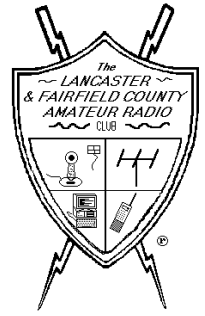


# The Ragchewer



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The Monthly News Letter of The Lancaster & Fairfield County Amateur Radio Club

### Club Meetings:

1st Thursday of every month at 7:30 p.m. at the Club House on State Route 37 (Granville Pike) next to Beavers Field.

### Radio Night:

Every Thursday of every month (Except 1st Thursday) at the Clubhouse, 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. on State Route 37 (Granville Pike) next to Beavers Field.

### Net:

Mondays 8 p.m.  
147.030 MHz (+.6)  
146.700 MHz (-.6)  
Alternate Freq.  
443.875 MHz (+5)

Club Packet BBS:  
145.53 MHz  
K8QIK-1 BBS  
K8QIK-2: OHIO53  
(Club Node)

## Field Day 2001 .....



Chuck Bruckelmeyer, W8LCT (rear) and Tom Moore, KB8USK prepare to launch the 160 meter support kite from the Club House parking lot.

Drop in and see us on Radio Night,  
Thursday evenings at 6:30 PM.  
You'll be glad you did!!



## Upcoming Central Ohio Amateur Radio Exams:

Date/Time	City	Location	Contact	Phone Number
Aug. 19 10:00 AM	Lancaster	Red Cross – 121 W. Mulberry (Rear)	Allen Sellers, KB8JLG	740-654-8167 Walk-ins allowed

# Public Service Communications



**Edward Campbell, WD8PGO**  
Fairfield Co. EC

**The Lancaster and Fairfield County Amateur Radio Club**

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Hello Everyone!

Thanks for everyone's help during the Lancaster Festival. The Club's support was appreciated.

Edward Campbell, Sr.  
Emergency Coordinator – Fairfield County

## AWARDS AWARDS AWARDS

**Tom Moore -KB8USK**

The VHF/UHF Century Club is the League's newest award for working and confirming VHF/UHF contacts in 2 degree x 1 degree grid square locators on all V/U/SHF bands from 50 Mhz to 300 Ghz. Satellite and Laser contacts count too. Individual certificates are issued per band to those meeting initial qualifying levels, with an extensive endorsement program beyond the initial certificate. All cards must be checked by ARRL VHF Awards Managers -- contact HQ for the Awards Manager near you. A VUCC lapel pin is available at a nominal charge.

## Happy Birthday....

### JULY BELATED BIRTHDAYS:

KB8USO - GREGG RUSSELL - 11  
W8OF - JOHN HILLIARD - 13  
AA8YY - CARL DEEVER - 15  
N8UTE - BOB BICKEL - 16  
N8VYB - BLAINE HAYES - 20  
KB8DRQ - DAVID O'HARE - 31

### AUGUST BIRTHDAYS:

AA8JH - CLIFF (PETE) ANDERSON - 2  
KC8FOU - MICHAEL STUTSKE - 10  
W8QCO - RICHARD HARRISON - 18  
KB8OIW - CHARLES KINSER - 20  
W8FZ - FREDRICK STUTSKE - 20  
AA8LY - DENNIS FREAR - 24  
KB8VOL - MARIE MOORE - 26  
WA8IBT - PAUL DILLIARD - 27

The Club is in need of a Newsletter Editor. Yours truly will be resigning as Publisher/Editor of this Newsletter after the October issue. If you are interested in being Editor, let us know. .... W8FZ

Check out our Club Web Site at: [www.qsl.net/k8qiq](http://www.qsl.net/k8qiq)

### CW LEARNING NET

The CARA CW Learning Net is Every Friday night at 8:00 P.M. on the K8NIO repeater 145.490 (-). Portion of 2 hour net is devoted to letter learning and the balance to QSO designed to promote speed development. Carl, AA8YY is Net Control.

### SLOW SCAN TV NET

The COSSTV (Central Ohio Slow Scan TV), <http://www.qsl.net/n8tut/sstv>, Net is the first Sunday of every Month at 7:00 PM. The group meets on the K8NIO repeater 145.490(-). All you need is a 2m radio, a computer with a sound card, and the W95SSTV software. The Software is available on the internet at <http://www.siliconpixels.com/W95SSTV/W95dload.htm>.

**The Lancaster & Fairfield County Amateur Radio Club**

Monthly Meeting Notes  
July 5<sup>th</sup>, 2001 19:30 EST.

Pledge of Allegiance

**Trustee**

Richard Schleiffer – W9ZZX

We are reminded that the Repeater Council has suggested that we put our repeater in PL to prevent interference. Club members are asked how they feel about this situation.

**President**

Charlie Snoke – N8KZN

Charlie is still checking tower space at Sugar Grove School for the 146.700 repeater.

**Secretary Report**

Kevin Numbers – KC8MTV

Report read from June 7<sup>th</sup>, 2001 meeting.  
Motion to accept made by Harry C. Vollmer, W8LXC.  
Seconded motion made by Jeremy J. Burgess, KC8OOM.

