

Coshocton County Amateur Radio Association, Inc.
Minutes of meeting, on April 3rd, 2018

In attendance, NF8U, KC8YXY, KE8WIP, KB8HEA, AA8BN, N8MMS, KE8BKP, AND WB8SJQ

Meeting called to order at 6:46 PM due to weather potential.

ARES NVIS day is the 28th. No decision at this time about group effort at Hopewell School. If it is not 75 deg and sunshine, odds are bad we will be there. Probably operate from home qth like last year.

Treasurer's Report for March read. Motion to accept by WB8SJQ, seconded by KE8WIP. Motion carried.

Repeaters: No issues. Upgraded repeaters discussed. Improved versions correct some problems with our models, such as 50 watt power output stability. Upgrades probably are not cost effective as we run external amplifiers utilizing the lowest power out setting or the repeaters.

Motion to pay ARRL liability insurance premium by AA8BN, Seconded by WB8SJQ. Motion carried. Treasurer instructed to pay.
Discussion on inquiring about local liability costs vs. ARRL.

Library Display set for the month of July.

Dipole element for antenna construction of new WB9SJQ repeater antenna assembly effort. Assembly pending.

Hamvention this year on 18th, 19th, and 20th of May at Green County Fairgrounds.

AA8BN worked Kosovo via the N8VV station to maintain his DXCC #1.

N8MMX presented a program on WSPR.

Motion to adjourn by AA8BN, seconded by NF8U.

Meeting adjourned. Bad weather did not appear.