

# Club Officers Needed

Each year, a nominating committee should be appointed at the August meeting to prepare a slate of officers for the coming year. The slate will be reported at the September meeting. This year we allowed the August meeting to close without a nominating committee being appointed. Therefore it becomes the responsibility of all members to make sure we have a slate of officers.

At the close of the September meeting we must have a slate of officers in place for the coming year. Consider it our duty to select someone or volunteer ourselves to run for an office. None of the responsibilities of the elected officers are so difficult that any one of us couldn't do it.

Please consider volunteering for an office. The current elected officials have been in office for 2 years or more and probably would welcome some relief from the monthly responsibilities. We all appreciate the work they have done but should consider giving them a break. New people inject new ideas and talents into our club.

We provide communications and other volunteer work in our community. These contributions are appreciated and must be allowed to grow so we can recruit new hams into our membership. The following officers are a key to our future success.

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**President** – Presides at all meetings, performs customary duties, and decides questions of order, sign official documents adopted by the club.

**Vice-President** – Assumes the duties of the President in their absence, assist the President in operation of the club and other duties as may be assigned by the President or executive committee.

**Secretary** – Records the proceedings of the meetings, keeps membership list, collect and submit applications for new members, keep official copy of the Constitution and By-laws, and read club correspondence received between meetings.

**Treasurer** – Receives money for the club, pay bills by check, keep an accurate account of moneys received and expended and submit an itemized statement at each regular meeting, Prepare and present membership cards, maintain an accurate inventory of all club property and equipment.

**Activities Manager** – Organize club activities and advance general club interest and activity.

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Please help make the nominating process an easy one this year. Please volunteer or find someone who would be agreeable to run for office.

# The Ragchewer

August 2007

The monthly newsletter of the  
Lancaster & Fairfield  
County Amateur Radio Club

On the Web: [www.k8qik.org](http://www.k8qik.org)

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## ***Club Meetings :***

1<sup>st</sup> Thursday of every month  
at 7:30 pm at the club house.

## ***Radio Night:***

Every Thursday except the  
1st Thursday at the club  
house, 6:30 pm to 8:30 pm

## ***VE Testing:***

The third Sunday of every  
even numbered month.  
Register at 9:30 am and  
testing at 10:00 am

## ***Club House***

### ***Location:***

On State Route 37 (Granville  
Pike) next to Beavers Field.

## ***Nets:***

**Mondays** at 9:00 p.m.  
147.03 MHz (+.6)  
146.70 MHz (-.6) Alt. Freq.  
443.875 MHz (+5)  
**Thursday** at 8:00 p.m.  
443.875 MHz (+5)  
UHF linked system

Packet BBS 145.53MHz  
K8QIK-1 BBS  
K8QIK-2: Ohio53

## ***Weather Spotter Net:***

146.76 Repeater with 123Hz  
tone Tuesday at 7:30 pm  
Alt frequency 147.24 MHz

## ***August Birthdays***

Clifford (Pete) Anderson	AA8JH
Richard Harrison	W8QCO
Charles Kinser	KB8OIW
Fredrick Stutske	W8FZ
Dennis Frear	AA8LY
Marie Moore	KB8VOL
John Fick	KD8EEK

## ***Thursday Night Radio Night***

Radio night is every Thursday at 6:30 p.m.  
(except the first Thursday which is the club  
monthly meeting). Work a little HF, make a  
few DX contacts, maybe build something? How  
about a hot cup of coffee and a few good  
stories? We'll have them all waiting for you.

## ***ARRL Membership***

When you join the ARRL, or renew your  
membership through the club, we retain \$15 for  
each new membership OR lapsed membership  
(of two years or more), and we retain \$2 for  
each renewal. Please support our club, it doesn't  
cost any more. Send or give all paperwork to  
Treasurer with your money.

## ***August VE Test:***

The next VE test will be Sunday August 19th  
at the club house on Route 37. Register at 9:30  
a.m. and testing begins at 10:00 a.m. Prepare  
yourself, take this test and upgrade!