**Treasury Report**

Ed Campbell Sr., - WD8PGO

Report read for the month of June 2001.  
Motion to accept made by Jeremy J. Burgess, KC8OOM.  
Seconded motion made by RICHARD A. SCHLEIFFER, W9ZZX.

**Vice President**

Larry Wright – KB8AHK

Nothing to report.

**Activities**

Candy Wright – KC8NQG

Club Campout is being planned for August 2001.

**V.E. Testing**

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August 19<sup>th</sup>, 2001 in Lancaster at the Red Cross.

**Net Control**

Brenda Van Dyke – KC8OYP

Charlie tells everyone that Brenda is doing a great job.

**Flower Fund**

Marie Moore – KB8VOL

Winner is Candice S. Wright, KC8NQG.

**Emergency Coordinator**

Ed Campbell Sr., - WD8PGO

Had a great turnout for the Parade and Fireworks Parking. Reminds us about the Festival activities. Needs volunteers.

**OLD BUSINESS**

-There will be no Farm Day event this year due to lack of club volunteers.  
-This years Field Day activity turned out great.

**NEW BUSINESS**

-There was a motion made by RICHARD A. SCHLEIFFER, W9ZZX that stated the club should reimburse LARRY F. WRIGHT, KB8AHK for the coax that he purchased for Field Day. James E. Gaffney, N8JEG, seconded the motion.  
- There was a motion made by Marie T. Moore, KB8VOL to reimburse Larry F. Wright, KB8AHK for repairs needed to fix his radio, which was damaged, during Field Day. CONSTANCE L. SNOKE, N8LPC seconded the motion.  
- There is a reminder that Club Officer Elections are coming up.  
- Also a reminder about the Bremen Octoberfest on Sep. 29<sup>th</sup>.  
- July 19<sup>th</sup> is Steak Night at the Club House.

**Refreshments for August Meeting will be James E. Gaffney N8JEG !!**

Motion to close meeting made by THOMAS L. MOORE, KB8USK.

Seconded motion made by IVOR G. "Hollywood" RUTAN, WA8YSC.

➤ **ALINCO** *Alinco promotion ends 09/30/01.*

Order	Model	Regular	Comment	Price	Pg.
#4238	DJ-196T	\$139.95		\$139.95	66
#0058	DJ-C5T	159.95		159.95	66
#0729	DJ-G5TH	289.95		289.95	66
#0472	DJ-V5TH	229.95		229.95	66
#0222	DJ-X 2T	219.95		219.95	
#3610	DJ-X10T	329.95	Sale. Free Book #3301	329.95	15
#2020	DJ-X2000T	835.00	New item!	499.95	16
#1980	DR-135T	169.95		169.95	62
#4239	DR-135TP	269.95		269.95	62
#3621	DR-605TQ	349.95		349.95	62
#1387	DR-610TQ	439.98		439.98	62
#0033	DX-70TH	749.95		749.95	57
#3689	DX-77T	739.95		739.95	57

➤ **AOR** *AOR promotion ends 09/30/01.*

Order	Model	Regular	Comment	Price	Pg.
#3265	AR-8200MkII	\$559.95	Free Book #3301	\$559.95	15
#0860	AR-8600	\$849.95	Free Book #3301	\$849.95	16

➤ **DRAKE**

Order	Model	Regular	Comment	Price	Pg.
#0082	R8B	1348.95		1348.95	5

➤ **GRUNDIG** *Grundig promotion ends 09/30/01.*

Order	Model	Regular	Comment	Price	Pg.
#4040	MiniWorld 100	\$44.95	New lower price	\$29.95	21
#0800	Satellit 800	499.95		499.95	20
#0300	YB-300PE	99.95		99.95	21
#0400	YB-400PE	199.95	Free SWL Book #2984	199.95	21

➔ Ask about our RECONDITIONED Grundig radios. Save big!

➤ **ICOM** *ICOM promotion ends 09/30/01.*

Order	Model	Regular	Comment	Price	Pg.
#1610	207H	\$299.95		\$299.95	61
#3450	706Mk2-G	1069.95	\$150 Off Coupon	919.95	58
#0718	718	699.95	\$100 Off Coupon	599.95	58
#0657	746	1469.95	\$200 Coupon & Log Book	1269.95	58
#4019	756 Pro	2699.95	\$250 Off Coupon	2449.95	58
#1256	2100H	179.95		179.95	61
#1153	2800H	539.95	\$50 Off Coupon	489.95	61
#3100	PCR100-12	239.99		239.99	13
#3628	PCR1000-02	399.99	\$50 Off Coupon	349.99	13
#2481	Q7A-05 BC	139.95		139.95	64
#2488	R 2-06	179.95	CSWHHRX & \$20 Coupon	159.95	15
#3333	R 3-26	469.95	Sale & \$100 Off Coupon	369.95	12
#3550	R10-05	349.99	CSWHHRX & \$50 Coupon	299.99	14
#0175	R75	779.95	Sale & \$200 Off Coupon	569.99	6
#1850	R8500-02	1699.95	Free Book #3301	1449.99	13
#3088	T2H	139.95		139.95	64
#3052	T7H	199.95		199.95	64
#3795	T81A	299.95		279.95	64
#0838	W32A	259.95		259.95	64

