



**Indiana Section
American Radio
Relay League**

Newsletter

May 2023

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Friends we'll miss

Robert Hall KB9NYI of Underwood

For a Silent Key notice to be placed in the newsletter, and sent to the ARRL, please forward a copy of or a link to the obituary to the Bob Burns AK9R, ARRL Indiana Section Manager, at ak9r@arrl.org.

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Section Traffic Manager's Report

From Brian Jenks W9BGJ

To all net managers, please remember to turn in your reports to Brian Jenks W9BBJ, Section Traffic Manager, by the 6th of the month.

Greetings all looks like the warm temperatures have finally arrived and with it the humidity of course.

Traffic is holding steady with ITN seeing a slight increase in messages passed. Just a reminder we have a nightly CW NTS Net and a Monday through Friday Digital Traffic Net that could use some more incoming traffic as well. This will keep all our net operators proficient in traffic handling so let's not forget about these folks!

Also, Field Day is right around the corner W9BGJ and W9NNH will be on the air either from a club site or at the lake possibly both depending on what time allows hope to work many of you over Field Day weekend.

With that very 73 until next month!

INDIANA STM REPORT MAY 2023					
HF NETS					
NET NAME	SOURCE	QNI	QTC	QTR	SESSIONS
INDIANA SECT ARES IDTN ITN QIN	AC9EB	84	13	575	8
	K9JAJ	126	11	311	23
	N9TU	1719	140	1418	61
	K0TQ	122	24	250	31
TOTALS		2051	188	2554	123
NETS REPORTING		3 OUT OF 4			

INDIANA STM REPORT MAY 2023							
PUBLIC SERVICE HONOR ROLL							
STATION	SESSIONS	MESSAGES	APPTS	PUB SVC	EMG RES	DIGITAL	TOTAL
W9BGJ	18	20	30	0	0	10	78
KA9QWC	40	40	30	0	0	10	120
AB9ZA	40	40	10	0	0	0	90
W9EEU	40	117	20	5	0	20	202
TOTALS	138	217	90	5	0	40	490
STATIONS REPORTING	5						

INDIANA STM REPORT MAY 2023						
ORS AND SAR STATION REPORT						
STATION	TYPE	ORIGINATED	RECEIVED	SENT	DELIVERED	TOTALS
W9BGJ	ORS	0	14	14	0	28
KA9QWC	ORS	0	18	48	11	77
AB9ZA	ORS	0	89	67	18	174
N1LL	ORS	0	6	0	0	6
NA9L	ORS	4	4	4	2	16
W9EEU	ORS	0	56	59	2	117
W9PC	ORS	0	1	7	0	8
W9MGB	ORS	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR

INDIANA STM REPORT MAY 2023 VHF/UHF NETS					
NET NAME	SOURCE	QNI	QTC	QTR	SESSIONS
BLOOMINGTON ARC THUR NET	KC9RPX	60	25	60	4
CASS CO ARC	KA9BYN	82	0	123	5
CLAY COUNTY	W9EEU	51	0	80	4
CROSSROADS DMR	K9NQW	99	0	85	4
D STAR NET	K9NQW	93	0	74	4
DISTRICT ONE ARES	AC9EB	102	3	635	13
HENDRICKS CO	KD9DHJ	77	4	23	6
IMO NET	K9SKS	599	1	432	31
JEFFERSON CO	N9XVB	9	0	19	3
MID STATE ARC	K9DY	175	0	197	4
MONROE CO ARES	KC9RPX	74	21	80	4
MORGAN CO ARES	N9JPX	49	0	75	4
NORTHEAST IN PACKET NET	KA9QWC	40	4	137	4
SCOTT CO ARES/RACES	WR9G	51	1	75	5
SOUTH CENTRAL AREA	KA9OPL	73	0	136	4
SOUTH CENTRAL IN SIMPLEX NET	K9MRV	25	3	80	4
SIMPLEX FELLOWSHIP NET	N9CJT	25	0	158	4
TARS EVANSVILLE	KE9YK	77	1	76	5
WABASH VALLEY	KC9LDJ	75	0	115	4
TRI STATE 2 METER	W9OU	307	0	387	22
WABASH VALLEY	KC9LDJ	76	0	94	4
WCARC UHF	KA9QWC	35	4	96	4
WELCOME NET	KC9RPX	67	2	160	7
WHITLEY CO ARES	K9EJS	70	0	31	4
21 REPEATER GROUP	KA9QWC	67	5	116	5
		2458	74	3544	162
NETS REPORTING		26 OF 26			