## ***Free Swap and Sell***

If you have anything ham radio related, you can  
swap it or sell it here. List your items for free.  
Give a price and how to contact you. Send the  
list to [K8QIK@columbus.rr.com](mailto:K8QIK@columbus.rr.com)

## ***2006-2007 Officers***

### ***President:***

Don Stephenson, WD8PCF

### ***Vice President:***

Scott Snoke, WD8IXO

### ***Treasurer:***

Ed Campbell Sr., WD8PGO

### ***Secretary:***

Robert Northrup, KC8PSW

### ***Trustee:***

John Hilliard, W8OF

### ***Station Engineer:***

John Hilliard, W8OF

### ***Net Manager:***

John Fick, KD8EEK

### ***Activities Manager:***

Kay Hanna, KC8HJW

### ***Public Relations:***

Allen Sellers, KB8JLG

### ***Flower Fund:***

Mary Travis, KD8EEI

### ***Chief Cook and Bottle Washer:***

Charlie Snoke, N8KZN

### ***Editor:***

Jack Travis, AE8P  
(740) 687-1985

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## August 2, 2007 Meeting Minutes

At 7:30pm meeting called to order by President Stephenson – WD8PCF, who lead the Pledge of Allegiance.

There were 24 members and 3 guests present.

Guests were: Kaye Hartman – K8GZ, Rhonda Judy – KD8GNW and Dick Leffler – W8RLL.

Two applications were submitted and distributed for their first review.

### Officer Reports

#### **Secretary Report: Robert Northrup, KC8PSW**

Minutes are posted in the Ragchewer. Motion to accept by Allan, KB8JLG and second by John, W8AGS. Motion carried.

#### **Treasurer's Report: Ed Campbell, Sr., WD8PGO.**

Ed gave the club financials. Motion to accept by Robert, KI8JM and second by John, W8AGS. Motion carried.

#### **VP Report: Scott Snoke, WD8IXO**

No Report

#### **Trustee Report: John Hilliard, W8OF**

John stated all was running OK.

### **Committee Reports**

#### **VE Testing: Allan Sellers, KB8JLG**

Allan noted the next VE session will be held on August 19<sup>th</sup>, so come prepared to take your exam and get licensed or upgrade. Allan also said he is planning a "General" class around the first of the year.

#### **Monday Night Net: John – KD8EEK**

Aug 6 John, W8AGS  
Aug 13 John, W8OF  
Aug 20 John, KD8EEK  
Aug 27 John, W8AGS

John said he is averaging about 15 check-ins per net.

#### **Ragchewer: Jack Travis, AE8P**

Jack said all is going well and is ready for the next installment of the "Chewer".

*Submit your article, news item, cartoon, or other Ham related bits of trivia to Jack at [k8qik@columbus.rr.com](mailto:k8qik@columbus.rr.com).*

#### **Emergency Coordinator: Ed Campbell, WD8PGO**

Ed gave information about the tri-county drill that will be held on August 25<sup>th</sup>. Several club members have volunteered for various open positions to aid in communications.

Also, the club has been asked to provide communication support for the Millersport Sweet Corn Festival parade on August 29<sup>th</sup>. Ed still needs members to help so contact Ed to assist.

#### **Safety: Scott Snoke, WD8IXO**

No Report

#### **Station Engineer: John Hilliard, W8OF**

John stated the repeater rack in our back room is still under construction and will, with the help of other Hams, get it completed and installed soon. Get with John to assist.

#### **Activities Manager: Kay Hanna, KC8HJW**

Kay reported planning for the Christmas Party is still continuing and she has a speaker lined up, Pam LeMay, and a new twist, a "Bell Ringer". Stay tuned for more later.....

#### **Flower Fund: Mary Travis – WD8EEI**

Mary said there was \$11 collected and John, W8OF won \$5.50, who donated it to the Radio Fund.

Mary also sent flowers and a card to the family of Paul Daley, who passed recently.

#### **Fund Raising: Kay Hanna – KC8HJW**

Kay said there \$12 collected and added to the previous balance. Larry, KB8AHK won half - \$13.

#### **Old Business:**

Dave, W8EZE asked how many members are in the club. Answer is 82.

Last month George said he'd donate 3 Pentium III PCs to the club but they needed hard drives and memory. George is still waiting on parts so if you have them and don't need them, help him out.

Also last month, members voted to purchase a Yaesu FT-897 radio from Mike, W0MNE to be used in the updated radio room upstairs, pending if the radio was still available. It is, so Ed was instructed to write a check for \$500 to Mike.