➤ **JAPAN RADIO CO.**

Order	Model	Regular	Comment	Price	Pg.
#1545	NRD-545DSP	1799.95		1799.95	8

➤ **KENWOOD**

Order	Model	Regular	Comment	Price	Pg.
#1575	TH-22ATK2	\$219.95		\$219.95	63
#1784	TH-79AKSS	369.95		369.95	63
#4211	TH-D7AG	419.95		419.95	63
#3699	TH-G71A(H)	269.95		269.95	63
#2164	TM-261A	169.95		169.95	60
#4116	TM-D700A	599.95		599.99	60
#0912	TM-742AD	629.95		629.95	60
#1621	TM-G707A	299.95		299.95	60
#3565	TM-V7A	429.95		429.95	60
#1862	TS-570D(G)	1099.95		1049.99	54
#2519	TS-570S(G)	1299.95		1249.99	54
#1978	TS-2000	2199.95		2199.95	54
#2797	TS-2000X	2699.95		2699.95	54
#1937	TS-B2000	2199.95		1799.95	54

➤ **SANGEAN** *Sangean promotion ends 08/31/01.*

Order	Model	Regular	Comment	Price	Pg.
#2181	ATS-404	\$89.95		\$89.95	22
#0505	ATS-505	129.95		129.95	22
#3319	ATS-606AP	119.95	Sale to 08/31/01	99.99	22
#0936	ATS-808A	119.95		119.95	22
#2754	ATS-818	149.95		149.95	22
#1069	ATS-818ACS	199.95		199.95	22
#1909	ATS-909	239.95	Free SR1BC AM/FM #4263	239.95	22

➤ **SONY**

Order	Model	Regular	Comment	Price	Pg.
#0841	ICF-2010	\$349.95		\$349.95	18
#3677	ICF-B200	69.98	Close Out!	39.98	24
#0007	ICF-SW07	419.95		419.95	19
#0017	ICF-SW11	49.95		49.95	20
#2493	ICF-SW77	469.95		469.95	18
#0111	ICF-SW100S	359.95		359.95	19
#1994	ICF-SW1000T	449.95		449.95	18
#0360	ICF-SW7600GR	169.95	New! In stock.	169.95	

➤ **YAESU** *Yaesu promotion ends 09/30/01.*

Order	Model	Regular	Comment	Price	Pg.
#2786	FRG-100B	\$599.95	\$100 Coupon	\$499.95	11
#3070	FT-50RD-41	269.95	\$20 Coupon	249.95	65
#1242	FT-90R		\$30 Coupon	349.99	61
#3473	FT-100D		\$100 Coupon	999.99	57
#2319	FT-840	729.95	\$100 Coupon	629.95	56
#0817	FT-817	759.95	New item!	759.95	56
#1467	FT-847	1799.95	\$300 Coupon	1499.95	56
#1955	FT-920	1499.95	\$150 Coupon	1349.95	56
#2360	FT-1000MP-V		\$250 Coupon	2949.99	56
#2736	FT-1500M	214.95	\$15 Coupon	190.95	62
#3869	FT-2600M	219.95	\$20 Coupon	199.95	62
#3774	FT-3000M	399.95		399.95	62
#0071	FT-7100M	439.95	New!	439.95	
#0120	VR-120	199.95	Sale to 09/30	179.99	
#0500	VR-500	309.95	\$30 Coupon	279.95	15
#0050	VR-5000	889.95	New!	889.95	15
#3652	VX-1R	189.95		189.95	65
#1795	VX-5R	339.95		339.95	65
#3187	VX-150/64B	159.95		159.95	65



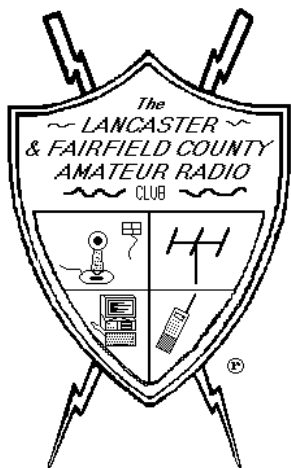
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Contact James Morton, KB8KPJ  
6070 Northgap Drive  
Columbus, OH 43229-1945  
Ph: 614-846-7790  
Em: kb8kpj@cs.com

**August 18, 2001**

**Portsmouth Radio Club**

Friendship Community Center  
St. Rt. 52, Friendship, OH  
Talk-in 145.390 PLL 136.5  
Contact Jack King, KB8NBI  
740-372-5811 or  
Kim Lozier, KJ8WW  
740-456-1616

## **Here's the August 2001 Ragchewer!**

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