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Regular monthly meetings are held **first Tuesday of each month** at 7:30PM local time at St Bernard Recreation Hall, 120 Washington Avenue (corner Washington & Tower Aves) in St Bernard, just east of Vine St. Please come in the doors at street level, facing the high school. Visitors are ALWAYS welcome!

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Words for October

It's hard to believe summer has come & gone, & we are into fall. September was a busy month for us. I want to personally thank everyone who helped me with the Cystic Fibrosis bike ride. While we were a couple communicators short, everyone who was there pitched in & did a great job of assuring everyone's safety. The ride sponsors were greatly appreciative of our efforts.

Also, our first Hamfest in nearly 10 years is in the books. The committee that helped put it together did an outstanding job. We had a nice showing from both commercial vendors as well as flea market folks. Although I do not have the final tally as of this writing, it looks like we had around 250 people in attendance. Also, a big thanks to the ARRL, especially the Great Lakes staff, for their support & sanctioning of the event. We are already beginning to look to next year.

We approach the season for Officer Elections for 2015. Please consider helping out, if you do not already do so. I've said it before, we get from our hobby what we put into it. Please consider helping out when the nominating committee calls!

On a final note, I previously reported, via the reflector, the passing of Don Eikhoff WD8IDJ. Although Don had only been in our area for a few years, his impact on our club was great. He was a fixture at meetings & club events. He will be missed greatly. 73, Don.

Until next month, get those antennas & feedlines buttoned up for winter & I hope to hear you on the air.

73, Gazy KB8MYC

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Next meeting

OH-KY-IN meets at the St. Bernard Municipal Building (Recr Hall) at 120 Washington Ave. in St. Bernard (corner of Washington & Tower), on the first Tuesday of each month at 7:30 PM. Please enter through the doors that face the high school on Washington. For directions, please click [HERE](#) (in PDF copies only please). Oct 7 program: ARRL Night by OH Section Mgr **Scott Yonally N8SY**, who came down for our Hamfest as well.

73 Jetty W1SCR

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OH-KY-IN Amateur Radio Society Inc: **Minutes of September 2, 2014, Club Meeting**

The Club Meeting was held in St. Bernard and began at 7:35 PM, with the Pledge of Allegiance. 38 members & one visitor gave self-introductions. One member arrived late, for a total attendance of 40.

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There were a variety of highlights of the last month.

The President announced that Bryan Hoffman was to have given the program this evening, but had to be in Atlanta instead. Therefore the business part of the meeting would be held first, & then a video on Standing Wave Ratios would be shown & that attendees could leave at the end of the business meeting or at any later time, as the video was rather long.

The Minutes of the August meeting were corrected to include: "A check for \$1058.03 had been received from the Red, White & Blue Ash people, in addition to the \$306 tips received. Thus a total of \$1364.03 was received by the club from this year's Red, White & Blue Ash event."

There are 127 members currently. At the end of 2010 there were 78 members.

The Treasurer's Report was distributed. It was moved & seconded to approve the Report as distributed. The motion passed.

The President reported that a second APRS digipeater was put into service. It is intended to serve the downtown area plus the I 75 corridor. The APRS digipeater in Edgewood is a Wide Area digipeater.

Fall Classes were announced (as sent by email earlier): The Extra Class study will begin Monday September 22 & go for 9 weeks. Technician & General Class study will begin in October.

The August Fox Hunt was attended by a ham from Xenia. The September Fox Hunt will be Saturday September 20 beginning at 10 AM in Mt. Storm Park, Cincinnati.

The next QCEN meeting is Friday September 19 at 7:30 PM.

Old Business: On September 13 there is a bike ride; 3 or 4 additional communicators are needed. There are 4 routes. The Hamfest is September 21. Much help is needed. Set-up is on Saturday September 20 from 3 PM to 6 PM & beginning at 6:30 AM on Sunday. The Fest starts at 8 AM. There is a testing session at 8:30 AM & Tom Delaney will have an ARRL Forum at 10 AM. Support HR 4969 which would extend PRB 1 to CCCR (Condominiums).

New Business: A Nominating Committee is needed. It needs to report to the November Meeting with the election in December. Nominations from the floor can be made at the November meeting. Up for election: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Treasurer, & one Director. An Awards Committee is needed: Kitty W8TDA & Susie N8CGM had already volunteered at an earlier meeting..

Brunch Bunch will be at Werkhaus Pizzeria this month. Split the Pot was won by Ted NC8V (\$42).

The Video on Standing Wave Ratios began at 8:10 PM.

Respectfully submitted, *Fred Schneider K9O9IE*, Secretary

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OH-KY-IN Amateur Radio Society Inc: **Minutes of September 2, 2014 Board Meeting**

The Board of Directors met in the St. Bernard City Hall on Tuesday September 2, 2014, beginning at about 6 PM.

The Minutes of the July Board meeting were approved as submitted by a motion, second & unanimous vote.

It was reported that membership had reached 127 for the year! The membership list that was emailed to Board members will be checked to be certain that all members with email accounts are on the club reflector.

The Preliminary Treasurer's Report was approved by voice vote.
A new APRS digipeater is now up & running. Its main purpose is to serve the downtown & riverfront areas & the I-75 corridor. The other digipeater is the WIDE digipeater, with wide coverage.
Plans for moving the 146.925 repeater are on hold because of a pending sale of the tower. Everything is very uncertain right now.
WB8ZCC is building a repeater controller that is nearing completion. The Treasurer was authorized to pay the balance due & to purchase a Real Time Clock if there is not one, payment to come from the Repeater Fund.
ARRL Night will be the program for October.
A Hamfest Committee meeting is scheduled for September 4.
Old Business: More communicators are needed for the bike race in 2 weeks.
New Business: An Awards Committee needs to be convened. A Nominating Committee needs to be convened, to report nominees in November; the election will be in December. The meeting adjourned at about 6:45 PM.