### **New Business:**

Charlie, N8KZN noted a pre-inspection review of fire extinguishers needs to be performed before the fire marshal visits. He will coordinate with our supplier.

Charlie also noted the club needs to replace the fluorescent fixtures in the clubhouse. After much discussion, it was suggested noise filters be included in the upgrade. John, W8OF made a motion to expend up to \$150 for new fixtures and filters. Motion was second by Jack, AE8P. Carried.

Allan, KB8JLG noted the next swap meet will be held on the first Saturday in October. So get ready.

Motion to adjourn was made by Bob, KD8EXK and second by Robert, KI8JM. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 8:10 PM.

Respectfully submitted,  
Robert Northrup, KC8PSW

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## Upcoming Hamfests

**August 19th** is the 50th Annual Warren Amateur Radio Association Hamfest in Warren, Ohio. You can get more info at <http://www.w8vtd.org>

**September 9th** is the Findlay Radio Club hamfest in Findlay, Ohio. You can get more info at <http://www.findlayradioclub.org>

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## Tubes For Sale

If you need tubes for your boat anchor or TV contact Jeff Bell WD8JLI at 614-774-2973 or email at [jbelle@imagearray.net](mailto:jbelle@imagearray.net) he has a huge supply for most needs.

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## E-mail Addresses

If you are currently receiving The Ragchewer via regular mail but have an Internet account, the Ragchewer can be sent to you and save the club some money. You'll also get your Ragchewer about a

week earlier. Send me your e-mail address and tell me to take you off the snail mail list. If you have a new email address, be sure to also let me know. Send to [K8QIK@columbus.rr.com](mailto:K8QIK@columbus.rr.com)

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## The Wayback Machine #14

by Bill Continelli, W2XOY

In our last installment, we reviewed the events that took place between 1951 and 1953. In that two year period, the Class A, B, and C licenses had been renamed the Advanced, General and Conditional class respectively. Three new licenses had been created--the Extra, Technician and Novice class. Also during that period, 40 meters was finally opened to phone operation, after being a CW only band for years, we lost the top 50 kc of 20 meters, but gained our new 15 meter band, the Advanced class was closed to new applicants (although those holding this license could still renew), and, in a surprising decision, the FCC opened all phone bands to the General and Conditional class operators. Previously, holders of Class B and C licenses could only operate

HF phone on 10 meters. Now all amateurs, Conditional to Extra class, had the same on-the-air operating privileges.

Many amateurs resented the fact that the Advanced and Extra class operators had no exclusive frequencies and that there was no incentive for a General or Conditional class licensee to upgrade. Some of these complaints filtered their way to the ARRL. And so, in the February 1963 issue of "QST," an editorial appeared in which the ARRL expressed regret over the abandonment of the incentive license structure, called the 1952 decision a step backward, and proposed a new incentive licensing system be implemented.

The idea of exclusive frequencies for Advanced and Extra class hams--at the expense of the Generals

and Conditionals--drew volumes of mail in response. Some of the comments printed in "QST" included: "...absolutely outrageous...", "...ridiculous...", "Your editorial hits the nail on the head", "...thought provoking...", "Congratulations to the ARRL" and "To Hell with the ARRL." The responses in "QST" were about evenly split for and against. There were a few letters from Generals and Conditionals who supported the idea of incentive licensing, even though they would clearly lose under the proposal.

On May 3, 1963, the ARRL Board of Directors adopted their official position on incentive licensing. Their proposal would completely take away all General and Conditional class phone privileges on 75, 40, 20, and 15 meters in a two-year phase-in period. In other words, the ARRL's incentive licensing would only allow HF phone operation for Generals and Conditionals on 10 meters and on the small sliver of 160 meters that was available in the days of LORAN Radionavigation. The ARRL also suggested reopening the Advanced class license again to those who held a General or Conditional license for one year. Strangely, the ARRL did not suggest that Extras be given exclusive frequencies, nor did they propose exclusive CW frequencies. Rather, they just wanted exclusive access to the 75 through 15-meter phone segments for the Advanced and Extra class licenses.

Again, the mail poured in, pro and con. Many hams felt betrayed for, at this time, the ARRL was running a building fund drive to raise \$250,000 to construct the headquarters that now stands at 225 Main Street in Newington, Connecticut. In effect, they believed that the ARRL was saying "Thanks for your donation, now say goodbye to your HF phone privileges." They were not happy.

