

Indiana Section

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Friends we'll miss

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.

Wiley Grant N9WCJ of Eaton

Peggy Lee Webb W9PLW of Indianapolis

Jack Alexander N9BHT of Greentown

Patricia Cox KB9TJW of Terre Haute

Dennis Maxey W9DM of Anderson

Section Traffic Manager's Report

From Brian Jenks W9BGJ

Greetings everyone. Hope everyone is having a good summer and staying cool. Propagation has been up and down during some of our daytime net sessions however the check in's and traffic passed seem to be holding steady. Thanks everyone for all you do to keep the NTS going in the Indiana Section. Until next month 73!

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

INDIANA STM REPORT JULY 2023 HF NETS							
NET NAME	SOURCE	QNI	QTC	QTR	SESSIONS		
INDIANA SECT ARES	AC9EB	77	0	855	13		
IDTN	K9JAJ	118	15	281	22		
ITN	N9TU	1403	123	1340	60		
QIN	K0TQ	110	49	279	31		
TOTALS							
NETS REPORTING							

INDIANA STM REPORT JULY 2023								
PUBLIC SER	VICE HONOF	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 40 129 20 0 0 20 209								
TOTALS								
STATIONS REPORTING								

INDIANA STM REPORT JULY 2023 ORS AND SAR STATION REPORT							
STATION							
W9BGJ	ORS	0	31	15	0	46	
KA9QWC	ORS	0	11	44	7	62	
AB9ZA	ORS	0	57	44	13	114	
NA9L	ORS	4	4	4	2	16	
W9EEU	ORS	0	61	67	1	129	
W9PC	ORS	0	2	1	0	3	
W9MGB	ORS	3	3	2	2	10	

INDIANA STM REPORT JULY 2023					
VHF/UHF NETS					
NET NAME	SOURCE	QNI	QTC	QTR	SESSIONS
BLOOMINGTON ARC THUR NET	KC9RPX	50	15	65	5
CASS CO ARC	KA9BYN	72	0	123	5
CLAY COUNTY	W9EEU	54	0	80	6
CROSSROADS DMR	K9NQW	104	0	109	5
D STAR NET	K9NQW	54	0	89	4
DISTRICT ONE ARES	AC9EB	77	2	595	13
HENDRICKS CO	KD9DHJ	73	0	24	4
IMO NET	K9SKS	547	0	375	31
JEFFERSON CO	N9XVB	9	0	20	3
MID STATE ARC	K9DY	220	0	237	5
MONROE CO ARES	KC9RPX	146	144	254	5
MORGAN CO ARES	N9JPX	73	0	87	6
NORTHEAST IN PACKET NET	KA9QWC	53	5	173	5
SCOTT CO ARES/RACES	WR9G	46	6	74	4
SOUTH CENTRAL AREA	KA9OPL	55	0	99	4
SOUTH CENTRAL IN SIMPLEX NET	K9MRV	28	0	67	5
SIMPLEX FELLOWSHIP NET	N9CJT	25	0	158	4
TARS EVANSVILLE	KE9YK	89	0	142	5
WABASH VALLEY	KC9LDJ	75	0	115	4
TRI STATE 2 METER	W9OU	273	0	373	20
WABASH VALLEY	KC9LDJ	88	0	131	5
WCARC UHF	KA9QWC	35	4	96	4
WELCOME NET	KC9RPX	45	5	118	5
WHITLEY CO ARES	K9EJS	67	0	24	4
21 REPEATER GROUP	KA9QWC	39	4	66	4

NETS REPORTING

July 2023 Monthly Report for D/Star and DMR								
DMR								
		Net				Time	Time	
Date		Control	QNI	QTC	QTR	Began	Ended	Freq
07/03/23		KC9OYW	15	0	17	20:00	20:17	442.750(+)
07/10/23		KC9OYW	22	0	21	20:00	20:21	442.750(+)
07/17/23		K9NQW	24	0	26	20:00	20:26	442.750(+)
07/25/22		K9NQW	22	0	23	20:00	20:23	442.750(+)
07/31/23		K9NQW	21	0	22	20:00	20:22	442.750(+)
Sessions:	5	Total:	104		109			
D-Star D-Star								
		Net				Time	Time	
Date		Control	QNI	QTC	QTR	Began	Ended	Freq
07/06/23		K9NQW	13	0	24	20:00	20:24	443.400(+)
07/13/23		K9NQW	10	0	20	20:00	20:20	443.400(+)
07/20/23		KA9OPL	18	0	25	20:00	20:25	443.400(+)
07/27/23		KA9OPL	13	0	20	20:00	20:20	443.400(+)
Sessions:	4	Total:	54		89			

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.