Affiliated Club Coordinator's Report

From Jimmy Merry KC9RPX

Please be sure to send me any club news. Example: Historical events, Upcoming events, Outstanding member, etc. Include captioned photos.

This month, we have an excerpted press release from the Bedford-North Lawrence High School Radio and Rocketry club:

On Friday 05MAY23 [W9BNL](#), the BNLHSARC, conducted our first full-on, public, field day operation and rocketry exhibition as part of the 19th Annual NLCC Transportation and Car Show by [Taking the BNL Stars to the Stars](#). With the help of some great Elmers (Mike/W9MDT and Pete/KA1GHF), brand new HAM Bryce/KD9YEY, and our club sponsor (Joe/KC9NVY) our seven student participants set-up four rigs and seven rockets between chats with ~1500, Grade 4 & Grades 9 -12 visitors.



Pictured (L-R): Vincent, Lucian, Kaitlyn, Maya (VPres), Koen (Pres), Chase (Sec), and Gabe.



On 2 meters we rigged a homebuilt coat hanger antenna (soldered by *Club President Koen*) on a 15' PVC mast to the VX-6R H/T, and a Comet DP-3 to the FTM-300D. For HF work we rigged a vertical Super Antenna to the FT-897. We also stretched a pair of E-W oriented slopers from the 50' marching band reviewing stand; an off-center-fed dipole rigged to an IC-705, and the club's EmComm III EFHW rigged through our FT-891/FC-50 tuner. BTW, W9BNL's club radio gear is largely courtesy of ARRL's school station grant and the

Lawrence County Community Foundation classroom grant programs. Thank you ARRL, LCCF, and Elmers!!! With your help we were bigtime HAM-ateur operators today.

During this six hour event many students and faculty were introduced to amateur radio by either listening (Air Band/HF/SWL), discussing facets of radio in mini-lessons, or just chatting about the hobby. During the event we made new contacts (QSOs) in Florida and Indiana on 20 m and 40 m SSB, and 2 m C4FM. Certainly a HAM-tastic event. As a group we copied many other stations on long waves that afternoon, including one speaking fluent Russian.

W9BNL is Both *In and* **On the Air!**

Maya did some SWL work and made her first C4FM contacts on 2 m here in Indiana with KA1GHF's support (QSL cards sent!).

Today a W9BNL student made our first DX QSO with Steve/K9DY, a part-time Hoosier in southwest Florida. The people you meet on the radio, right...? K9DY was hanging out a POTA wire in Collier-Seminole State Park in southwest Florida. K9DY was glad to make a QSO with Chase at 17:32z. Good job on your first QSO, Chase!!



Club Vice President Maya working her SWL magic



These excited W9BNL student radio operators have been invited to take part in our local field day event with KB9SNL and the *Hoosier Hills HAM Club*, and an also in the intensely competitive GOTA operation with W9SU for **ARRL Field Day 2023**. In the year ahead we look forward to YOTA operations across the nation and the globe.



Club Secretary Chase making the infamous K9DY, DX QSO!

But wait, ...there was more...

W9BNL is Both *In and* **On the Air!**

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It should be pointed out that we are a two-faceted club exploring both *RADios* and *ROCKetry* during our weekly meetings and monthly activities. Today we displayed a dozen low, mid, and high power rockets built and flown from 300 to 16000 feet by club members, club sponsors, and friends of **BNL RADios** and **ROCKetry**.

Club President Koen (foreground) and Sec. Chase discuss rocket fin dynamics with Ms. Frank, BNL's rocketry club co-sponsor.