On April 1, 1965, the FCC, in response to the ARRL proposal and proposals submitted by others, released their own version of incentive licensing. For Generals and Conditionals, the FCC proposal was not as bad as the League's--the FCC would take away about 50% of their phone frequencies on 75-15 meters, but they would still have access to half of each phone band. For the Advanced Class licensees (formerly Class A), it was a disaster. The FCC, instead of reopening the Advanced class, proposed creating a new "Amateur First Class License." This license would have a code speed of 16 WPM. Worse, the FCC would "bump" the present Advanced class operators down to General upon renewal.

Now it was the Advanced class licensees who were outraged. Prior to 1952, they had held the top license. Now, in effect, they would be demoted two grades and lose 50% of the 75-15 meter phone bands. The FCC also proposed extensive 50 kc CW subbands for Extra class licensees on 80-15 meters, small exclusive phone segments for Extras, and incentive restrictions on six and two meters. For the next two years, 1965-1967, the battle raged on. Hundreds of proposals and counter proposals were made. The ARRL opposed any incentive subbands on six and two, and worked to retain the Advanced class in lieu of the proposed "Amateur First Class License."

On August 24, 1967, the FCC announced its decision. There would not be a new "Amateur First Class" ticket, or a 16 WPM requirement. The Advanced class would not be demoted to General, but rather would be reopened as the intermediate step between general and Extra. In summary, the FCC rules established a three-step phase-in of incentive licensing, to begin on November 22, 1967. On that day, the Advanced class was reopened to new applicants after a 15 year freeze and Novices were given a two-year, non-renewal license, instead of the previous one-year, non-renewable term.

On November 22, 1968, Novices lost their 2-meter voice privileges. Generals, Conditionals and Technicians lost the first 100 kc of 6 meters. The first 25 kc of the 80-15 meter CW bands became Extra only and Generals and Conditionals lost about 25% of the 75-15 meter phone bands, which were given to the Advanced and Extra class hams. Comments and opinions still poured into the FCC and the ARRL, requesting anything from total abandonment of incentive licensing to even more restrictive allocations. Most of the comments suggested that the third phase, scheduled for implementation on November 22, 1969, was too severe. Upon review, the Commission agreed in part. Thus, on September 24, 1969, the FCC scaled back the scheduled changes. As a result, Technicians, Conditionals, and Generals did not lose the 50.1 through 50.25 Mc segment of six meters (where most of the sideband activity was) and the Extra class CW subbands were kept at 25 kc. After November 22, 1969, Generals and Conditionals had only 50% of the 75-15 meter phone bands, Advanced about 90%, and Extra class licensees retained 100% of their previous allocations.

On a final note, the FCC, in its Report & Order adopting incentive licensing, had refused to increase

VHF operating privileges for Technicians and had taken away Novice voice operations on 2 meters. There was a reason for this. The FCC wanted Novices to bypass the Technician class license and go right to General. Why?

In our next installment, "The Wayback Machine" will journey back to the amateur world in the 1950s, '60s and early '70s to take a closer look at the Technician class license and the unique position it held. I hope you will be aboard.

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## Equipment Donation to the Club / Steve Downard V31BB

By Allen Sellers KB8JLG

Jack AE8P and Allen KB8JLG went to Bremen, Ohio on July 13, 2007 to get ham radio equipment donated by Steve Downard V31BB. Mr Downard, from Belize but a club member in the 70's, was cleaning his mother's property for an estate sale and had stored these items more than a decade ago. During the evening of the 13-th, Ralph W8BVH and Allen unloaded Allen's truck and placed the items in the clubhouse office. We also took time to list and evaluate the condition of the equipment. In every case we determined the condition was POOR due to

dust, traces of condensed moisture, rodent droppings and age.

These items will be offered at an auction on July 21 at the Clubhouse Garage Sale

There were more items of industrial control equipment that we left as not being suitable... we did not want to contribute to clubhouse clutter that existed before the house cleaning this spring. If indoor relay rack cabinets and industrial controls are your interest you might want to watch for a yard sale or auction later this summer.

