



## Van Wert Amateur Radio Club, Inc.

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May 17, 2014

### OFFICERS 2014

#### PRESIDENT

JACK SNYDER WD8MLV

#### VICE PRESIDENT

DAVE TAYLOR KB8JYV

#### SECRETARY

STEVE KOUTS WA8WKF

#### TREASURER

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#### ACTIVITIES MANAGER

RALPH SHIELDS WB8YIH

#### PUBLICITY MANAGER

BOB BARNES WD8LPY

### MEETING MINUTES:

The meeting was called to order by the Vice President Dave Taylor at 8:00pm on May 17<sup>th</sup>, 2014 with 10 voting members, and 1 visitor present. Minutes from the April 19th. Meeting was read and approved.

**TREASURER:** Treasurer was absent – no report available.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS / OFFICERS / COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Secretary announced that the 440 control antenna had been installed at the 25/85 site. It should make it easier to access the control receiver for bringing up or taking down the 25/85 repeater if required.

### OLD BUSINESS:

Secretary advised that the Hamfest cards have been ordered from the printer.

### ORGANIZED: 1952

### CONSTITUTION

ADOPTED: 1954

ARRL AFFILIATION: 1954

INCORPORATED NON-  
PROFIT: 1963

### NEW BUSINESS:

Ralph Shields, Activities manager said that he had received a letter from the Police Dept. asking for our assistance to provide additional communications during the peony parade to be held on June 7. Need to be at the City Building by 3:00 pm for briefing. Street will be closed off at 4:15 this year due to some additional activities. The club will provide some refreshments at the club for those helping with the parade.

Dave Taylor informed the club that a new all band dipole had been installed for the digital radio.

Cheryl Taylor presented the club one of the Girl Scout patches for the club participation in the JODA scout program.

Ralph also reminded everyone that Field Day is coming up. Bring a covered dish and the club supplies the meat as before.

No further business, Ralph Shields moved to adjourn at 8:34 pm, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Barb High.

Respectfully Submitted

Stephen J. Kouts, Secretary

MINUTES APPROVED ON

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