Respectfully submitted, *Fred Schneider K9DHE*, Secretary *July Bd Min on page 8*

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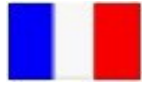





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Even dozen Brunch Bunchers were able to go to Werkhaus Pizza on Saturday, Sep 13.
The next Brunch Bunch will be held Saturday, October 11 at 1PM. The location will be Price Hill Chili in, well, Price Hill. Price Hill Chili is located at 4920 Glenway Avenue, 45238. This is near the intersection of Cleves Warsaw & Glenway Avenues. We've always had a good turnout here & this time we'll be in the Garden Room, a private room where we can all sit together & be in a room all by ourselves. Our reservation is under "Radio Club". *ctd pg8*

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DX Spots – October 2014 de Nathan KA3MTT

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat			
Weekly bulletins made possible with info provided by <i>OPDX Bulletin</i> , <i>425 DX News</i> , <i>The Daily DX</i> , <i>DXNL</i> , "Contest Corral" from QST & ARRL Contest Calendar & WA7BNM web sites. Thanks to all. Plus rotating W1AW ARRL Centennial stations			1 VP5 - Turks & Caicos thru 10-9 	2 T30D – West Kiribati thru 10-15 	3 3D2YA – Fiji thru 10-9 - - - TX5Z – Austral Isl thru 10-13 - - - A35RT – Tonga thru 10-13	4 C6AAS – Bahamas thru 10-8 - - - S79KB – Seychelles thru 10-18			
TRISTAN da CUNHA & GOUGH ISL, ZD9. Paul ZS1S QRV as ZD9ZS from Tristan da Cunha IOTA AF-029 to Oc 3. QSL to home call.			BHUTAN A5 Pekkas OH2 YY & OH1TV as A520 fr Paro to Oc2. CW&SSB, HF. QSL OH2 YY						
5 KUWAIT 9K UNnamed Amir Shiekh Sabah Al-Ahmad Al-Jaber Al-Sabah Global Humanitarian Leader,	6 TK- Corsica thru 10-20 	7	8 4W – Timor Leste thru 10-11 - - - KH0 – Mariana Isl thru 10-21	9 FR – Reunion thru 10-24 	10 RWANDA 9X. Gordon K7 TRB QRV as 9X0VA til Oc 11. QSL to home call. CAPE VERDE D4 Francis co EA7FTR is D44KS to Oc 10 SSB RTTY. QSL EB7DX				
12 spl evt stn 9K9GHL to Oct 6. QSL via 9K2QA	13 3B9 – Rodrigues thru 10-17 - - - VK9DLX – Lord Howe Is thru 10-29	14 Following operations now approved for DXCC credit: Timor-Leste 4W/HB9FLX, 4W/N1YC, 4W/PE7T; Bhutan A52JR. If you had cards for these ops rejected in recent application, please email ARRL DXCC Desk at dxccadmin@arrl.org to be placed on list for update. Effective <i>ARLD035 DX news</i> 8.28.14			17	18 J79L – Dominica thru 10-26 - - - TX7G – Marquesas thru 10-26			
19	20 5R8M- Madagascar thru 11-4 	21 KH8B - American Samoa thru 10-27 	22 XX9 - Macao thru 11-1 	23	24	25 UKRAINE UR Club stn UR4LWY QRV to end yr for 50 th anniv. CW, SSB, RTTY, PSK on HF. QSL via UR4LWY CHRISTMAS ISLS VK9X Rob N7QT & Melanie AB1UH as VK9AN to Oc 2 on CW, SSB, var digital on 80-10m. QSL N7QT			
ARUBA P4 Al W6HGF is P4/W6HGF to Oct 1. QSL W6HGF CHINA BY Zhang BA3AX Wang BA3CE Lu BD3AEO as calls /2 from Juhua Isl IOTA AS-151 Oct 2-5 on 20-10m. QSL via BA3AX NAURU C2 Stan LZ1GC as C21GC to Oct 14, CW SSB RTTY on HF. QSL to home call GABON TR. Alain F6CTL is TR8CA. Stay length unknown. QSL via F6CBC			26	27	28	29	30 GJ8DX – Jersey thru 11-4 - - - V5 – Namibia thru 11-11	31 FT4TA - Tromelin thru 11-10 	<i>The Q-Fivez, October 2014 page 6</i>

5 more **DX Spots**

SABA, ST. EUSTATIUS PJ5 (IOTA NA-145). David OK6DJ, Petr OK1FCJ & Pavel OK1FPS QRV as PJ5/home calls til Oc3. 160-10 meters using CW, SSB, RTTY, other digital modes; up to 3 stations active. QSL via operator instructions.

ST. MAARTEN PJ7. Ed WA1ZAM QRV as PJ7PL from Royal Palm Beach Resort in Cole Bay IOTA NA-105 til Oc15. Holiday style on HF bands on CW, SSB & RTTY. QSL direct to home call.

S COOK IS E5 Mathias DJ2HD & Gerd DJ5IW are E51HDJ & E51XIW from Rarotonga IOTA OC-013 to Oct 6. CW SSB & RTTY on HF holiday style. QSL to home calls.

INDONESIA YB in Dxnews39, Gab HA3JB is YB9/HA3JB with Intl Police Assn Exped to Oct 7, on CW SSB & RTTY on HF. QSL HA3JB.

VANUATU YJ Quake Contesters as YJ0X Oct 3-15. CWSSB & RTTY on HF & 6m. QSL via ZL3PAH

Plus of course the migrating W1AW Centennial stations.

