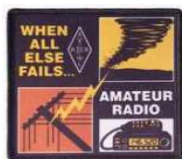


DECEMBER 2014 NEWSLETTER



CCARA Meetings

We meet on the 1st Tuesday of each month at 7:00 PM
 Coshocton County Services Building
 724 South 7th Street
 Coshocton, Ohio 43812
 (Basement Level)

EVERYONE IS WELCOME!

If you have program ideas; email or call one of the officers.

NEXT CCARA CLUB MEETING – DECEMBER 2ND, 2014

2014 CLUB OFFICERS

PRESIDENT: Mike Casey – NF8U
VICE PRESIDENT: Jamie Hoy – KC8YXY
SECRETARY: Will Parks – KC8PUW
TREASURER: Tom Cordes – KB8HEA

CCARA WEB SITE

Go To: www.w8cca.org
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Steve Wheatcraft - AA8BN

COSHOCTON COUNTY AECs:

Dan Hardy - N8VV
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>>> For prior newsletters – www.w8cca.org

Coshocton County Area Nets			
Net	Frequency	Day	Time
Digital (fldigi)	2M 145.230(-) (w/440 link)	Wednesdays	2000 local (8PM)
CCARA	2M 147.045(+)	Sundays	2100 local (9PM)
ARES	2M 145.230(-)	Mondays	2100 local (9PM)
NECCo. 440*	440 443.5375(+)	Mondays	After ARES Net
Johnny Appleseed	10M USB 28.450	Fridays	2100 local (9PM)

* = North East Coshocton County 440 Net

REPEATER Trustees

Club repeater - KL7RF
 ARES repeater – KE8XM
 440 repeater – KB9JSC

CLUB Trustees

AA8UA – Colleen
 KC8ZWR – Mike
 N8KRR – Ron

PREZ SAYS-

December Club Meeting

The December CCARA club meeting will be on **December 2nd at 7 PM**. The club officers will be up for election at the December meeting. During this meeting we will be electing the officers and trustees of the club for 2015.

Christmas Party!

Bring along some finger food or snacks to share for our annual Christmas meeting. We wish you a very happy holiday season with Thanksgiving and Christmas in 2014.

MEETING ATTENDANCE-2014

SEP. 2	OCT. 7	NOV. 4
NF8U	NF8U	AA8BN
KC8PUW	KC8PUW	N8VV
KB8HEA	KB8HEA	WN8RGW
N8KRR	KL7RF	N2AFV
KC8YXY	KC8YXY	N8LPB
N2AFV	WB8SJQ	WB8SJQ
AA8BN	AA8BN	KB8HEA
KC8ZWR	KC8ZWR	N8KRR
KD8YTN	<u>KD8YTN</u>	KC8NJT
WB8SJQ		NF8U
N8VV		N8RQ
KL7RF		KB8PXM
KE8XM		KL7RF
KB8HHO		KC8YXY
<u>EMA</u>		<u>KC8PUW</u>

ARRL Announces Free Exam Review Website

The ARRL has launched a new online resource that allows users to take randomly generated practice exams using questions from the actual examination question pool. [ARRL Exam Review for Ham Radio™](http://arrlexamreview.appspot.com/) is free, and users do not need to be ARRL members. The only requirement is that users must first set up a site login (this is a different and separate login from your ARRL website user registration).
<http://arrlexamreview.appspot.com/>

73

Dan

N8VV@arrl.net

View current Coshocton exam sessions opportunities at: www.w8cca.org or visit www.arrl.org/arrlvec/examsearch.phtml or www.wcnet.org/~johnson/exams.txt

ARRL AMATEUR RADIO EXAM SESSIONS 2014

Conducted by the Coshocton Ohio Amateur Radio Volunteer Examiner Team, sponsored by the Coshocton County Amateur Radio Association, W8CCA Walk-in and pre registered sessions are available throughout the year.

Contact us for other dates and times to set up a session for you!