Technical Specialist Coordinator Report

From Tom Busch WB8WOR

Roger McEntarfer, N9RM

For the month of July, I continued keeping busy with Whitley County Amateur Radio Club meetings and VE Testing locally and nationwide.

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, and Tennessee with 15 plus sessions per week. Testing seems to have slowed down since the General Class license pool change and summer. With my recent Vanity call change to N9RM I have also been granted ARRL Test team Lead credentials so I will be starting ARRL sessions soon and continue my W5YI sessions also.

I received my Flex6600 and will unpacking it and getting things set up soon, setup got delayed with an emergency trip to the Florida home.

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/

Mark Skowronski K9MQ

I assisted two local amateurs this month. The first one, recently assembled an Elecraft KPA500 amplifier and a Elecraft KAT-500 tuner, and was ready to get on the air with it. He was looking for some help on getting all the cabling connected between his transceiver, amp, and tuner. Once we did that, I verified power output from his amp into my Bird wattmeter and dummy load. Once the amp was verified to be working correctly, we got on the air and immediately worked one of the 13 Colonies special event stations on 20 meters!

The second amateur requesting assistance, wanted to get on FT8 for the first time and had some questions about using a Signalink digital interface and the WSJT-X software. He is still working on getting everything setup, so he may have further questions down the road.

I've been busy chasing grids on six meters. I recently received my 225 grid VUCC endorsement on 6m. As of today, I am five grids away from my 250 grid endorsement.

Jeff Delucenay KB9QG

July had been busy as the Auburn Hamfest is on the 29th of July I do the table placement and table assignment for the hamfest along with John, W9G00 and JD, KD9QDL.

On July 16th Jeffery Williams passed all three license tests to get an Extra License. This is a rare event and he did an excellent job!!

I have finished a HF Digital Power Meter project using an Ardruino Nano microcontroller.

During Field Day, due to co-location of antennas, there was crosstalk between 40 Meter and 20 Meter bands. Bandpass filter have been ordered to eliminate the issue for next year.

We have had some items from estates donated to the NIARA. I have worked on some equipment to get it ready for use or sale.

I have been covering Friday night nets since no one a volunteered to cover Friday net.

Section Emergency Coordinator's Report

From Bob Burns AK9R, Acting SEC

Greetings all! Congratulations to Mike Alley W9MSK on his appointment as Indiana ARES Section Emergency Coordinator. Mike is still getting up to speed on his duties, so Section Manager Bob Burns AK9R handled the reports for July. Thank you to all the DEC, ECs, and OESs who submitted their reports.

District Emergency Coordinators Reports

Allen Bottorff - AC9EB - District 1

Effort to increase numbers of NWS-Northern Indiana/NCS positions with in D1 and other ARES positions are underway.

Brian Sexton - KD9EDR - District 2

We are holding monthly district meetings and building a more cohesive and constructive district-wide ARES program. With several new EMA directors I am getting around to meet with them and letting them know about ARES. Fulton Co. has a new repeater and tower as part of collaboration with the county EMA and 911. They have started a regular Skywarn net and I will be working with them to identify a good candidate for EC.

Emergency Coordinator Reports

Mary Gilliland – KC9RVL – Delaware Co.

The East Central Indiana Hamfest was held in Winchester IN on July 29th. It was well attended, with participants from Louisville, Cincinnati, and New Albany. Tower Electronics was there as usual. Thanks to Bob Burns AK9R for participating in the event. The White River Cleanup will be held on Saturday, September 16th from 07:30 until about noon. We provide communications for this event, and are looking for 25 operators. Food will be provided. A dual band radio is all that is needed. Loaner radios are available as well. If you are available, or for any questions contact me at KC9RVL@ARRL.net

David T. Menges -- WD9TEN -- Elkhart Co.

Supported Elkhart County 4-H Fair parade with 15 operators on 23 July.

Mike Tanksley – W9MDT – Greene Co.

Relatively quiet month of July. The Greene County EMA office issued a travel advisory and requested Churches in the county open for cooling station during a heat wave in the latter part of the month. July 20th we had a severe thunderstorm move through that brought us bit of hail but there was no damage reported during that event. Congratulations Mike/W9MSK on your appointment.

Don Somerville – KD9DHI – Hendricks Co.

Weekly/Monthly Nets:

We conducted three (3) weekly Tuesday Night ARES Nets on the 145.130 MHz during the month and had good participation. There was no regular net on July 4th. We accumulated just over 21 man-hours of airtime.

The Hendricks County ARES Hospital Net (HRH/IU) was held on July 15th at 1030 on the 147.570 MHz simplex. Matt Klabon KD9OJB, 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.