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Contests

October 2014

- 1 CWops Weekly Mini-CWT Test
- 3-4 NS Weekly Sprints, CW; DX/NA YLRL Anniversary Party, all modes; TARA PSK Rumble, PSK; Oceania DX Contest, SSB; CA QSO Party, SSB & CW; NJ QSO Party; RSGB 21/28 MHz Contest, SSB & CW; Russian WW Digital Contest, Digital modes; Worked All Britain contest, SSB
- 6 EU Autumn Sprint, SSB; OK1WC Memorial Contest, SSB & CW
- 7 ARS Spartan Sprint
- 8 435 MHz Fall Sprint
- 9 10-10 Sprint, all mode
- 12-13 Great Pumpkin Sprint, digital; Oceania DX Contest, CW; ARRL EME contest; Makrothen RTTY contest; PA QSO Party, all modes; AZ QSO Party, all modes; FISTS SKCC QSO Party, CW; NA RTTY Sprint; SKCC Weekend Sprintathon, CW; Scandinavian Activity Contest, SSB; QRP ARCI Fall QSO Party, CW
- 13 EU Autumn Sprint, CW
- 15 NAQCC Monthly QRP Sprint
- 19-20 902+ MHz Fall VHF Sprint; JARTS WW RTTY Contest; Worked All Germany Contest, SSB & CW; Feld-Hell Spooky Sprint, Digital modes; IL QSO Party, SSB & CW; IA QSO Party, SSB & CW; NY QSO Party, SSB & CW; SD QSO Party, SSB & CW; W/VE Islands QSO Party; Telephone Pioneer QSO Party; 10-10 Fall QSO Party; Asia-Pacific Sprint, CW; Stew Perry Warmup Contest
- 20 School Club Roundup, all modes; Run for the Bacon, CW
- 22 SKCC Straight Key Sprint, CW
- 25-26 CQ WW SSB Contest
- 31 Haunted Lighthouse QSO Party

Plenty of contests as the weather cools down & the propagation heats up. Let's hope for DX treats & no tricks – right, Slim? For more information see QST, CQ, or

<http://www.arrl.org/contests/>

73, Dan KJ4AV

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more **Brunch Bunch** For a look at the menu as well as a map showing the location, go to: www.pricehillchili.com .

Please remember that the Brunch Bunch always meets the second Saturday of every month at 1PM at a location to be announced each month. If you can't join us this month, maybe you'll be available to join us in the months ahead.

Looking a bit ahead to the Brunch Bunch in February 2015, we'll meet at Chili Time located on Vine Street in St. Bernard. Chili Time is just across Vine Street from the OH-KY-IN club meeting location. This is where the Brunch Bunch first started 4 years prior! Hard to believe that we've been doing this every month for that long. Please plan to join us there.

I'm always looking for suggestions on what restaurant you think might be a good place for the Brunch Bunch to visit soon.

73, *Btuce N8BV*

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OH-KY-IN Amateur Radio Society, Inc.: **Minutes of July 2014 Board Meeting**

The Board of Directors met on July 22, 2014, in the St. Bernard City Hall.

The Minutes of the June meeting were approved. Membership as of the meeting time was 119.

The final June Treasurer's Report & a preliminary July Treasurer's Report were considered. Additions to the July Report will include split the pot money from the July members meeting & \$10 income for the Hamfest. 1 membership fee now in PayPal will be transferred to the checking account. It was moved & seconded to approve these Reports. The motion carried. Technical Committee – There was a report & discussion about the possible move of the 146.925 repeater. It was moved & seconded that the Technical Committee be instructed to provide a method of turning repeaters off & on to comply with FCC Rules. Examples of the need were briefly noted. The motion carried.

Hamfest – A brief report was presented. Plans are going well.

The program for the August meeting is WinLink.

Old Business: The Museum Center 1940s program is August 9 & 10. There is a bike race on September 13; many communicators are needed. The other bike race is no longer being considered – lack of communication from the other end.

New Business – There was some discussion of Memoranda of Understanding regarding public service & emergency communications.

The meeting adjourned at 8:25 PM.

Respectfully submitted, *Fred Schneider K9OHE*, Secretary



AFFILIATED CLUBS COORDINATOR REPORT

By: John Myers KD8MQ – ACC kd8mq@arrl.net
Hi everyone, fall's here, & with it comes things like raking leaves, & getting the antenna farm ready for winter. I'm looking forward to putting up the Inverted L, so I can get back on 160 this winter.

My Travels.. I'd like to thank the good folks at Western Reserve ARC in Canfield. They volunteered to be my "guinea pigs" for my first speaking gig as ACC. They have

an active & growing group, who are doing a lot promote Amateur Radio in Mahoning Co. *page 8*

Let's talk licensing classes..So how was your summer? I trust that a lot of you got out and were actively working with other Hams on club activities.

I've visited Field Day sites, read about your public service & special event operations, & tons of other things that continue to make me proud of the Clubs we have here in the Ohio section.

Hopefully, all this gets us noticed in a positive way by the people we serve, as well as the general public. But, once we get them interested, then what? Hopefully, you your club capitalizes on this by running regular licensing classes.

September is a logical month to begin classes. The kids are back in school, & the days are getting shorter. Hopefully, you've been recruiting class members this summer, so you should have a ready pool of students. Don't forget to list your license class on the ARRL website. This will help prospective students to find you. You can list your class by going to <http://arrl.org/list-a-license-class> Here in Alliance, we have 1 instructor who teaches each & every class. As much as we appreciate it, the instructor can get burned out after a while. I prefer the way other clubs do it. They have a different instructor each night, who will each teach a specific subject. This seems much more efficient, & less trying on the instructors.

I was talking to my neighbor this afternoon. He & his wife are involved with a local historic site, but have problems getting volunteers to replace those who are aging out, & of course passing away. If things don't change soon the consequences could be dire for this group. Sound familiar? Let's face it, none of us are getting any younger. We need fresh blood if this hobby is to survive. To modify a contesting axiom, "If your group is not recruiting, you're losing". I'd like to hear from you. How do you handle your licensing classes? What works? More importantly, what doesn't? I'll include your responses in an upcoming column.

Notes From All Over..

We'll start off this month with Delaware ARA's *DELARA News*. It looks like they move right along with their repeater project. Their 145.17 & 145.19 repeaters were moved to new locations. They continue to be active in the field of broadband-ham MESH.

The folks at Toledo Mobile Radio Association TMRA have a 2 Meter Sprint coming up on the 27th. Lucas Co ARES will also test their Hospital radios at the same time. They hosted a "Elmer Class" last month. This is just awesome! The subjects they covered included how to build a Dipole antenna. Later in the day, learned about Powerpole connectors, & wrapped up at noon when they got a demonstration of Contesting, via the Ohio QSO Party.

