



Coshocton Amateur Radio Association
Meeting Date: 5/5/2026

Attendance: KC8YXY, KL7RF, KC8PUW, AA8BN, KA8BJA, KB8PXM, KC8ZWR,
W8BR, WN8RGW, Guest: Rick Wion (would like to take test)

Called to Order: 6:02PM Local

Treasurer Report: No treasurers report

Repeater Report: All repeaters working. 045 still has “thump-thump” but the “Hum”
noise has been corrected. WX8OH repeater working well.

Web Page: Pix of the Library display set up by KE8WIP is on club news page. Send
info to KL7RF.

Old Business:

Trailer: The next step is to purchase flooring material, then to make requests for
other building materials. The trailer will be at the Field Day event.

Field Day: June 27th and 28th. June 26th for setup in the AM.

We may have to secure antenna support equipment that we used to borrow
from N8VV. We have poles for masts, and Will has the paracord needed.
We will need at least a 100’ and 200’ lengths. Randy has some that was
donated to club and he will check on lengths.

New Business:

VE Session needs to be arranged We should check on VE status for setting up a
test session for Rick Wion.

It was suggested that we look further into getting a C3 tax status for the club.

ARES Report:

The Sheriff’s office has provided the badges to those ARES members who
have pursued getting the testing, background checks, and finger
printing.

Coshocton ARES participated in the recent hospital exercise, which also
included Jefferson County hospitals.

Sonny WB8FHF is now no longer ADEC due to health reasons.



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Program: KL7RF presented information and material related to the new standard set up by both RRI and the ARRL for encapsulating ICS-213 messages within the framework of the NTS radiogram.

Door Prize: WN8RGW won the prize of a "Hints & Kinks" book.

Close of Meeting: KA8BJA Motion to Adjourn 2nd WN8RGW. 7:05 PM