Technical Specialist Coordinator Report

From Tom Busch WB8WOR

Mark Skowronski K9MQ

I had one request for assistance this month. The individual was asking for help concerning USB to serial adapters. He was currently running FT8, but wanted his rig to also be computer controlled. I showed him several options that he could go with including one that was locally available. The very next day, I heard back that he purchased it locally and that it was working well!

Roger McEntarfer, N9QCL

For the month of May I continued keeping busy with Whitley County Amateur Radio Club meetings and VE Testing.

I had a great time at the 2023 Dayton Hamvention. I was able to meet up with fellow club members from Florida and Indiana; I also met in person for the first time several of the VE's I work with across the country doing virtual testing.

I did make it to a forum on Remote station planning and how to set things up. I made many purchases at the fest to get a remote station set up and also to possibly get an actual working HF station at my HOA restricted home in Florida.

I continued working with the Whitley County W5YI VE Team with virtual remote testing, helping two teams out of Texas on Tuesday and Thursday, helping a team out of Oregon Monday through Friday, helping two teams out of Washington State and other teams out of California, Maine, Florida, Tennessee and Georgia with 30 plus sessions per week.

The next WCARC General Meeting June 8, 2023 @ 7:00 PM. The program for the evening will be "Antennas" presented by Bob Heil, K9EID. Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83048867829?pwd=VjJSZFZReVJVdGNuYkpFd085M3RWQT09>

Meeting ID: 830 4886 7829 Passcode: 431119.

All WCARC General Meetings are open to the Public.

The Whitley County W5YI Amateur Radio Team are weekly Virtual Test Sessions every Monday at 8:00 PM. The cost to take the test is \$14.00. To sign up for our Test Sessions visit:

<https://hamstudy.org/sessions/N9QCL>

For additional information visit the Whitley County Amateur Radio Club Web Page at www.wcarc.org, or the Whitley County Amateur Radio Club Group Facebook Page <https://www.facebook.com/groups/445281282513824/>

Lou Kruizinga N7BBW

I have been giving talks on the subject matter of the FCC mandated RF exposure study. Some people thought it was an ARRL thing. But they are all updated now.

Jeff DeLucenay KB9QG

On May 6 th, four hams were tested and upgraded to General Class.

The Northeastern Indiana Amateur Radio Association has acquired equipment from the estate of WD9CVX. I have been working on checking the equipment and doing repairs and adjustments.

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I am still doing weekly ARES Nets for DeKalb County Indiana on Wednesday nights. The training session are open to anyone and focused on general training for ARES.

The NIARA trailer has been used to promote amateur radio at two schools. Patrick Henry High School in Ohio and St Joseph School in Garrett for the 4th and 5th grade classes.

I am working on a multi-tapped balun for some experimental antenna work. It will have 4 to 1, 9 to 1 and 16 to 1 outputs.

Tom Busch WB8WOR

At Hamvention I helped out on Saturday in the ARRL Lab booth. We were testing radios for the CSI (Clean Spectrum Initiative). Those who had their radios tested received a sticker they could put on their radio stating that it passed, and a report listing the harmonics.

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Section Emergency Coordinator's Report

From Jim Moehring KB9WWM

Greetings all!

Good to see activity throughout the state. Unfortunately, the EC and DEC report filing were very limited for the month of May. Less than half of the current appointees. I hope the reports will be forthcoming next month.

As a reminder, Field Day will be held the last week end in June. Hope to hear many of you on the air.

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STAY SAFE AND WELL!

ARES Volunteers Needed

Current Open District Emergency Coordinator Positions: District 4, District 9

If you are a current EC in one of these districts, or have past experience in the ARES field organization, please consider stepping up to serve your community with your hobby.

Current Open Emergency Coordinator Positions: Adams, Benton, Blackford, Carroll, Clinton, Crawford, DeKalb, Dubois, Fayette, Floyd, Fountain, Fulton, Gibson, Huntington, Jasper, Jefferson, Jennings, LaGrange, Lake, Martin, Noble, Ohio, Orange, Perry, Porter, Posey, Pulaski, Ripley, Rush, Shelby, St. Joseph, Sullivan, Union, Vanderburgh, Wabash, Warren, Washington and White.