Moving on, Massillon ARC recently held their annual Show & Tell night. They also posted plans for a copper J-Pole in their September newsletter.

The speaker at the recent meeting of Northern Ohio ARS (NOARS) was Chet K8KIZ who was scheduled to speak on Sunbursts & Solar Flares.

As you are reading this, the OH-KY-IN Hamfest will have just wrapped up. After another successful running of the Ohio State Parks Contest, Portage County ARS (PCARS) is working on a High Altitude Balloon project, which at this writing is scheduled for a weekend in October. They hold weekly licensing classes at their often-used club site.

Western Reserve ARC starts up their Tech Classes once more. They are one of the only clubs I've seen which participate in the state's Adopt-A-Highway program.

Cambridge ARA recently taught a "Tech Cram" course. Students were encouraged to purchase materials & study ahead of time. They hold their annual picnic this month, as well as staffing a booth at the Guernsey Co Fair. Add to that, they are



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another group in the Adopt-A-Highway program.

Scioto Valley ARC recently had an exhibit at the Ross Co Fair. According to the *Monday Morning Memo*, it was well received, & all involved had a great time.

Last, but not least, my home club Alliance ARC just held their annual rain attraction ceremony, also known as club picnic. We also have a club DX contest beginning in October. Upgrades are planned for both of the club repeaters.

That's about it for this month. Remember to keep those newsletters & emails coming.

Till next time, 73 DE *John KD8MQ*

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FROM THE SECTION EMERGENCY COORDINATOR By Stan Broadway N8BHL

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Doing it in October – the 2014 SET. OK, here's the story- the Ohio Section is going to do a SET Oct 4! There are so many possibilities, but I want to stick to some simple goals:

1. Learn to operate in your county using the Ohio Section Emergency Response Plan (OSERP).
2. Activate your members & use this as an opportunity to test communications in your county (voice, digital, MESH, other) as well as your ability to send & receive traffic from the Ohio traffic system.
3. This is an opt-in or opt-out deal. If your county does its own SET or has a large exercise on tap, go for it! If you do not, I'd hope this is a great opportunity to test your plans! It shouldn't last long, & focuses solely on our ability to set up communications in our county.
4. The exercise should be launched, controlled & ended by one point (State EOC/ W8SGT) for consistency & timing purposes.
5. The exercise must as a result be a situation that would theoretically affect each county.

Scenario: Total failure of the Ohio MARCS system. As you should know, many public safety agencies depend on this digital trunked 800 system. While a complete statewide failure is unlikely, a regional outage is more likely, particularly in light of a flood or tornado event that would destroy towers & land line connectivity. For our equal opportunity SET, we'll theoretically take down the state.

SEC will alert all District ECs by phone & kick off the exercise. Subsequent messages will be sent via phone, HF nets & VHF if reachable from the state EOC. Each participating county will set up a control station at their EOC. Then, as the situation grows, we'll set up a "County Control Station", & other control stations as needed. That's the over-simplified story!

Steps you can take now- most important, READ the *OSERP*! Train at your county on how it's structured. It is NOT hard & fast, but is a guideline to set up a consistent statewide operation. Contact your EMA, & see if it's possible for you to have access to the EOC ham station on Oct 4. It shouldn't last past mid-afternoon at the latest. Likewise, you might want to use this opportunity to set up stations at your other critical locations (without interrupting their daily workload.) It can be a good demonstration of capabilities of amateur radio in a large-scale event. We hope it'll be a good test for you!

The Ohio Section has always been near the very top of the list when it comes to evaluation & point totals! Let's keep it that way and learn a little in the process!

73, *Stan N8BHL* 8<snip...

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SW OHIO HAPPENINGS From: Kitty Hevener W8TDA - Asst Sec Mgr (SW) w8tda@arrl.net
Back to school. The start of football season, closed outdoor swimming pools & shorter days are definite signs that it's again time for students, teachers, & hams to hit the books. Cincinnati area

ham Paul Jordan KD8JDF got a head start. He recently returned from an intense week long radio camp, put on by Courage Handihams, where he immersed himself in Extra class theory. Paul says he believes he is more prepared than ever before to pass the exam. He said that a message from FEMA Administrator Craig Fugate KK4INZ was a high point of the week.

Fugate said in part, "I encourage you to join local organizations such as your local amateur radio emergency service team & Skywarn. In a disaster, we need amateur radio operators of all abilities who can support their communities in their time of need. As an amateur radio operator, you can play a key role in your community's response & recovery from disaster. But we can only do that if we are prepared & trained." Southwest Ohio hams who have disabilities have told me that they are often excluded from participation in the very activities that provide the training & preparation that Fugate talked about. Often, small changes are all that are necessary to make your activities more inclusive. These changes typically benefit everyone, not just people with disabilities. If you would like to explore things your club &/or ARES organization can do to be more inclusive, get in touch with me or invite me to talk about this at one of your meetings.

(Note: Handihams is an ARRL Affiliated Club. They have a long standing relationship with ARRL & work closely together on disability issues.)

Members of Cincinnati FM club are hitting the books to learn how to program their digital radios to work on their newly installed DMR repeater. This repeater replaces the analog one on 443.4 MHz. The Greene Co Amateur Radio License Courses, jointly sponsored by the 3 Greene Co amateur radio clubs (Bellbrook, Fairborn and Xenia) & Greene Co ARES, began Sunday Sept 7. They run concurrently on Sunday evenings from 7:00 to 9:00 PM & continue through Nov 2. An exam session is scheduled for Sunday Nov 9 at 6:00 PM. To register for one of the courses or for more info, please contact Bill Watson K8WEW by email at wwatson4@att.net or by phone (between 10:00 AM and 9:00 PM) at 937=426-2166.

