

W9JOZ

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The President's Corner

What a picnic we had, everybody enjoyed it that attended. We had great weather, food and fun who can ask for anything more. Dwight brought his radio and setup a station to play with. We played horseshoes and a game called RADIO. Bill's wife Rose donated a quilt to give away and we had a small raffle and 50/50. FUN FUN FUN! This month foxhunt winner was Janet and me. October foxhunt will be the last one of the season and the 1st place prize will be given at the Christmas party.

Things have been really busy around here, lots of activities going on. Radioville is October 2nd our foxhunt is on the 17th and the club meeting is on the 21st. October 9th (SATURDAY) is the Lake county hamfest at Lake County Fairgrounds and it's the last one in our area until Ft Wayne.

See you at an EVENT
73 Tony W9AL

Meeting October 21th

Time is 7:00 p.m.

The discussion will be on the upcoming Christmas Party and anything else that needs discussed. Don't forget it is 14 dollars each for the Christmas dinner.

Radioville was a HIT. Biggest crowd ever!

Fort Wayne Hamfest

November 13-14 2010



Meetings are at the Henry F. Schricker Library on the third Thursday of each month, with the exception of December.

The library is located on west Culver Road, two blocks west of Highway 35.

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Ramblings from the Vice President's desk

Hello all hope you all had fun at the picnic I sure did. The food was excellent and the coffee was hot. Dwight brought his radio setup with the new antenna and it worked perfectly. Hugh had a good time making contacts. Maybe in a couple of years we will have field day there. The shelter is a nice one it had electricity and the washrooms were close. Both a plus, we are all getting older and the closeness of the restroom is a good thing. Radioville is upon us and it might be a little wet and cold. Levi's chili will really hit the spot along with some coffee. Breakfast like usual will be at Fingerhut Bakery the group starts getting there around 7: am so be there if you want to eat. As all that were at the last club meeting the Holiday party will again be at the Wooden Nickel the money is due at the November meeting. The Fort Wayne hamfest is also coming up again also in November not sure of the date will have the date at the next meeting. Also it is time to nominate someone for our club's officers so put your thinking hats on.

Till next month

Randy

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Preparing

There are three things that are common with disasters:

- Chaos
- Confusion
- Stress

You can mitigate all three by preparing BEFORE disaster strikes.

During the month:

- Review your current or begin the process of creating new checklists (Personal and radio)
- Prepare a checklist with family members so each member will know which items are important and why they're needed.
- Discuss with all family members the importance of being prepared.
- Restock your emergency 72 hour pack with fresh items.
- Make individual packs for each family member in case you have to evacuate your home
- With winter approaching prepare items for your vehicle (shovel, sand, blanket and a little food.)

From W9AL

Pictures from the 2010 Club Picnic



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Big crowd, of course some are working on the radio set up outside of the shelter or just standing out there talking.



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This is getting to be a big newsletter with the pictures. So will close here and hope to see all at the meeting.

73

John,
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