EC's are the backbone of the ARES organization. I would like to fill as many of these county openings, as possible. If you are interested in filling a vacant County EC Position, please contact me at KB9WWM@arrl.net to express your interest.

District Emergency Coordinators Reporting (4/8)

AC9EB, KC9RVL, N9UN, KB9WWM

Emergency Coordinators Reporting (24/51)

KB9WWM, N9CJT, KV9N, KB9OIC, W9EEU, K9PBN, KC9RVL, n9gtl, W9MDT, N9DEK, KD9DHJ, N9SIU, NM9R, KD9EDR, KD9LWR, kd9frt, W9SOX, KC9RPX, KD9BKH, N9JPX, WR9G, W9DRB, KP4CI, W9DAC,

District Emergency Coordinators Reports

Marv Guilliand – KC9RVL – District 6

Dayton Hamfest was the big event for May, as usual. Weather this year was great!

Everyone is invited to the East Central Indiana Hamfest on Saturday, July 29, 2023. This will be held at the Randolph Co Fairgrounds south of Winchester, IN

Admission, parking, table space and tailgating spots will once again be FREE. Numerous door prizes will be given away, including a Grand Prize Yaesu FT-891 HF/6M radio. Mark your calendars! Google East Central Hamfest for more details. Facebook page is East Cental Indiana Ham Fest.

The East Central Indiana Hamfest will be Saturday, July 29, 2023 at the Randolph Co Fairgrounds south of Winchester Indiana. Grand prize drawing is for a Yaesu FT-891 HF/6M radio. There will be testing sessions as 10 am EST and 1 pm EST.

See Facebook page under EAST CENTRAL INDIANA HAM FEST or Google East Central Indiana Hamfest for more details. Website address: <https://sites.google.com/view/ecindianahamfest/home> Hope to see you there!

Emergency Coordinator Reports

Jim Moehring – KB9WWM – Allen Co,

The Allen County ARES Team supported the Trillium Fest at the LC Nature Park on May 6. Our support was successful and greatly appreciated by the event sponsor.

Noel Taylor – N9CJT – Bartholomew Co.

Gained another member

John W. Fisher - KD9IKN – Clay Co.

I have taken over the EC duties from Gary (W9EEU) starting May 1, 2023. We continue to plan for our demonstration for the Indiana Sheriff's Youth Ranch in July. We have also started discussing ways of doing more exercises, and community outreach.

Marv Gilliland – KC9RVL – Delaware Co.

EmComm ECI ARC regularly monthly meeting is not held in May due to conflict with Dayton Hamvention

Mike Tanksley – W9MDT – Greene Co.

Another quiet month for Greene County. Preparing to do some training in the future if there is enough interest. Stay safe and 73.

Don Somerville – KD9DHI – Hendricks Co.

Weekly/Monthly Nets: We conducted five (5) weekly Tuesday Night ARES Nets on the 145.130 MHz during the month and had good participation. We accumulated just over 22.2 man-hours of airtime.

The Hendricks County ARES Hospital Net (HRH/IU) was held on May 20th at 1030 on the 147.570 MHz simplex. Ken Kayler, KC9SQD, was the Net Control Operator. These nets are to check the capability on propagation of our radios with the net control operator as well as other amateurs in and around Hendricks County.

Community Events: TAHP Communications Seminar was held at the MADE Center in Plainfield Indiana on May 17th and we had several HCARES members attend and gave a short presentation on what we as ARES and HAMs do along with the equipment we use.

Miscellaneous: HACARES EC Don Somerville, KD9DHJ along with Jeff Pennycuff, W9JAP had a meeting with the Hendricks County EMA Director, staff and guests on May 4th to discuss what support the county will need from volunteer HAMs for both emergencies and other county related events going forward. Some topics discussed were manpower, equipment and procedures. HCARES EC is currently drafting a template for procedures. Next meeting is TBD.

Upcoming Events: The next ARES Hospital Simplex net will be on June 17th, 2023, starting at 10:30am on 147.570MHz simplex. Jeremy Enz, K9ENZ, will be the Net Control Operator at IU Health West hospital operating on 147.570MHz simplex.