SKYWARN: There were two activations this month due to severe weather. Luckily there were no reports of damage or injuries during these events. We accumulated just over 5.9 man-hours.

Thank you to all those ARES members who responded to the activation.

Training:

HAM Training Classes: Currently the next training is scheduled for the last two Sat in Sept and the Senior Center. For further information contact Verne Madden, N9VAM or Gordon Cotton, W9GKC.

Miscellaneous:

Monthly ARES Leadership Meeting was held on July 3rd, from 1900 to 2030.

Upcoming Events:

This year's Hendricks County Tailgate Fest, sponsored by the Ham Emergency Radio Operations will be on August 12, 2023, at the Avon United Methodist Church, located at 6850 E. US HWY 36 in Avon In. Vendor Setup will be from 8am-9am, with Event starting at 9am. Bring your own power source. There will be "Door Prizes". Food and Refreshment available from McDonalds across the street. For more please contact Ken Kayler KC9SQD at kc9sqd425@gmail.com

Brian Sexton -- KD9EDR -- Kosciusko Co.

Kos. Co. ARES members assisted the Elkhart ARES with the fair parade and was present at the Culver Lake Fest along with Marshall Co. ARES. We had a good training meeting where we assembled powerpole cables and updated task-book sign-offs.

Tom Cosby Jr. -- K9ATS -- Lawrence Co.

The totals for July was 5 nets, 78 minutes runtime, 43 check-ins, 5 NTS messages (3 practice). Not bad for summer when most are gone on vacations or out and about with family. Our monthly in-person meeting was rescheduled. Many have plans to improve their stations, antennas/gear, so hopefully with cooler Fall weather coming we will see progress with individual capabilities too.

Charles A. "Chuck" Dilts -- N9CAD -- Marshall Co.

The Marshall County ARES (MCARES) team was active in July. On top of our monthly meeting, MCARES attended the District 2 ARES meeting and coordinated with the Culver Lakefest Committee. We provided ARES and general Ham Radio information at the annual Culver Lake Fest. The weather was poor and many persons stopped by chatted about amateur radio and asked about the weather, as a radar display was set up. HF, local 2 meter and 440 radios were available, as well as WinLink.

Jimmy Merry – KC9RPX – Monroe Co.

We had 4 active Skywarn nets during the month plus 2 additional standby Skywarn nets for a total of 219 person hours.

Peter C. Crasher -- W9DRB -- Spencer Co.

5 analog and 5 digital nets

Edward Scott -- K9EJS -- Whitley Co.

Whitley County ARES Members finally met for the first time since Pre-COVID. This new meeting will be in conjunction with our EMA Volunteers and RACES Members. The goal for the meeting is to train together for a better working relationship, allowing Amateurs to learn new skills and hopefully pulling in some new Amateurs. We also assisted with the Bi-Monthly Early Siren Testing for the City of Columbia City

Official Emergency Station Reports

Don Evilsizor - KA9QWC - Whitley Co.

July certainly brought on various weather conditions needing to unplug antennas. Still enjoyed traffic nets. ITN, IDTN, VHF PACKET, PACKET WINLINK - Making for diversity for traffic handling. My memory sure faded for Field Day using the wrong class E, should of been D. Oh well guess there is next year.

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 DECs will automatically roll up to this report.

Form 4 - ARES Monthly SEC Report

The following information was submitted by Robert Burns, AK9R, IN ALTSEC for Indiana, July, 2023 at 2023-08-11 22:09:12

Total number of DECs/ECs appointed in section: 60
Number of DECs/ECs reporting this month: 27
Total number of ARES members: 466
Member total change from last report: 96
Number of ARES net sessions held: 111
Number of ARES net sessions held with NTS liaison: 52

Number of participants in nets: 1332

Number Person-Hrs

Exercises this month: 27 324.00 Training events this month: 0 0.00 Public service events this month: 280.00 9 Community service events this month: 0 0.00 Emergency events this month: 0.00 SKYWARN events this month: 29 559.00 Meetings this month: 0.00 Unclassified events this month: 0.00

Call signs of DECs/ECs reporting:

KC9RVL, KD9EDR, AC9EB, K9PBN, N9CJT, N9JPX, WR9G, KD9IKN, N9SIU, KD9FRT, N9GTL, KV9N, KD9DHJ, KB9OIC, KB9WWM, KD9LWR, KD9FRT, WB9TEN, KD9EDR, N9CAD, W9MDT, KC9RPX, W9DRB, W9SOX, K9EJS

Activity	Details:
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Busy month with severe weather nets and county fairs.