OH-KY-IN also holds licensing classes. The 9 week Extra class began Monday, Sept 22 & runs through Nov17. The 5 week Tech & General Classes begin Monday Oct 20 & run through Nov 17. All sessions begin at 7:00 PM & end at 9:00. Exam opportunities follow all 3 classes on Saturday Nov 22 at 9 AM. (walk-ins always welcome). For more information, email classes@ohkyin.org

Public service..Hams have provided communications for numerous public service events. These include: the market to market 76 mile team relay that started in Milford & ended in Dayton; Cystic Fibrosis bike event which began & ended in Middletown with courses running through Butler & Preble Cos; Abi Khan 2 day Horse Challenge; & the Multiple Sclerosis 2 day bike ride.

Silent key.. It is with great sadness that I report the passing of long time friend & fellow Queen City Emergency Net (QCEN) member Stuart Press KC8HQT. Perhaps the thing I admire and appreciate most was his concern for the well being of others. Stu was a dedicated Red Cross volunteer. During his 15 years of service with this organization, he served on over 14 Disaster Relief operations & taught various disaster classes. Thousands of people locally & across the country benefited from his generosity. Stu will definitely be missed. I hope you will join me in keeping his family in your thoughts & prayers. 73, *Kitty W8CDA*

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FROM EDUCATIONAL OUTREACH - SCOUTING ASM By: Scott Hixon KC8ITN - ASM - Educational Outreach- Scouting kc8itn@arrl.net

The **57th annual Jamboree-On-the-Air (JOTA)** is right around the corner! If you seek a way to have fun with ham radio & at the same time get young people involved in our hobby, JOTA is the ticket! This year's event is being held Oct 17-19, 2014. The times are Saturday at 00:00 local time (right at midnight Friday) to Sunday 24:00 (Midnight Sunday evening). *The Q-Fivez, pg 11*

So you've got the whole weekend to make JOTA contacts!!

When Scouts want to meet young people from another country, they usually think of attending a World Jamboree. But few people realize that each year more than half a million Scouts & Guides "get together" over the airwaves for the annual Jamboree-on-the-Air (JOTA). The World Scout Bureau reported that the 2010 JOTA had just over 700,000 Scout participants from nearly 6,000 amateur radio stations! Modern technology offers Scouts the exciting opportunity to make friends in other countries without leaving home. JOTA is an annual event in which Boy & Girl Scouts & Guides all over the world speak to each other by means of Amateur (ham) Radio. Scouting experiences are exchanged & ideas are shared via radio waves. Since 1958 when the first Jamboree-on-the-Air was held, millions of Scouts have met each other through this event. Many contacts made during JOTA have resulted in pen pals & links between Scout troops that have lasted many years. With no restrictions on age or on the number of participants, & at little or no expense, JOTA allows Scouts to contact each other by ham radio. The radio stations are operated by licensed amateur radio operators. Many Scouts & leaders hold licenses & have their own stations, but the majority participate in JOTA through stations operated by local radio clubs & individual radio amateurs. Some operators use television or computer-linked communications.

This is where you come in! If you are interested in participating, simply find a local Boy or Girl Scout troop in your area. Some hams will invite the group over to their "shack" or set up in a public place like an EOC, park, campout, etc.. This is a very fun event & great way to promote our hobby to the next generation of future hams! There will be many stations operating, including the following: K2BSA stations assigned to various areas, such as K2BSA/0, K2BSA/1, etc.; HB95, the World Scout Bureau headquarters in Switzerland; & GB2GP at Gilwell Park, England, to name a few.

For more info on times/frequencies/ideas, go to the ARRL website & search "JOTA". There you'll find a wealth of information about JOTA & the ARRL's involvement with scouting.

You can also go to Twitter & follow "Ohradioscouting" where I will put updates on radio scouting events in the Ohio Section. If you're planning a radio event where scouting is involved, please send me the info so I can put it on Twitter to "get the word out".

Take care, stay safe & make a difference in someone's life! 73, *Scott KC8JFN*

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LET'S TALK From: Scott Yonally N8SY - Section Manager n8sy@arrl.org

Hi Everyone, Wow.. It looks like fall is fast approaching. I woke up this morning to a chilly 38 degrees! Yesterday was just about as bad. No frost yet, but it is definitely getting colder out. My maple trees are also starting to show signs of fall approaching with the leaves turning from a dark green to a soft golden color.

Football season is also here; with that is another obvious sign of fall. I had a wager (for bragging rights only) with our League President Kay Craigie when our Ohio State team played Virginia Tech recently. I do have to tell ya', Kay was a very gracious winner & didn't brag over our horrible loss to them. I'm very grateful for that. Now comes my counterpart in that northern state.. I'm sure he'll want to re-challenge me this year for sure. If you remember he lost last year. Anyway, I wait to hear from Larry on what we'll do for the Michigan / Ohio State game this year.

I know I harp on this a lot, but please make sure that you've signed up to receive emails from the Section Manager & Great Lakes Director with the ARRL. It seems that some of you may not be receiving the special news releases that Dale or I have done lately. If you want to keep apprised of what's going on in the state or within the Division you need to be registered with the League to receive these special emails. You need to log onto your *The Q-Fivez, October 2014, page 12*

account with the League & mark the box that states "receive email from the Section Manager / Director" & that's all there is to it. You'll now get those special e mailings. Now, for those of you who may not want to go to all that bother, or you are not League members, you still have a chance to get these important emails. All you need do is to "Opt-In" on the Ohio Section website.. Here's the link: <http://arri-ohio.org/forwarder/forwarding.html>. You can also find this link on the bottom left corner of the main page of the Ohio Section website. I urge you all to make sure that everyone, regardless of whether they are a League member or not, knows they can always "Opt-In" at any time. Oh, didn't know that the Ohio Section had a website?? We do.. You can find it at: <http://arrlohoio.org> If you don't have this website set as your home page, I urge you to do so. This website is one of the exceptions to the rule.. It changes all the time, it's never stagnant & is forever changing. I'd recommend that you check into the website at least 3 times per week.

U.S. House Bill - HR 4969 is still working its way through Congress. Have you written your Congressman yet? Many have. Let's keep this campaign going strong. If you haven't written your letter yet, there's a lot of good ideas on how to compose it on the League website. Just follow the HR-4969 link on their front page. It will take you to all the latest information & letter suggestions. October 4 is our statewide S.E.T. Are you going to participate? Please be ready, you may be called upon to help out in a crisis. Will you know what to do? That's what S.E.T. is all about, being prepared. I've heard every excuse you can think of as to why someone feels that they don't need to train any more. I feel it's just that, an excuse. One lesson that I can definitely say I've had considerable experience with, is that disasters never follow a plan. That means you have to pull from your experience and you only get experience by participating and practicing.