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## July 21, 2007 Clubhouse Yard Sale

By Allen Sellers KB8JLG

The yard sale was pretty successful as I got rid of some items in my junk box and the club made some money. I want to thank Mary KD8EEI for the help in bringing an extra coffee maker and running "Central Control" in the kitchen where we sold doughnuts and coffee and had a bid sheet for the donated items from Steve Downard V31BB, yes, V31BB... he is living in Belize but was a club member in the 1970's. The parking lot between the clubhouse and the Clarence Miller Health building was pretty full... a really good turn-out. This might have been as good as your average hamfest flea market and better than most if people were looking for starting rigs on the Tech or General HF bands. I saw a good assortment of used equipment... tower sections, several nice older HF transceivers, 2-meter handhelds and some nicely built "RockMite" QRP rigs.

As announced, we had a conclusion of the bid process at 10AM and three club members bid on the items.

All the donated items were judged to be in poor condition. Two 4-inch Muffin fans were kept for use in the repeater cabinet as well as several aluminum plates suitable for wall mounting antenna cable connectors. The following items were sold:

3 assembly (7) reg. power supplies with one 120-120v transformer

2 assembly 120-120v transformer with sheet metal mount

2 assembly as above with additional heatsink, fan, power transistors & control PCB

1 ea. -Hallicrafters S-40A receiver, one knob missing

1 ea. -Johnson Viking I rack-mounted transmitter

1 lot. SSB Converter, CV591AV/URR & Collins R390A/URR receiver

1 lot. -Signal Corp TS39B/TSM1 STD Oscillator & Crosley Speaker LS206A/U

Dave WD8AOL donated a spool of twisted three-conductor #22 gauge solid wire suitable for many, many indoor antennas. So anyone who needs help on an indoor HF antenna... we have the wire. Thanks Dave.

When I cleaned up, I combined all the unsold, donated equipment with some stuff I did not sell and took it to the trash transfer station.



Frosty W8AEY on left  
Dick Harrison W8QCO on right



Table full of ham equipment/parts. Ray, W8FLX, walking away from the building w/ Grif, KG4IDG, in back of him. John, W8OF, is on the porch talking with Ray, KB8GUN.



view down parking lot as the sale opened.jpg



Some of the sellers and buyers. Allen, KB8JLG, on the left, Dick, W8QCO, and Frosty, W8AEY, talking with Steve, NI8F, and his wife on the right.

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## 2007 Ohio HF QSO Party

By Gary Mikitin, AF8A

The 2007 running of the Ohio QSO Party will be Saturday, August 25. It goes from noon to midnight, EDT. Activity will be on the HF bands, 10 through 80 meters, CW and SSB.

Stations inside Ohio can work anyone, anywhere. Stations outside of Ohio (anywhere in the world, and

yes, we do get entrants from Europe) can only work stations in Ohio -- so we Buckeyes are the hunted, not the hunters for a change!

There are numerous awards (certificates and plaques) available -- including a club competition. To date, these are the sponsored plaques, available to the top scorers in each category:

Ohio Single Operator High Power  
Ohio Single Operator Low Power  
Ohio Single Operator QRP  
Ohio Single Operator Phone  
Out of State Single Operator High Power  
Out of State Single Operator Low Power  
Out of State Single Operator QRP  
Single Operator DX  
Ohio Multi Operator  
Ohio Mobile  
Ohio Club  
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The OQP Organizing Committee is hoping that Ohio hams are making plans to be active, whether from home, camp or mobile in the Ohio countryside. The OQP Committee's annual goal is to have all 88 counties on the air. There will be plenty of activity for all 12 hours. Operate for a short time or the whole contest period -- whatever suits your time budget.

Full details are on the official OQP web site, <http://www.oqp.us>.

Past scores, a "Quick Start Guide" to the OQP, logging software information, paper forms and operating aids, and a regularly updated page showing planned activity, county by county, are all there for you.

For the latest OQP information, there is also an e-mail reflector. You can sign up for it on the OQP Web Site.

If you have any questions, they may be directed to [af8a@arrl.net](mailto:af8a@arrl.net) or [jimk8mr@aol.com](mailto:jimk8mr@aol.com).

We hope you'll join in the fun of the 2007 Ohio QSO Party, Saturday August 25!

For the Ohio QSO Party Committee  
73 de Gary, AF8A

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## Wanted

By Bob Prince, KD8EXK

I'm looking for old microphones that someone would like to get rid of. I just started a microphone collection.