All Exam elements available: **The 2014 exam fee is \$15.00. Exact amount appreciated.** Checks made out to ARRL/VEC are accepted too. A 2nd version of exam is available at VE discretion, time permitting. An additional \$15 is needed. **REQUIRED:**

> **PHOTO ID** (driver's license, passport) or, when no photo ID is available, two forms of identification must be presented (birth certificate, report card, library card, Social Security card, utility bill, bank statement, Non-photo ID/driver's license, etc). Students may bring a school ID card, minor's work permit, school report card, library card and/or a written note from a legal guardian. **If you don't have ID, then no exam will be administered.**

> **CURRENT ORIGINAL AMATEUR RADIO LICENSE and COPY, and ORIGINAL valid CSCE(s).** If applicable, bring the original and a photocopy of your current Amateur Radio license and any Certificates of Successful Completion of Examination (CSCE) you may hold from previous exam sessions. The photocopy(s) will not be returned. **If you already have a license, then you need your FRN number on the 605 application.**

> **Social Security number or FCC issued FRN Already licensed, then you need the FRN number.**

(The FRN is viewable by doing a search for LICENSE at the FCC WTB ULS web page: <http://www.fcc.gov/wtb/uls> Bring your Social Security Number (SSN) or your FCC issued Federal Registration Number (FRN). VEC's are required by FCC to submit either your SSN or your FRN number with your license application form. If you prefer not to give your SSN, then you may use your FCC issued FRN, if you have one. For instructions on how to register your SSN with the FCC and receive a FRN, visit the ARRL web page: <http://www.arrl.org/fcc/uls101.html>.

> **Bring cash, exact amount appreciated, check or money order to cover the exam session fee.**

We have NCVEC 605 forms at session; Handicap

Accessible. Copy machine is available.

Contact Person

Colleen, AA8UA 740-622-5761

AA8UA@arrl.net

Email to:



AA8BN, Session Mgr.

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AA8UA@arrl.net

2014 Field Days Results

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ARRLFD14

June 28 – 29

HAM RADIO On the Air from Anywhere www.arrl.org

Coshocton Cty ARA W8CCA ARRL Section = 04

of contacts = 552

Power level = 2

of Participants = 14

Total Score = 2650

UPCOMING RADIOSPORT INFO

December 2014

ARRL Rookie Roundup - CW

1800 UTC – 2359 UTC Sunday, December 21

Complete rules, team registration and score reporting can be found at: www.arrl.org/rookie-roundup

The 2015 ARRL International DX Contest

CW: 0000 UTC Saturday, February 21 -

2359 UTC Sunday, February 22

SSB: 0000 UTC Saturday, March 7 -

2359 UTC Sunday, March 8

Complete rules can be found at: www.arrl.org/arrl-dx

The 2015 January VHF Contest

1900 UTC Saturday, January 24 -

0359 UTC Monday, January 26

Complete rules can be found at: www.arrl.org/January-vhf

The 2015 RTTY Roundup

1800 UTC Saturday, January 3 -

2359 UTC Sunday, January 4

Complete rules and entry forms can be found at:

www.arrl.org/rtty-roundup

The 2015 ARRL Straight Key Night

0000 UTC - 2359 UTC Thursday, January 1

Complete rules and entry forms can be found at:

www.arrl.org/straight-key-night

January Kids Day – 2015

1800 UTC – 2359 UTC Sunday, January 4

Complete rules and entry forms can be found at:

www.arrl.org/kids-day

HAM RADIO IN COSHOCTON COUNTY

To find out more about local classes and how to proceed, give Randy (callsign: KL7RF), a call at: 740-545-7036, or send an email to him at: KL7RF@arrl.net

We'll be happy to get you started, get a class together for you, and mentor your progress while you learn about this hobby.

Ham Radio is lots of fun, and is considered a "last resort" communication asset in times of natural or other disasters in our community and in our country.

You are also welcome to come to one of our meetings to meet us and see what is happening. You can find out information on our meeting nights [Here](#).