Ohio's Speaker Bureau.. I know that this has been said a million plus times before, but it's always worth repeating, don't forget to invite one of the Ohio Section Cabinet members to your next club meeting. The entire Cabinet is Ohio's Speaker's Bureau. If you'd like any of us to come and be a speaker at your function for FREE, please feel free to give any of us a call, we'll do our very best to be at your function.

I've done a lot of traveling to hamfests & club meetings lately. I want to thank all of you for your kind words & graciousness to not just provide a space for me, but in giving me a helping hand when needed, & being very pro-active in having things all ready to go & set up for me when I get to your hamfest or club meeting. It's really great to know that you care that much. I really do appreciate it.

That's going to do it this month from here.. I hope to see all of you at the various hamfests or meetings soon & who knows, maybe you'll be one of the lucky ones to get a "mug" on me. Have a question? Feel free to give me a call or write to me.. Oh.. by the way, I've come up with a new surprise for the mugs.. You may just find an extra surprise inside the cup!!

My email and phone number are always listed on the Ohio Section Website <http://arrlohoio.org> as well as on page 16 of QST.. 73, *Scott N8SY*

SPECIAL EVENTS STATIONS IN OHIO

10/18/2014 | 75th Anniversary of United States Coast Guard Auxiliary
Oct 18, 1300Z-2300Z, W8E, Loveland, OH. United States Coast Guard Auxiliary. 7.234.
QSL. Dave Stroup, 6138 Misty Creek Dr, Loveland, OH 45140. cgaux8@yahoo.com

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SERVICE ANIMAL VIDEO PROMO

From: Kitty Hevener W8TDA - Assistant Section Manager (SW) w8tda@arri.net

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Did you know that about one in every five Americans has a disability? Since many depend on service animals to help them overcome the effects of their disabilities, it's only a matter of time til you and those you work with through your served agencies encounter service animal teams. Will you know what to do? A video titled "Serving Service Animal Teams" developed by the functional needs workgroup of the Ohio Trauma Committee will prepare you for this eventuality.

You can view it at <http://youtu.be/B9C8yQifCus>

I urge you to share this with your local emergency responders!

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MY ACCIDENT

Hi Gang,

I'm writing this little note about my tower accident so that anyone else attempting to file a similar accident claim will know ahead of time how to properly fill out the accident forms for their insurance company.

I had decided to do a little work on my tower since I haven't done anything to it for more than ten years now and wouldn't you know it, I had an accident. Of course my insurance company requires me to write up an accident claim that basically describes in full detail just what I didn't do right.

After writing it up and sending it in they wrote back wanting more explanation of just how clumsy I was.. So.. with my humility in check, I wrote them back describing in full detail just what I did that I now wish I hadn't.

"I am writing in response to your request for additional information for block number 3 of the accident reporting form. I put 'poor planning' as the cause of my accident. You said in your letter that I should explain more fully and I trust the following detail will be sufficient.

I am an amateur radio operator and on the day of the accident, I was working alone on the top section of my new 80 foot tower. When I had completed my work, I discovered that I had, over the course of several trips up the tower, brought up about 300 pounds of tools and spare hardware. Rather than carry the now un-needed tools and material down by hand, I decided to lower the items down in a small barrel by using a pulley, which was fortunately attached to the gin pole at the top of the tower.

Securing the rope at ground level, I went to the top of the tower and loaded the tools and material into the barrel. Then I went back to the ground and untied the rope, holding it tightly to ensure a slow descent of the 300 pounds of tools - You will note in block number 11 of the accident reporting form that I weigh only 155 pounds-. Due to my surprise of being jerked off the ground so suddenly, I lost my presence of mind and forgot to let go of the rope.

Needless to say, I proceeded at a rather rapid rate of speed up the side of the tower. In the vicinity of the 40 foot *The Q-Fivez*, Oct 2014, page 14



level, I met the barrel coming down. This explains my fractured skull and broken collarbone. Slowed only slightly, I continued my rapid ascent, not stopping until the fingers of my right hand were two knuckles deep into the pulley. Fortunately, by this time, I had regained my presence of mind and was able to hold onto the rope in spite of my pain. At approximately the same time, however, the barrel of tools hit the ground and the bottom fell out of the barrel. Devoid of the weight of the tools, the barrel now weighed approximately 20 pounds. I refer you again to my weight in block number 11. As you might imagine, I began a rapid descent down the side of the tower. In the vicinity of the 40 foot level, I met the barrel coming up. This accounts for the two fractured ankles, and the lacerations of my legs and lower body. The encounter with the barrel slowed me enough to lessen my injuries when I fell onto the pile of tools and, fortunately, only three vertebrae were cracked. I am sorry to report, however, that as I lay there on the tools, in pain, unable to stand and watching the empty barrel 80 feet above me, I again lost my presence of mind. I let go of the rope..."

Hope you enjoyed this.. *n8Sy* :-)

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Dale's Tales for September sent 9/1/2014 8:55 PM

Greetings everyone,

Best wishes go out to all of the hams in Kentucky as they open the doors for the Greater Louisville Hamfest & Kentucky ARRL St Convention on September 6. (*Event past*, big 8<snip) You have doubtlessly heard of the national effort working toward passing HB 4969. This is known as the Amateur Radio Parity Act & is aimed at directing the PRB-1 style "reasonable accommodation" provisions for Amateur Radio antennas to include all types of land-use regulation, including deed restrictions & restrictive covenants, hence the term "parity". "CC&Rs" (covenants, conditions & restrictions) are the prohibitions & limitations placed on properties by builders or homeowner associations (HOAs) which prevent licensed Amateurs from erecting even modest antennas. As Congress returns to Session in early September, ARRL asks for your personal assistance in contacting your Congressperson to ask for support for HB 4969.