Administrative and Other Comments:

New SEC appointed, Mike Alley W9MSK, but SM completed this report.

Public Information Coordinator's Report

From Barry Palencer KC9WMS

DeKalb County PIO John D Maag KD9QDL

The Auburn Hamfest was a great success. All tables were sold plus outside sales. We had 348 people show up. Food was provided by Aktion, they are a subgroup of Kiwanis that raises money for Riley Children's Foundation.

Another new Ham club member who pass all 3 tests to be an Extra. Congrats to Jeffrey Williams, AC9CP.

Teacher Gabe Oberlin, AF8GO, Advances Amateur Radio Knowledge at ARRL Headquarters

Northeast Indiana, [July 2023] - Gabe Oberlin, a dedicated member of the Northeast Indiana Amateur Radio Association, recently returned from a transformative visit to the American Radio Relay League (ARRL) headquarters. During this enriching experience, Gabe, known by his call sign AF8GO, delved into the fascinating world of amateur satellite communication and achieved the remarkable feat of making a radio contact via the International Space Station (ISS).

The visit to ARRL headquarters provided Gabe with invaluable hands-on training and insights into making radio contacts via amateur satellites and establishing connections with the Amateur Radio on the International Space Station (ARISS). This unique opportunity has not only bolstered Gabe's technical skills but has also enriched his understanding of the global amateur radio community.

Notably, Gabe Oberlin skillfully operated the renowned W1AW radio station, a historic hub for amateur radio enthusiasts. While at the station, Gabe successfully established contact with fellow club members KC9IPL, KB9QG, KC9YY, and W9GOO, showcasing the collaborative spirit and camaraderie inherent in amateur radio activities.

Amateur radio, also known as "ham" radio, has long been an avenue for fostering communication, learning, and friendship across borders. Gabe Oberlin's dedication to the hobby exemplifies the vibrant and dynamic nature of amateur radio in the Northeast Indiana region.

With his newfound expertise, Gabe looks forward to sharing his experiences and knowledge with students and fellow club members, promoting the growth and understanding of amateur radio within the community.

About Northeast Indiana Amateur Radio Association: The Northeast Indiana Amateur Radio Association is a thriving community of amateur radio enthusiasts based in Northeast Indiana. The organization is committed to fostering camaraderie, education, and technical expertise among its members, promoting the use of amateur radio as a tool for global communication and emergency preparedness.



Whitley County PIO Roger McEntarfer, N9RM

I announced in the local newspapers: Churubusco News, IN Whitley County, and South Whitley The Tribune News, Local WJHS 91.5 FM (Whitley County Joint High School) radio station, Local Web based News: Columbia City Talk of the Town. HF Nets: Indiana Traffic Net and several of the local 2M and 70 CM nets around the northern Indiana area about the Whitley County Amateur Radio Club (WCARC) General Meeting on July 13, 2023, the Whitley County W5YI Virtual Remote Test Sessions every Monday at 8:00 PM, and the Whitley County Amateur Radio Club (WCARC) General Meeting/Club Birthday Bash on August 10, 2023.

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

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From the Section Manager's desk

<u>Note:</u> 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.

Indiana Section Emergency Coordinator appointment

I am pleased to announce the appointment of Mike Alley W9MSK as ARRL Indiana Section Emergency Coordinator.

Mike brings over 20 years of experience in amateur radio, serving public safety, hospitals, and the community. Mike has served as the Hamilton County RACES Officer, Training Officer, and Emergency Coordinator. He has helped organize and served as net control for marathons, including net control for the South Logistics Net for the Chicago Marathon, which consistently uses over 100 amateur radio operators for support. Through his work providing emergency preparedness services, he has provided planning, training, or exercises for every hospital in the state, worked with every County's EMA, Indiana Department of Homeland Security, Indiana Department of Health, Integrated Public Safety Commission, and FEMA on various projects, including training and the integration of amateur radio. He looks forward to sharing his knowledge and enthusiasm for amateur radio on a statewide level to assist operators in serving their communities.

Field Day Media

The Patoka Valley Amateur Radio Club got a nice article in the Dubois County Free Press about their Field Day operation (https://www.duboiscountyfreepress.com/roger-roger-amateur-radio-operators-hobby-about-fun-and-service/). Did anybody else get an article in their local paper or a story on the local TV news? If so, please send me a link.

Volunteers On The Air

By now, you have heard of the ARRL Volunteers on the Air operating event for 2023. This is similar to the ARRL Centennial Celebration in 2014 in that if you make on-the-air contact with an ARRL volunteer, you get points that will accumulate on an online leaderboard. The details of the event along with the points table for each volunteer position can be found here: http://www.arrl.org/volunteers-on-the-air

Also, just like the ARRL Centennial, W1AW/portable stations will be on the air from each state twice during the year. Indiana is scheduled for the weeks of July 26 and December 13. Mark Williams K9GX (K9GX@thepoint.net) is coordinating the July 26 activation.