REMEMBER TO ENROLL IN CODERED

Article from - THE COSHOCTON BEACON

The Coshocton County Sheriff's Office and the Coshocton County Office of Homeland Security and EMA continue to encourage citizens to sign up for the county mass notification system, known as CODERED.

The most common use of CODERED is for weather warning information, but the system has countless other public safety and general notification uses.

In September 2013 the system was updated so that citizens could receive automatic weather warnings via CODERED Weather Warning. To date there are less than 17,000 numbers registered into CODERED and less than 4,000 numbers registered for CODERED Weather Warnings. To enroll, follow links found online at: coshoctoncounty.net, coshoctonema.com and coshoctoncounty.net/sheriff

2014 CLUB NET ACTIVITY

JOHNNY APPLESEED NET

FRIDAY @ 2100 28.450 MHz

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September 5 2100 - 2128

NC: KB8KEU

KB8RAK KL7RF KD8TYN NF8U

KC8PUW WN8RGW KE8YL WD8CHR

September 19 2100 - 2118

NC: WD8CHR

KC8PUW KD8YTN KB8KEU WA8WAS

September 26 2100 - 2115

NC: KL7RF

WN8RGW KB8RAK KC8DEY KB8KEU

KC8PUW WD8CHR KD8YTN

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October 3 2100 - 2125

NC: KB8KEU

KB8RAK KC8DEY WA8WAS KC8PUW

WN8RGW KD8YTN WD8CHR

October 10 2103 - 2122

NC: KC8PUW

KB8RAK KL7RF KD8YTN KB8KEU

WD8CHR KE8YL

October 17 2100 - 2124

NC: WD8CHR

KB8RAK KC8DEY N8LPB KB8KEU

KC8PUW KL7RF KC8NJT KE8YL

October 24 2100 - 2125

NC: KL7RF

KB8RAK WA8WAS WN8RGW KB8KEU

KC8PUW WD8CHR

October 31 2100 - 2122

NC: KC8PUW

NF8U WN8RGW WA8WAS WD8CHR

KB8KEU KL7RF KE8YL

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November 7 2100 - 2127

NC: KB8KEU

KL7RF WA8WAS KC8PUW WN8RGW

WD8CHR NF8U KC8DEY

November 21 2100 - 2122

NC: WD8CHR

KB8RAK KL7RF WN8RGW KC8PUW

KC8DEY NF8U

November 28 2100 - 2120

NC: KL7RF

WD8CHR KC8PUW WN8RGW KB8KEU

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CCARA CLUB NET - 2014
SUNDAY @ 2100 147.045MHz