Full information can be found at <http://www.arrl.org/hr-4969> . This page will also allow you to identify your congressman & his/her address. There is a link on this page that will allow you to download the draft of a letter to use as an example. I urge you to write & ask your Congressperson to support this request for reasonable accommodation for our antennas.

Now, this is really important to accomplish. The number of residents now living in HOAs has grown significantly in recent years. In many regions of the country, there are few opportunities for home ownership outside HOAs. Thus, the impact upon ham radio antennas has become significant. Some HOA "contracts" do not allow *any* sort of outdoor antenna. Somehow, it seems absurd when one considers they do not allow a ¼ wave UHF mag-mount sitting on a rain gutter... The HOAs really do need to get "reasonable".

Our new Vice Director Tom Delaney W8WTD begins his monthly commentary with this introductory article:

Over the last few months, both Dale & Jim (K8JE) have written some kind words about me. Now you get to hear from me directly. I look forward to meeting many of you in the division, & representing your interests in ham radio. So I'll start with some reflections on the past few months. As you know, I was appointed in early July, so I had the chance to attend not just the Board meeting, but also the Centennial Convention in Hartford. It was a very busy time, & provided a more un-

usual introduction to the board than most people will ever have. I was very lucky to join the group at such a time.

The Centennial Convention: Most of the time, there are a lot of people I know at a hamfest. After all, Dayton is close, & a lot of friends from Cincinnati travel up there. When I looked around in Hartford, there was almost no one I recognized. & yet, we're all hams. Soon I realized that the interesting exhibits, the friendly chats, the technical questions were all the same. Like meeting new people on the air, you quickly discover how much you have in common. The highlights of the convention, like the keynote speeches & some of the forums, were just as inspiring, & the topics were things I've thought about or talked about for years. After a few minutes, you stop wondering who this speaker is, & instead wonder if you haven't met somewhere before.

Thoughts on the Board meeting: Even for someone who has been a long-time member of a group, the inner workings of an organization can be somewhat of a surprise. ARRL is a very large organization, & keeping it on track can be a challenge. I'm impressed with the board & the quality of individuals who have been elected. Like many of us in the hobby, they come from a variety of backgrounds, but all with a strong commitment to ham radio. They have the best interests of the League in mind in doing their work. It's great to be associated with such people.

Hamfests in the Division: This fall, I'll make the rounds of the hamfests, getting to those I can, in an effort to try to meet lots of folks in the 3 states. I started with Columbus & the State Convention, & will soon be at Greater Louisville & the Kentucky State Convention, then a number of other ones, including the one at home in Cincinnati with OH-KY-IN. Hope to see many of you in the next several weeks.

There's a lot for all of us to learn at the forums. I attended the one on ARES in Columbus, & found the presentation on HSMM fascinating. The folks who are trying to pull off a network for Columbus have got some great plans. I hope that it goes well for them, & I'm interested in following up.

I'll be interested to hear just what interests you in ham radio, & how the League can help you achieve those goals.

73, *Tom Delaney W8WTD* Vice Director

Here is the current ARRL Hamfest Schedule for the Great Lakes Division: 8<snip to start Oct 1

Oct 4 - Vette City Hamfest, Bowling Green, KY -- QSL Checking – WA8EFK, KY4Z

Oct 18 - Muskegon Color Tour Hamfest, Muskegon, MI -- WB8R

Oct 19 - Conneaut ARC Hamfest, Conneaut, OH

Oct 19 - Kalamazoo Hamfest, Kalamazoo, MI -- QSL Checking - WB8R

Oct 25 - Hazard KY Hamfest - Hazard, KY -- KY4Z

Oct 26 - USECA Hamfest - Madison Heights, MI -- WB8TKL

Nov 2 - Massillon ARC Hamfest, Massillon, OH -- QSL Checking - N8SY

A note about hamfest attendance by your ARRL elected officials. We strive to insure that the ARRL is properly represented at every ARRL Sanctioned Hamfest. Conflicts can arise, such as hamfests which might occur on the same day. It is always a good idea for your hamfest chair to contact the Section Manager, Vice-Director or Director early in planning stages to insure his attendance at the activity. This will allow time to prepare for alternate representation in the event of time conflicts.

73 all, see you on the bands. *Dale Williams WA8EJK* Director, Great Lakes Division

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Hamfests &c. October 2014

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19 Conneaut OH Hamfest co-sponsored by Conneaut ARC & AmLegionLadiesAuxCowle

Unit #151, at Am Legion Hall Cowle Post 151, 272 Broad St. 7AM-3PM. Dealers, fleas, handicap access, refreshments, seminars, VE session. Talk-in: 147.39 (131.8 Hz). \$5. Info: J Michael Pongrass KD8OSJ, 814-440-6679, kd8osj@yahoo.com, qsl.net/w8bhj
 25 Hazard KY Hamfest sponsored by KY Mtns ARC at Hazard Disabled Veterans #64, 165 Industrial Dr. 8AM-1PM. Dealers, fleas, handicap access, refreshments, VE session. Talk-in: 146.67 (103.5 Hz). \$5. Info: Johnnie Brashear KY4JLB, 606-438-5557, jlb741@yahoo.com, kmarc.net

Nov 2 Massillon OH 54th Annual Hamfest sponsored by Massillon ARC at Massillon Boys & Girls Club, 730 Duncan St SW. Dealers, fleas, handicap access, field checking of QSL cards, refreshments, VE session. Talk-in: 147.18 (110.9 Hz). \$5. Info: Terry Russ N8ATZ, truss@sss.net, www.w8np.org



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VE exam opportunities

Wed Oct 1: Middletown OH sponsored by DIAL ARC at Verity Lodge, Miami U Middletown, 4200 E University Blvd. Register 6 PM, complete registr before 7. Walk-ins likely OK. Laurel exams, so no fee. Additional info from Dave Williamson KD8W 513=424-5819 or Carl Morgan K8CM 513=433-5428. Talk-in on W8BLV/R 146.61 (-600) 77 Hz PL