My wife's granddad used to be a sports announcer in Columbus, Ohio.

I'm also looking for a scanner if someone would like to get rid of one.

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## Technology

By John Fick, KD8EEEEK

Once upon a time, before cell phones, how did we do all of that communicating? How reliable are cell phones anyway? Is 2 meter or 70 cm more reliable? Do we rely more on cell phones than we do our ham radios? If someone were to call for help on the 2 meter or 70 cm bands how likely are they to get a response?

I will admit that I am new to the hobby, and or service and I feel as though I have missed out on a lot. You ask why did I choose ham radio for a hobby? For many reasons and the number one reason would be public service. Running a close second is the great opportunity to learn about electronics and make new friends. Actually I really "caught the bug" at a weather spotters training session. They asked how many of us were ham radio operators. Well, enough about that. Let's get back on track.

I recall at least two times that my cell phone failed me. Once was when, you guessed it, during 9-11-01 and the other time was when the cell towers were iced over. Then there are those occasional times when the message "network busy" appears on the screen of your phone or you just flat out don't get a signal.

Since I wasn't a ham operator before the golden age of cell phones, it would be great to hear some stories about "the good old days" of 2 meter and 70 cm operations.

My personal goal is to learn more about passing traffic and to sharpen my emergency operator skills. Let's see now, how does that Boy Scout motto go?

73 and keep those repeaters hopping.



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## Too Much For The Ragchewer

By Jack Travis, AE8P, editor

As time goes on while trying to put the Ragchewer together, it's getting harder and harder to keep the size down to 10 pages. I tried doing 2 issues every month, one to e-mail (20 pages) and the other to snail mail (10 pages). It's just too much to do every month so I had to cut the 20 page version out.

Unfortunately there is more than 10 pages worth of interesting material every month. So every month I have to send what I consider an incomplete newsletter. We could have a 20 page newsletter every month except when we go over 5 sheets of paper it costs us more money.

As it is right now, those who get a printed version mailed to them is costing the club over \$1 per issue

when you count ink, paper and postage. That's \$12 a year per person folks. In addition to that, it now takes 2 hours a month at the clubhouse just to print those that are mailed.

If the newsletter was larger than it is now, it would take longer to print. I'll admit it, after spending an average of 20 hours a month digging up articles and putting it together; I don't want to spend more than 2 hours printing it.

I'm looking for a solution but can't come up with one. Maybe I should stop including the Wayback Machine in the Ragchewer (I have 20 more months of it to go). How about eliminating the meeting minutes? I'm open to suggestions. Please.

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## General License Class Starting

If you would like to upgrade to General class, now's your chance. Allen Sellers will be teaching a General class beginning Tuesday September 11, 2007 at 7:00 PM at the clubhouse on Route 37. There will be weekly classes held on Tuesdays for 6 to 8 weeks.

The study book needed will be **"The ARRL General Class License Manual" (Sixth edition)** available online or at your favorite radio retailer for \$24.95. You should purchase that book prior to the beginning of classes. There will be a charge of \$10 per person to cover expenses associated with these classes.

At the conclusion of the last class, there will be a VE test given for upgrading to a General class license.

Please contact Allen Sellers at 740-654-8167 or email at [asellers@greenapple.com](mailto:asellers@greenapple.com) to register for these classes. Remember, you can upgrade now without a Morse code requirement.

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## Thoughts for the day:

"Re-Elect Nobody"  
"Rehab Is for Quitters"  
"My Dog Can Lick Anyone"  
"Wives Should Come With Instructions"  
"I Don't Suffer from Insanity -- I'm a Carrier"  
"Real Men Don't Waste Their Hormones Growing Hair"  
"Learn from Your Parents' Mistakes - Use Birth Control"  
"A Nest Isn't Empty Until All Their Stuff Is Out of the Attic"  
"The More I Learn About Women, the More I Love My Car"  
"Bigamy Is Having One Wife Too Many. Monogamy Is the Same"  
"I Have a Degree in Liberal Arts -- Do You Want Fries With That?"  
"Never Underestimate the Power of Stupid People in Large Groups"  
"Wrinkled Was Not One of the Things I Wanted to Be When I Grew Up"  
"I Was Once a Millionaire But My Mom Gave Away My Baseball Cards"

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