September 7 2100 - 2113
NC: KC8ZWR
N8KRR KL7RF KB8HEA WB8SJK
KC8PUW NF8U WN8RGW KD8YTN
KC8YXY

September 14 2100 - 2112
NC: KL7RF
N8KRR WB8SJK AA8BN WN8RGW
KD8YTN

September 28 2100 - 2112
NC: KC8PUW
N8KRR KL7RF WN8RGW KD8YTN
AA8BN

October 5 2100 - 2115
NC: KL7RF
N8KRR KD8YTN KC8PUW WN8RGW
KC8YXY AA8BN

October 12 2100 - 2116
NC: KC8ZWR
N8KRR KB8HEA AA8BN KC8PUW
KL7RF WN8RGW N8VV WB8SJK
KC8YXY KD8LNA *ECHO LINK ALASKA*

October 19 2100 - 2115
NC: N8KRR
N8LPB AB8JH WB8SJK KC8NJT
KL7RF KC8PUW KC8YXY AA8BN
WN8RGW KD8LNA *ECHO LINK ALASKA*

October 26 2100 - 2108
NC: NF8U
N8KRR KC8PUW KB8HEA KC8YXY
AA8BN KL7RF KD8NEO

November 2 2100 - 2120
NC: KL7RF
N8KRR WB8SJK KC8PUW WN8RGW
AA8BN KC8YXY KB8HEA KD8LNA *ECHO LINK ALASKA*

November 9 2100 - 2109
NC: KC8ZWR
KC8PUW WB8SJK AA8BN WN8RGW
N8KRR KC8YXY KD8LNA *ECHO LINK ALASKA*

November 16 2100 - 2106
NC: N8KRR
WB8SJK KL7RF AA8BN

November 23 2101 - 2120
NC: KC8PUW
KL7RF KD8TIU N8KRR KB8HEA
AA8BN WN8RGW KC8YXY KD8LNA *ECHO LINK ALASKA*

November 30 2100 - 2114
NC: AA8UA
N8KRR KL7RF WB8SJK AA8BN
KC8YXY WN8RGW KB8HEA
KD8LNA *ECHO LINK ALASKA*

ARES COCo NET-2014
MONDAY @ 2100 145.230MHz

September 1 2100 - 2119
NC: KC8PUW
N8KRR KD8YTN KL7RF KB8HEA
AA8BN N8VV KC8YXY WB8SJK

September 8 2100 - 2107
NC: WB8SJK
N8KRR KC8PUW AA8BN KB8HEA
N8VV KD8YTN

September 15 2100 - 2108
NC: N8KRR
WB8SJK KC8PUW N8VV AA8BN
KD8YTN

September 22 2100 - 2116
NC: KC8PUW
WD8SDH WN8RGW AA8BN KD8YTN
KC8YXY

September 29 2100 - 2120
NC: KC8PUW
WN8RGW N8KRR AA8BN KB8HEA
NF8U N8VV KD8YTN KB8FBN
AA8UA

October 6 2105 - 2116
NC: AA8BN
WB8SJK WN8RGW N8KRR KC8YXY
KB8QVY KC8PUW

October 13 2103 - 2113
NC: KC8PUW
WN8RGW N8KRR AA8BN WB8SJK
KC8YXY

October 20 2100 - 2108
NC: N8KRR
WB8SJK N8LPB N8VV KC8NJT
WN8RGW

October 27 2100 - 2114
NC: N8VV
NF8U WN8RGW N8KRR WB8SJK
KC8PUW AA8BN KC8YXY KB8HEA
WD8SJK

November 3 2100 - 2110
NC: KC8PUW
N8KRR N8VV WB8SJK AA8BN
KC8YXY

November 10 2100 - 2109
NC: WB8SJK
WN8RGW KC8NJT N8LPB KC8PUW
N8KRR N8VV AA8BN KC8YXY

November 17 2100 - 2108
NC: N8KRR
WN8RGW WB8SJK N8VV KC8PUW
AA8BN KC8YXY

November 24 2100 - 2112
NC: N8VV
N8KRR WB8SJK AA8BN WN8RGW
KL7RF *Mobile*

COSHOCTON COUNTY DIGInet – 2014
CCDN net WEDNESDAY @2000 145.230 MHz
DIGITAL NET MANAGER – KC8PUW

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September 3	2000 - 2100
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NC: KC8PUW
NF8U KC8YXY

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October 1	2000 - 2150
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NC: KC8PUW
NF8U

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October 15	2000 - 2150
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NC: KC8PUW
NF8U KL7RF

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November 26	2010 - 2049
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NC: KC8PUW
KL7RF KD8YTN KC8YXY

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NECCoNET-2014
MONDAY @ 2100 443.5375 MHz

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September 22	2117 -2122
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NC: KC8PUW
WN8RGW AA8BN KC8YXY

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September 29	2121 - 2134
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NC: KC8PUW
N8VV AA8BN NF8U

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October 13	2114 - 2116
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NC: KC8PUW
WN8RGW

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October 27	2116 - 2120
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NC: N8VV
KC8PUW KC8YXY AA8BN

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November 24	2116 2120
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NC: N8VV
AA8BN KB8HEA WB8SJQ KL7RF *Mobile*

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