1st Sat each month: Cincinnati-Hartwell OH at Hartwell Presbyterian Church. Register 8:30 AM; walk-ins only! ARRL, so \$15 fee All license classes. Info: Dale Pritchett KC8HJL, 513=769-0789, kc8hjl@arrl.net

2d Thu each month except March & December: Milford OH, sponsored by Milford ARC at Faith Church, 5910 Price Rd. Register 6 PM, walk-ins OK; precedes regular club meeting. No exam fee; Milford uses Laurel. Info: Barb Steward KA8AXY, 513=625-8651, blzsteward@yahoo.com

Sun Nov 9: Greene Co class-end exams at 6 PM, Beavercreek Firehouse #1 Training Rm in firehouse basement, 1298 Dayton-Xenia Rd, Beavercreek OH. ARRL but VEs waive exam fee. In almost all cases: Applicants furnish original & photocopy of current license (if any), ditto of any

certs of successful completion of exam (CSCE) held, positive(photo) ID, & social security (SSN) or Licensee ID number (FRN), pen & pencil, calculator with memory cleared, fee if applicable (exact change cash or check).
If applying for first license, please go to <http://wireless.fcc.gov/uls/index.htm?job=home> to obtain FRN. Website is self-explanatory; no charge for FRN registration.

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What's coming in October 2014

Wed Oct 1 9:00 PM Tech Talk, NCS Robert AK3Q
Fri Oct 2 7:30 PM Amateur Radio Public Svc Corps, Hamilton Co Communications Ofc
Conference Rm, 2377 Civic Ctr Dr – pls park in Bd of Educ lot
Sun Oct 5 7:00PM Newcomers/Elmers Net, 146.67 146.67, Topic: Satellites - Yes You
Can! NCS Robert AK3Q
Tue Oct 7 7:30PM Club Meeting at St Bernard Recr Hall, 120 E Washington, St Bernard
Program: ARRL Night, OH SM Scott Yonally N8SY
Wed Oct 8 9:00PM Tech Talk, NCS Brian K4BRI
Sat Oct 11 10:00AM Monthly Fox Hunt leaves from Mt Storm Park, talk-in to start 146.67
1:00PM Brunch Bunch at Werkhaus Pizza & Pasta, 3637 Werk Road 45248
Sun Oct 12 7:00PM Newcomers/Elmers Net, 146.67, Topic: Keep The Learning Going!
NCS Robert AK3Q
Mon Oct 13 Columbus Day observed
Wed Oct 15 9:00PM Tech Talk, NCS Dale KC8HQS
Fri Oct 17 8:00PM Queen City Emergency Net, Red Cross HQ, 2111 Dana Av, 45207
Sat Oct 18 00:00AM Scouts Jamboree on the Air begins (please see pg 11)
Sun Oct 19 7:00PM Newcomers/Elmers Net, 146.67, Topic: What's Your Radio Plea-
sure? NCS Robert AK3Q
11:59:59PM Scouts Jamboree on the Air ends
Mon Oct 20 7-9PM OH-KY-IN Tech & general classes start, Centennial Hall, St Ber-
nard, 110 Washington Ave
Wed Oct 22 9:00PM Tech Talk, NCS Brian KC8JFQ
Fri Oct 24 Copy deadline for November *Q-Fiver*; *gladly* accepted earlier!
Sun Oct 26 7:00PM Newcomers/Elmers Net, 146.67, Topic: Finding & Working Con-
tests, NCS Robert AK3Q
Tue Oct 28 7:00PM Board of Directors meeting, Centennial Hall, St Bernard:
Nov *Q-Fiver* distribution begins
Wed Oct 30 9:00PM Tech Talk, NCS Rick KD4PYR
Sun Nov 2 7:00PM Newcomers/Elmers Net, 146.67 146.67, Topic: TBA NCS AK3Q
Tue Nov 4 7:30PM Club Meeting at St Bernard Recr Hall, 120 E Washington, St Bernard
Program: Logbook Of The World

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“OhKyIn Field Day GoPro” — Drone video of OhKyIn Field Day 2014 site at Mitchell Memorial Forest OK - I finally posted the drone video taken at our field day site - finally.
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Uq7wMfWPAkw> runs 6:49

73, *Bzian K4BRJ* posted 9.5.14 8:53AM

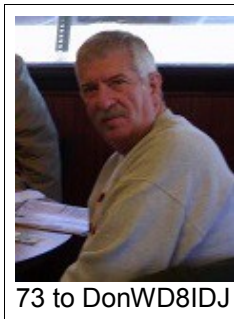
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OH-KY-IN 2014 Committee Appointments

Technical Committee Russ Hines WB8ZCC, Ch
Volunteer Examiners Brian DeYoung K4BRI, Ch
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Education Robert Gulley AK3Q, Ch
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73 to DonWD8IDJ

News of Members & Students in Recent Classes

Good News: John Bennet WD8NMV now *out* of Hillebrand, staying with son in W Hills at last report (2 wks ago, from Nelda N8CCB)

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It is with great sadness we report the passing of **Don Eikhoff WD8IDJ**, now SK. Photo posted on club website Sept 13

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Former member **Roger B Haneberg KA8JFL** became SK at age 90 on Sept 25, 2014. Joan KA8RVR & a host of kin survive him; both still listed in qrz.com at issue assembly. He was Donna

Vanselow N8HXO (SK)'s dad, Bruce N8BV's father-in-law. Dale KC8HQS is one of 5 grandchildren, there are 9 great-grands. Remembrances requested to Am Cancer Society, 2808 Reading Rd 45206, Electronic guestbook www.meyergeiser.com Obituary notice in *Cincinnati Enquirer* Sept 28, 2014

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Tech & General classes begin Mon Oct 20 7-9PM, Centennial Hall below St Bernard City Hall; these & Extra all end Nov 17. Students pls get proper ARRL study guides. VE exams 9AM Sat Nov 22 same place; list in **VE exam opps** next time. ARRL exam fee \$15. Info: 859=638-2042, classes@ohkyin.org

Copy deadline for November Q-Fiver, Friday October 24

