

# Van Wert Amateur Radio Club, Inc.

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### **OFFICERS 2015**

PRESIDENT

JACK SNYDER WD8MLV
VICE PRESIDENT

DAVE TAYLOR KB8JYV
SECRETARY
STEVE KOUTS WA8WKF
TREASURER

DAVE FREELS KA8ZGE
ACTIVITIES MANAGER

RALPH SHIELDS WB8YIH
PUBLICITY MANAGER

**ORGANIZED: 1952** 

**BOB BARNES WD8LPY** 

CONSTITUTION ADOPTED: 1954

**ARRL AFFLIATION: 1954** 

INCORPORATED NON-PROFIT: 1963

MINUTES APPROVED ON

# **MEETING MINUTES:**

• The meeting was called to order by the President Jack Snyder 8:00pm on June 20<sup>th</sup>, 2015 with 10 voting members and 2 visitors present. Minutes from the June 6<sup>th</sup>. Meeting was read and approved.

### TREASURER:

• The Treasurer presented his report. Motion to accept by Ralph Shields, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Dave Taylor. Motion passed.

# **ANNOUNCEMENTS / OFFICERS / COMMITTEE REPORTS:**

- Dave Taylor announced that JOTA is held on October 16<sup>th</sup> thru the 18<sup>th</sup>.
- Secretary advised that the Hamfest Cards have been mailed.
- Mike Harvey, Hamfest Chairman announced that everything was coming together for the Hamfest. He has volunteers to man the gates. He also brought the ARRL Hamfest package with the handouts and ARRL prizes to the meeting.
- President reminded everyone that the next meeting will be on July 18<sup>th</sup> at the Fairgrounds to set up the Hamfest. Since the next regular meeting date is on July 4<sup>th</sup>. Which is a holiday, no meeting will be held.

#### **OLD BUSINESS:**

- Discussion on the Hamfest. Suggested that we give a Handbook and Antenna book for 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> prizes. Same as last year. A budget also needs passed so the treasurer can pay the bills. Ralph Shields moved that \$450.00 be approved, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Dave Taylor. Motion passed.
- Field day next week end.

## **NEW BUSINESS:**

• The President informed the members that the club officers have chosen Dave Freels as the new trustee for the club license. Bob Barnes submitted his resignation do to other commitments. Mike Harvey suggested that the club present Bob a certificate of appreciation for his many years of service to the club. Ralph Shields moved to have the Secretary obtain a certificate for Bob, 2<sup>nd</sup>. By Duane Poling. Motion passed.

#### ADJOURMENT:

Mike Harvey moved to adjourn at 8:43 pm, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Dave Freels.

Respectfully Submitted

Stephen J. Kouts

Stephen J. Kouts, Secretary