assembling a basic HF radio.

How about we combine them all under the title of "Basic Technical Skills". After all, Amateur Radio is a technical hobby and has been from it's earliest days. Back in those early times we'll call it, if you wanted to get on the air you had to literally completely build your own equipment. No Yeasu, Kenwood or Icom's to pick from. If you want a fine example of this concept, just take a look at the picture in our own hamshack of our club's namesake, William J. North, W8NP sitting at his own station. I have always admired those folks. Even with all of the technical background I have thanks to a college education and over 20 years in this hobby, I doubt I could completely construct a transceiver armed with nothing more than a schematic diagram.

That being said, we as amateurs should at least be able to perform some basic technical repairs to own equipment like soldering components to a printed wiring board, or soldering on a PL259 antenna connector to a host of other basic skills. I'm not saying you should be able to troubleshoot an intermittent signal problem with that \$ 3,000 plus dollar state of the art transceiver. Today's radios are entirely too complicated to repair, requiring an assortment of very advanced test equipment and extensive knowledge of radio theory. But what about a quick and simple repair on it's microphone ? We should all be able to do this one.

So where should you go if you're lacking some of the basic skills ? How about our own radio club ? We are fortunate to have a membership full of highly skilled operators that would be happy to give you a hand with a problem. The club also has a pretty good library chock full of reference books and magazines that cover assembly and repair of a wide range of equipment.

I think I even heard at a recent club meeting the possibility of having a small kit building project as a club program. This is a great idea. I'm sure there are many members that could benefit from a simple project. We also try to have a few club programs each year dedicated to some technical topic, another good way to increase your technical know-how.

Speaking of soldering, I know I devoted a column to this topic a few years ago but darned if I can remember when it was. If I get a few minutes I'll scan some of the old issues and see if I can find it. When I do I'll post it on the club website. In the mean time pick up almost any copy of the ARRL Handbook or their Operating Guide and you will find a section on proper soldering techniques.

So Basic Technical Ability certainly counts as another of the basic skills every amateur should know. Next month we'll review another basic skills, keep those ideas coming !

**Till then,
de Terry – N8ATZ**

AMATEUR RADIO (NEW & OLD) MANUFACTURERS WORD PUZZLE

Below is a list of words of Amateur Radio Manufacturers.

The words are located in the word puzzle vertically, horizontally, diagonally, forward, or reversed. Letters are sometimes used more than once.

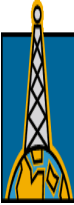





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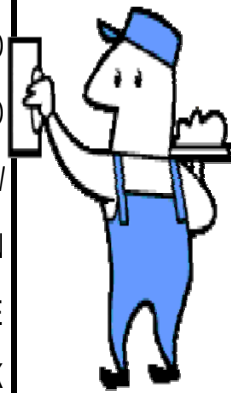
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ASTRON	GRUNDIG	LARSEN	TENEC
B&W	HALLICRAFTERS	MFJ	TIMEWAVE
BELDEN	HAMMARLUND	MIDLAND	TRIPPLITE
BENCHER	HARVEY	MILLEN	UNADILLA
BIRD	HEATHKIT	MILLER	UNIDEN
BOMAR	HEIL	MIRAGE	UNIVERSALTOWERS
BUCKMASTER	HENRY	MOSLEY	USTOWER
BUTTERNUT	HIGHSIERRA	MOTOROLA	VANGORDEN
CDE	HUSTLER	NATIONAL	VECTRONICS
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COMET	ICOM	OHMITE	VIBROPLEX
COMMSPEC	INTERNATIONAL	PALOMARENGINEERS	W2AU
CUSHCRAFT	ISOTRON	PETERSEN	WELLER
DAIWA	JAN	POLYPHASER	WILSON
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Try to find the second RCA and 7 more GE

73, de Mike WA8MKH, Carol KB8IMH, Stephen KC8IDJ



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73 de Mike WA8MKH, Carol KB8IMH, Stephen KC8IDJ

Know Your FCC Rulemaking Process

By Dan Romanchik, KB6NU

Around Christmastime, a furor arose over a petition to change the rules regarding the use of digital modes. The petition number is RM-11392. You can find it on the FCC website by going to http://gullfoss2.fcc.gov/prod/ecfs/comsrch_v2.cgi and entering the petition number in the "Proceeding" text box. The petition will be the highest numbered document returned.