There are several ways to participate:

- 1. Make contact with other ARRL volunteers on the air. You can use the Volunteer Point Value Table to see how much each contact is worth: https://www.arrl.org/files/file/VOTA%20-%20Volunteers%20On%20The%20Air/VOTA 2023 Points v5 3.pdf
- 2. If you are an ARRL appointee or office holder, get on the air and let folks know that you are passing out points. For example, an on-air contact with me is worth 175 points.
- 3. Look for W1AW/portable stations on the air. You can find a list of activations here: https://vota.arrl.org/w1awPortable.php
- 4. Activate W1AW/9 for Indiana. Please contact Mark Williams K9GX at k9gx@thepoint.net or Carl Luetzelschwab K9LA at k9la@arrl.org to volunteer and coordinate your on-the-air time.

WVARA talks amateur radio with Indiana Sheriffs Youth Ranch campers

Kudos to the hams from Wabash Valley Amateur Radio Association for demonstrating amateur radio at the recent Indiana Sheriffs Youth Ranch camp in Brazil. WVARA hams set up four stations so they could rotate smaller teams of campers through each station. Stations were: communicating with JS8Call between inexpensive 2m radios, making contacts on 20m, FM voice communications hands-on demo, using resonant antennas and making POTA contacts on 15m.

What's your club doing to reach out to youth?

Hams helping hams

The heatwave that most of us in Indiana are experiencing is nothing new to experienced Hoosiers, but it is persistent this year. Might be a good idea to check on your ham friends, and anyone who is important to you, to make sure they are doing OK with the heat. Clubs may want to go through their rosters and make some phone calls to club members to see how they are doing.

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

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

Turkey Fest & Computer Expo

Start Date: 11/25/2023 **End Date:** 11/25/2023

Location: Clay County 4-H Fairgrounds

6550 North St Rd 59 Brazil, IN 47834

Website: http://w9uuu.org

Sponsor: Wabash Valley Amateur Radio Association, Inc

Type: ARRL Hamfest Talk-In: 146.685 pl 151.4

Public Contact: Chuck Procarione, w9cod

444 South 4th St. Clinton, IN 47842

Phone: 812-239-8061 **Email:** famabc@yahoo.com

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

Sponsored by Tri-State Amateur Radio Society www.w9og.net (http://www.w9og.net)

Contact Us: hamfest@w9og.net (mailto:hamfest@w9og.net)

For more information www.hamtoberfest.com (http://www.hamtoberfest.com/)

51st FORT WAYNE HAMFEST & Computer Expo

ARRL Central Division Convention

Ham Radio License Testing All Classes (\$14) 9 AM till 12 PM Saturday

> WAS & DXCC Card Checking and CQ Awards

Youth Lounge (under 12 accompanied by adult)

New & Used Ham Equipment Dealers
Main & Hourly Door Prizes
2 Rooms of Special Interest Forums
All Day Saturday

Talk-in Radio Frequency 146.880 (-)

Tables: \$30 Regular, \$50 Premium, \$33 Electricity Drive Directly to Your Table for Setup



November

18 & 19

2023

SAT 9 AM to 4 PM SUN 9 AM to 2 PM

Admission: \$8 Sat &
Sun
\$4 Sun only
Children under 12 free
(with adult)

Allen County
War Memorial Coliseum
4000 Parnell Ave
Fort Wayne, IN
73,000 sq. ft. all indoors
(Coliseum Parking \$8 per vehicle)

Get the latest information at www.fortwaynehamfest.com www.facebook.com/FTWAYNEHAMFEST/
Contact (260) 579-2196, PO Box 10342, Fort Wayne, IN 46851



Wabash Valley Amateur Radio Association, Inc.

2023 TurkeyFest & Computer Expo

with

Commercial Vendors Saturday November 25, 2023

Indoor Event - Rain or Shine!

8:00 AM to 12:00 PM EST

Vendor setup begins at 6:00 AM

Clay County 4-H Fairgrounds 6550 North State Road 59 – Brazil, IN

(39° 29' 03" N, 87° 07' 30" W)



Talk-In: K9IKQ/R – 146.685 MHz – PL 151.4 Hz Admission \$10.00 (12 and under free)

Free Tables



Hourly drawings for Door Prizes

Breakfast Served – DXCC/VUCC/WAS Card Checking

More information: http://w9uuu.org or contact hamfest@w9uuu.org