HAM Training Classes: The next training classes/testing will be June 17th and June 24th from 0900 - 1600 at the Brownsburg LDS Church on 56th. For further information contact Verne Madden, N9VAM or Gordon Cotton, W9GKC.

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Plainfield Safety Day will be held again on June 10, 2023, from 1100-1400 at the Al & Jan Barker Sports Complex, 451 S. Vestal Rd., Plainfield, IN. HCAERS will have a booth and several members attending.

Robert LaGrange – N9SIU – Johnson Co,

It was an uneventful month in Johnson County for ARES. Plans are being made to volunteer for some events in August.

David L. Anderson – NM9R – Knox Co.

Public event 27 MAY 2023 @ Vincennes Redezvous

Eddie Hannah – KD9HGR – Miami Co.

Can use any help first time filling out the form

Jimmy Merry – KC9RPX – Monroe Co.

4 weekly ARES Nets, 4 Simplex Nets for practice. 2 Skywarn net for potential severe weather

Steve Jewell – W9RG – Scott Co.

In May, there was 5 scheduled ARES nets conducted on the Scott County EMA repeater (146.610) with 51 check-ins and a total of 75 minutes providing operators an opportunity to check and test their equipment.

The Scott County EMA Group will hold a VE session Saturday, June 10th at 11:00 AM. Sessions are normally held on the 2nd Saturday of every even numbered month. Walk-Ins are welcome, but all new candidates must be registered in the FCC CORES system and have received their FCC Registration Number (FRN) before exam day. The testing location is at the Bacala Center, 69 E Wardell St, SE Corner of Courthouse Square, Scottsburg IN 47170 and is ADA accessible. For more info email: steve@wr9g.net or visit www.wr9g.net/links. 73, Steve WR9G

Peter Crasher – W9DRB – Spencer Co.

5 analog and 5 digital nets

Official Emergency Station Reports

Don Evilsizor – KA9QWC – Whitley Co.

Busy with traffic nets & relays voice, packet & other digital messages. HF traffic band on 75M was poor at times.

Thomas Cosby – K9ATS – Lawrence Co.

2 in-person meetings 1 monthly, 5 nets with 48 total check-ins, 3 NTS messages, and 83 minute total net time - Work progressing in ARES Field Resources Manual, individual ARRL/FEMA certification training, and training net controllers - Up coming simplex net and capabilities testing June 17th.

INDIANA ARES BY THE NUMBERS (ONLY 18 ECs REPORTING!)

Total ARES Members reported: 454

Number of reporting ARES EC's: 18

Number of reporting OES's: 4

Number of reporting DEC's: 4

Number of ARES Nets: 90

Number of Nets with NTS liaison: 32

Number of exercises: 8

Number of Training sessions: 3

Community Service Events: 8

Person Hours: 626.8

Emergency Operations: 1

Person Hours: 20

SKYWARN Activations: 2

Person Hours: 17

Meetings: 11

Person Hours: 138.35

Indiana Section ARES Form 4 Report

Note: This is an automated report that rolls up to national ARES statistics. Currently, the SEC manually enters information into this report. In the future, reports from ECs and DEC's will automatically roll up to this report.

The following information was submitted by James Moehring, KB9WWM, IN SEC for Indiana, May, 2023 at 2023-06-14 17:45:58

Total number of DEC's/EC's appointed in section:	55
Number of DEC's/EC's reporting this month:	22
Total number of ARES members:	454
Member total change from last report:	-34
Number of ARES net sessions held:	90
Number of ARES net sessions held with NTS liaison:	32
Number of participants in nets:	1368

Number Person-Hrs

Exercises this month:	8	59.01
Training events this month:	3	46.00
Public service events this month:	0	0.00
Community service events this month:	8	626.80
Emergency events this month:	1	20.00
SKYWARN events this month:	2	17.00
Meetings this month:	11	138.35
Unclassified events this month:	1	6.00

Call signs of DEC's/EC's reporting:

EC: KB9WWM, N9CJT, KB9OIC, KD9IKN, K9PBN, KC9RVL, N9GTL, W9MDT, KD9DHJ, N9SIU NM9R, KD9FRT, W9SOX, KD9HGR, KC9RPX, N9JPX, WR9G, W9DRB

DEC: AC9EB, KB9WWM, N9UN, KC9RVL

Activity Details:

None

Administrative and Other Comments:

None

From the Section Manager's desk

Note: Each week, I send out an Indiana Section News email for that week. If you are an ARRL member, log into your profile on the ARRL website to make sure you have "Division and Section News" selected in the "Opt In/Out" section in order to get those weekly emails. The items you see here in the "From the Section Manager's desk" section of the monthly section news are taken from the weekly emails.

New Miami County EC

Congratulations to Eddie Hannah KD9HGR on his appointment as Emergency Coordinator for Miami County! We look forward to Eddie's leadership in the ARES program.

National Radio Astronomy Observatory is Looking for Young Adults to Join Their Project

The National Radio Astronomy Observatory (NRAO) is looking for up to 20 young adults to join their online amateur radio project. Students selected for the program will receive hands-on experience and learn how the electromagnetic spectrum is used in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM) fields. They will also learn about amateur radio and work towards gaining an amateur radio license if they don't already have one. For more information, go to: <https://superknova.org/ham-radio-project/>

Club Development Series

The ARRL Club Development Series continues this week with a seminar about creating a club website. It will be held Thursday, May 25, at 7:00 pm EDT. You can register for the seminar at: https://us06web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_sE3A6TEBThiVN9We_Kf_SQ

National Hurricane Center Amateur Radio Station Annual Test

The amateur radio station at the National Hurricane Center, WX4NHC, located on the campus of Florida International University in Miami, will conduct their on-the-air Annual Communications Test on Saturday, May 27, 2023, from 9 AM - 5 PM EDT (1300z-2100z). The Hurricane Watch Net will try to stay on 14.325 MHz for most of the time, as well as 7.268 MHz depending on propagation. They may also change frequencies due to potential QRM. More information can be found at: <https://www.hwn.org/> The VoIP Hurricane Net will also be active from 4 PM - 5 PM EDT (2000-2100z), on IRLP node 9219/EchoLink WX-TALK Conference node 7203. Visit their website at <https://voipwx.net> for more information.

CQ Magazine DX Marathon

If you like to chase DX, but prefer to do it at a slower pace than in a fast-moving DX contest, the DX Marathon may be for you. The Marathon started January 1 and will run through December 31. Work as many countries and CQ zones as you can regardless of band or mode. Each country and zone counts only once, so you can concentrate on working new ones. Once the scores are tallied at the end of the year, awards will be presented in several categories. For more information see: <https://dxmarathon.com/>

Upcoming Hamfests in Indiana

The up-to-date hamfest listing for Indiana, and the entire U.S., can be found on the ARRL's website at: <http://www.arrl.org/hamfests/search> Note: Hamfests must be submitted to the ARRL in order to appear on the ARRL website. For more information, see: <http://www.arrl.org/hamfest-convention-application>

If your hamfest is not listed here, please contact Bob Burns AK9R, ARRL Indiana Section Manager, at ak9r@arrl.org

Auburn Hamfest

Start Date: 07/29/2023

End Date: 07/29/2023

Location: Auburn Cord Duesenberg Museum

1600 Wayne Street

Auburn, IN 46706

Website: <http://w9ou.org>

Sponsor: Northeastern Indiana Amateur Radio Association

Type: ARRL Hamfest

Talk-In: 147.015 with 141.3 tone

Public Contact: John Chalmers , W9GOO

1400 Davidson Court Auburn, IN 46706

Phone: 260-927-5746

Email: w9ou@arrl.net

East Central Indiana Hamfest

Start Date: 07/29/2023

End Date: 07/29/2023

Location: Randolph County Fairgrounds

1885 South US Highway 27

Winchester, IN 47394

Website: <https://sites.google.com/view/ecindianahamfest/home>

Sponsor: Randolph County Amateur Radio Club, Whitewater Valley Amateur Radio Club, Jay County Amateur Radio Club