While the petition is interesting in and of itself, what's more interesting is how some hams got all excited about this petition. Many thought that rules changes were imminent, and they urged everyone to rush right over to the FCC website and comment. While it's a good thing for hams to be vigilant about proposed rule changes, this petition was nowhere near being turned into a rule.

On the Web page, "FCC Rulemaking Process" (<http://www.fcc.gov/rules.html>), the FCC describes the four steps that occur before a petition is translated into rules changes:

1. Notice of Inquiry (NOI). During this phase, they gather comments on the petition.
2. Notice of Proposed Rulemaking (NPRM). If they determine that a petition has merit, they move to this stage. These are the rules changes that the FCC itself proposes to make, based on the petition and the comments received.
3. Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking (FNPRM). Changes may be made to the NPRM after receiving comments on the NPRM.
4. Report & Order (R&O). The R&O is the document containing the rules changes or an explanation of why no rules changes are being made at this time.

At the time when everyone was getting excited about this, there was no NPRM in the list of documents relating to RM-11392. The petition was filed on 3/27/07, released for comments on 8/28/07, and the first comment wasn't entered until 11/20/07. Only two other comments were entered until all the recent publicity. This particular petition is still a long way from becoming a Part 97 rule, and if I had to guess, I'd say that it will never even get to the NPRM stage.

Don't get me wrong. I am not saying that it isn't important to read and comment on petitions. But before you get your knickers in a twist over a particular petition or proposal, you need to know where it is in the process. This process can be excruciatingly slow sometimes, but slow is not always a bad thing. By not rushing petitions through the rulemaking process, the FCC ensures that it gets comments from all concerned and that all those who are interested in an issue can take their time to draft a really cogent comment.

When he's not scanning the FCC website or eHam.net for the latest ham radio controversy, KB6NU works CW and PSK on the HF bands and blogs about ham radio at www.kb6nu.com. You can reach him by e-mail at cwgeek@kb6nu.com.

MARC PUBLIC SERVICE ACTIVITIES

MS Walk

Date: Wednesday, February 06, 2008 2:25 PM

The MS Walk committee had a meeting Feb 5 to plan the walk for 2008, which will be held on Sat April 26, 2008

So far it will be along the bike trail from the Massillon Rec Center. Final plans for the trail and bussing to be determined in March. We can use 8-10 Hams again. I would like to put a sign up sheet out at the March MARC meeting to solicit volunteers.

I WILL BE IN INDIANAPOLIS FOR A POLICE CONFERENCE AND WILL MISS THE WALK. I would like someone to help put signs up Sat morning and help coordinate manpower at the rest stops since I can't this year.

Could you put this information in the newsletter to get someone to help Sat morning. I can give them a list of who, where, what, etc.... if we can get a volunteer. If they go to the next MS meeting with me they can meet with Dick Kulick for info.

We can probably make an request on the next net to get people to sign up at the next meeting.

**Jack
N8LCS**

HUMOR

Ten Ways to Tell You're a Redneck Ham
By w0jrm | January 25, 2008

1. One leg of your dipole is tied to the outhouse.
2. Needle nose pliers are needed to turn your transceiver on and off.
3. You paid more for your mobile antenna than you did for your wife's wedding ring.
4. You paused for ID every ten minutes while on your honeymoon.
5. Your spouse says, "Honey, do you love me?" And your response is RODGER RODGER RODGER!
6. Your trailer home is part of your antenna.
7. Your mobile radio costs more than the vehicle it's mounted in.
8. Your power supply consists of jumper cables hanging out the window of your shack attached to the battery of your truck.
9. Your HF rig is the latest ICOM or KENWOOD and your Desk Mic came from Radio Shack.
10. Your idea of RF is REAL FINE audio.
11. Your homebrew amplifier resembles a moonshine whiskey still in Alabama.
12. Your TV antenna and 10 Meter Beam are one in the same.
13. You own a linear amplifier but not a lawn mower.

The Prez Sez

Date: Thursday, February 21, 2008 9:22 PM

Hello one and all...I hope for all of those folks who came to the Feb meeting, that they enjoyed themselves!! It was a great turnout! I would like to thank Rodger for getting the PCARS group to come down and putting on such a fine presentation! With that in mind...I think Rodger has a full line up coming to the club...At the March meeting the MAPS Museum will be the program...and also they have requested that we hold a special event station at MAPS in August. A discussion will be in order for the meeting! I have been getting some feedback lately on the need for more club activities!! Well, I am proposing that YOU the club members bring up some club activities! The major question is this: What do I get for 10 dollars a year?? We are, by far, one of the lowest dues paying clubs around.....some clubs are charging 20 dollars or more for dues....So, lets get active!!! I am proposing a monthly FOX HUNT..and yes I have talked to Dan, and yes I will be heading up the FOX HUNTING...so get your sniffing antennas ready..and lets have some fun...Our VP, Rodger, has some plans to build the Tape Measure Fox Hunting Antenna...and he would like to hold a group class on building this antenna. So. all interested parties, come to the next meeting, where we will discuss the purchasing of the supplies for this club project!! So with that..not much else this month from this ole' desk of mine...

Hope to see ya at the next meeting....and oh yeah...bring some ideas to liven up this club!!

de Scott..N3JJT



DX INFORMATION by WC8W

The best news that I can deliver is the announcement that the 11 year solar cycle has finally hit bottom ! We are officially on our way back up! I don't know much of the technical jargon but the "experts" say that the solar cycle hit bottom this past December.

With that in mind, many of you will begin to look for DX in the "strangest" places namely being the nearly "extinct" 10 and 15 meter bands. As of late the VP6DX - Ducie Island DXpedition has been on both bands with seemingly good propagation (although the numbers have been consistently low) into the US. He has been very workable on the 15 meter bands around 21.002 (CW) and 21.295 MHz (phone). Also look for him on the other usual DX frequencies.

Now for the bad news. It seems our government has quietly but meticulously eliminated the IRC or to the non-DXer the International Reply Coupon. The IRC is used in place of the dollar for return postage. Some countries do not accept the green stamp as just possessing one is illegal; therefore they demanded IRC's. This action by the US Post Office is obviously a budget cut, thus leaving the DXer (the largest user of IRC's) at a severe disadvantage. So what's a fellow to do? Well fear not; I do have a solution.

The answer is that you can buy postage stamps for most countries which you can put on your return SASE. The stamps make it much easier for the DX station to respond to your QSL. Stamps are available from many sources but I'll only list two here. William J Plum in Flemington NJ. who has stamps from well over 200 different countries and you can contact him by phone: 908/788-1020 or by e-mail plumdx@amsn.com. Or James E. Mackey (I personally use him) in W. Hartford CT. He can be reached at 806/521-7254 or check his web site; <http://www.net1plus.com/users/ryoung/index.htm>.

The stamps consistently cost less than the IRC, which at last availability IRC's were \$ 2.00 each. James places each different countries stamp in it's own little envelope and marks instructions on each (if needed). Of course you can still use the ARRL DX Bureau for the "bulk" mailings. Be sure to look at the latest listing of countries served by the bureau ; on the back pages of the ARRL DXCC Countries list available from the ARRL (and most larger hamfests), the cost is \$ 5.95. The larger DXpeditions still require a direct QSL. Such is the case of the Ducie DXpedition. They are requesting a \$ 3.00 donation for QSL cards (to cover the cost of postage and printing; etc..) . However this in my estimation is well worth the hefty price. They have worked DXers all over the place on many bands & modes with seemingly "super" ears! VP6DX is scheduled to end on February 27th and I bet the numbers worked will be outstanding! As of Feb 17th they had over 86,000 QSO's in the log!!!

Good hunting ! de WC8W

Pioneer Amateur Radio Fellowship, INC.

Dayton Hamvention 2008

Saturday May 17, 2008 5:30 AM

Are the gas pumps keeping you from the Hamvention? Is the thought of driving down to Dayton and then parking your car in some shopping center to be then bused to the hamvention keeping from going? Why not take our bus to the Dayton Hamvention where you can come and go to the flea market with your great purchases and leave them on the bus. The bus will be parked close to the flea market entrance.

You can save \$10 if you book before April 22nd

The cost of the Bus & Entrance ticket to the Hamvention:

\$60 before April 22, 2008

The cost of the Bus Only to the Hamvention:

\$45 after April 22, 2008

(You will need to get your own Hamvention Entrance Ticket at gate \$25)

We will take riders right up to departure that morning if there are seats available.

Departure time is 5:30 AM Sharp so please be on time so you don't miss the bus!

Parking will be on the south side of the church park in the first row close to Manchester Road.

There will be a stop for breakfast at McDonald's and a dinner stop at the Hometown Buffet all of which will be on own.

Transportation is being provided by the Crossroads Transportation Company.

This bus is a smoke free bus so there will be no smoking permitted.

To Order: Joy Spencer KA8TDF

2101 Bigelow St

Akron, OH 44314

Or call 330-745-5115

E-mail: w8ctt@arrl.net

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