Type: ARRL Hamfest

Talk-In: 147.300+, PL 110.9

Public Contact: Jeremiah Cromis , KD9CCW

604 Beech Avenue Centerville, IN 47330

Phone: 765-238-7467

Email: inhamfest@gmail.com

Elkhart East Hamfest

Start Date: 08/05/2023

End Date: 08/05/2023

Location: Northern Indiana Event Center
21565 Executive Parkway
Elkhart , IN 46514

Website: <http://elkharteasthamfest.com>

Sponsor: Northern Indiana K9DEW Repeater Network

Type: ARRL Hamfest

Talk-In: 147.330+ PL 131.8

Public Contact: Elkhart East Hamfest , K9DEW

PO Box 772 Bristol, IN 46507

Phone: (574) 370-2436

Email: elkharthamfest@gmail.com

Hendricks County Tailgate Fest

Start Date: 08/12/2023

End Date: 08/12/2023

Location: Avon United Methodist Church
6850 E. US Hwy 36
Avon, IN 46123

Website: hendricksares.org

Sponsor: Ham Emergency Radio Operations

Type: ARRL Hamfest

Talk-In: 145.130 MHz PL-Tone 88.5

Public Contact: Kenneth A Kayler , KC9SQD

3090 Clover Dr. Plainfield, IN 46168

Phone: 317-874-7068

Email: kc9sqd425@gmail.com

ARANCI Hamfest

Start Date: 08/19/2023

End Date: 08/19/2023

Location: Christ Presbyterian Church
7416 E 109th Ave.
Winfield, IN

Website: <http://aranciradio.com>

Sponsor: Amateur Radio Association of Newton County

Type: ARRL Hamfest

Talk-In: 444.250

Public Contact: Michael Swiader , KA9E

PO Box 215 Lake Village, IN 46349

Phone: 815-409-5070

Email: ka9e@usa.com

Hamtober Fest

Start Date: 10/14/2023

End Date: 10/14/2023

Location: Lynnville Community Center
416 West RD 68, IN-68
Lynnville, IN 47619

Website: <http://hamtoberfest.com>

Sponsor: Tri State Amateur Radio Society

Type: ARRL Hamfest

Talk-In: None

Public Contact: Dennis Martin , WA2USA

5577 Victoria Ct. Newburgh, IN 47630

Phone: 812-598-8333

Email: wa2usa.ham@gmail.com

Hoosier Hills Hamfest

Start Date: 10/14/2023

End Date: 10/14/2023

Location: Lawrence County 4-H Fairgrounds

11265 US-50

Bedford, IN 47421

Website: <http://www.w9qyq.org/>

Sponsor: Hoosier Hills Ham Club

Type: ARRL Hamfest

Talk-In: 146.73 - PL/107.2

Public Contact: Nathan Lowery , KB9GMU

PO Box 891 Bedford, IN 47421

Phone: 812-675-2450

Email: hamfest@w9qyq.org

Fort Wayne Hamfest & Computer Expo

ARRL Central Division Convention

Start Date: 11/18/2023

End Date: 11/19/2023

Location: Allen County War Memorial Coliseum

4000 Parnell Ave.

Fort Wayne, IN 46801

Website: <http://www.fortwaynehamfest.com>

Sponsor: Allen County Amateur Radio Technical Society

Type: ARRL Convention

Talk-In: 146.880 (-) No Tone

Public Contact: ACARTS Fort , W9IWX

PO Box 10342 Fort Wayne, IN 46851

Phone: 260-579-2196

Email: chairman@fortwaynehamfest.com



The Northeastern Indiana Amateur Radio Association

AUBURN HAMFEST

New Date! **Saturday, July 29, 2023**

Auburn Cord Duesenberg Museum

1600 S. Wayne St. Auburn, IN 46706

OPEN 9 AM TO 2 PM • TALK-IN: 147.015 (141.3) 7:00 AM • LOAD-IN: 7 TO 9 AM

FREE Admission

6,000 SQ. FT. INDOOR DISPLAY SPACE (Not counting the huge Museum Area!)



FREE AUBURN CORD DUESENBERG Museum

View an amazing collection of classic motor vehicles.

FREE Parking

Supervised by the DeKalb County ARES Team.

NEW this year—FOOD VENDOR
on the parking lot.

NEED MORE INFO?
E-MAIL: W9OU@ARRL.NET

Indoor Vendor Tables: \$10 ea.

Order online now at www.w9ou.org

Outdoor Sales - One raffle ticket purchase for each parking space.

Contact: W9OU@ARRL.NET

Raffle Prizes:

- 1st-** Xiegu G90 HF Radio with Base
- 2nd-** Yaesu FT-70DR with Mag Mount Ant.
- 3rd-** N3FJP Logging software—Full Reg.
- 4th-** \$50.00 DX Engineering Gift Cert.

Ticket Prices \$5.00 - Buy 2, get 1 Free!

HAMFEST 2023

Randolph County 4-H Fairgrounds ★ 1885 South US Hwy 27, Winchester, IN 47394

FREE

- Parking
- Admission
- Vendor Spaces
- Door Prize Ticket

Talk-in:
147.300+
PL: 110.9

PRIZES

Door Prizes:

- Grand Prize — Yaesu FT-891 Mobile
- HF and 6 Meter
- 100 Watts SSB/CW/FM—25 Watts AM
- Retail \$639.95 @ Gigaparts



Plus—**THREE** chances to win a Yaesu FT-4XR HT!

Door prize drawings at least every half hour thanks to our awesome vendors and sponsors! See partial list on reverse side and a complete list posted at event.



EXTRA PRIZE TICKETS AVAILABLE AT THE DOOR!

**Be sure to join our
FOX HUNTS!**

Last year, our Fox Hunts were amazing. We were tricky, so this year we're giving you a heads up. We had a mobile fox and it could happen again! We love those little twists that make it a challenge!

**VE Testing Sessions:
10:00 AM and 1:00 PM**

Also Available:

- Breakfast
- Lunch
- Camping w/Electric - \$25
- Showers



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Use your smart phone to link to our website or enter the URL below!

**Saturday, July 29, 2023
8:00 AM to 3:00 PM Eastern**

Reserve your selling spaces on our website!
INhamfest.com | INhamfest@gmail.com

We reserve the right to change any of our scheduled activities. All food is provided by 4H Shooting Sports. No other food or drink vendors allowed.



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Call or book your reservation online

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2023 ELKHART EAST HAMFEST
SATURDAY AUGUST 5, 2023
9:00 AM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Northern Indiana Event Center
21565 Executive Parkway - Elkhart, IN 46514

More details are available on our website
at: <https://www.elkharteasthamfest.com>.

The Northern Indiana Event Center is
a state-of-the-art convention facility
located at the MH/RV Hall of Fame in
Elkhart, Indiana. (Toll Road at Exit 96)

Questions? info@elkharteasthamfest.com



Welcome and Join us!

Indoor 20,000 sq ft of Amateur Radio, Hobby Electronics, and More Convention
125 tables of retail and consumer vendors, HAM Radio license exams all classes
\$8.00 admission comes with discounted admission to the RV Hall of Fame

\$15.00 per table 120v/220v available at no charge
One free admission per vendor / children under 12 free

Talk-in: K9DEW Mishawaka Repeater (147.330+ 131.8 pl)

Additional Reserve Info.

info@elkharteasthamfest.com
Northern Indiana Event Center
21565 Executive Parkway
Elkhart, IN 46514



Hamtober Fest 2023



Southern Indiana 5th Annual Hamtober Fest

OCTOBER 14, 2023

LYNNVILLE COMMUNITY CENTER

LYNNVILLE, IN

7:00 AM - Noon CST

GPS 38.19453 -87.30147

FREE ADMISSION

DONATIONS APPRECIATED

**** Raffle for Yaesu FT-891 ****

Tickets \$5 each or 3 for \$10

**See a board member or come to a regular
TARS meeting for tickets!**

Attendance Prizes

INDOOR TABLES \$10 LIMITED AVAILABILITY

FREE Outdoor Flea Market, Food, Fellowship

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