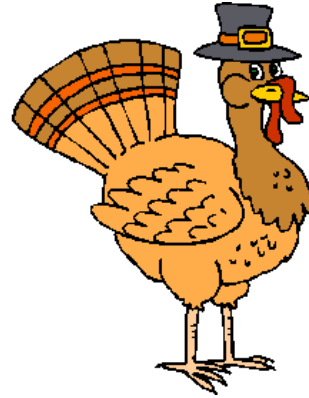


# Scioto Valley Amateur Radio Club

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## SVARC Monthly Gatherings

Regular Meeting 3rd Thursday  
of the month:

**Thursday, November 17 2005 @ 7:30 p.m.**

## REPEATERS

**W8BAP/R 146.850 - 600K**

**W8BAP/R 146.925 -600K**

**W8BAP/R 444.425 + 5M**

**KA8WWI/R 53.230 - 1M**

## NETS

**SVARC 146.850 Mondays @8:30pm**

**OSSBN 3.972.5 @ 10:30am, 4:15pm, 6:45pm**

**COTN +147.24 @7:15pm Daily**

**SSTV -146.850 1st Monday each Month@  
9:00pm**

**SSTV -146.925 Every Sunday night @ 7:00 P.M.**

**SSTV -145.490 1st Sunday each Month@  
7:00pm Ohio Severe Weather Network**

**-146.760 or -146.925 When Needed**

## SVARC NET CONTROLLERS

Marv Turner K8KX,  
Contact Marv to volunteer to be net controller.

**NOTICE the net is now on 146.85 @ 8:30PM.**

**Annual Club Christmas Dinner  
Ponderosa in Waverly  
1 PM , Saturday Dec 10**

## SVARC OFFICERS

**President:** John Mand KC8FPU

**Vice-president:** Jim Snodgrass KC8TYS

**Secretary:** Tim Brooks N8ZOM

**Treasurer:** Jim Anzelmo WB8NNJ

**Trustee:** Larry Thomas KB8VUM

**Trustee:** Marvin Turner K8KX

**Trustee:** William Lorenzo KC8VTP

## MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION

Jim Anzelmo WB8NNJ

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**It's time to pay the 2006 dues**

## **BIRTHDAY HAMS**

Please wish our members another happy and prosperous year as they celebrate the anniversary of their birth this month. May they enjoy good health and conversations via radio for many years to come. **73 to all!**

## **NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS**

11	KB8ZGR	Michael	Leach
18	WB8DRJ	Joe	Malone
23	KB8IIH	Chris	Kemper
24	W8JKS	John	Smart
28	KC8LWR	Sylvia	Mand



## **PRAYER REQUEST**

Steve Newland has volunteered to pray for anyone requesting prayer. If you would like to request prayer or join him. Call him at 772-1814.

## **NET REPORTS**

**October 31**, Net Control, K8KX, Marv.  
Net opened 8:30 PM. Check-ins (5) ...  
KC8WIW Mike, KD8AQE Mike,  
KD8CHP Jesse, KC8TYS Jim. The repair of the  
92/5 repeater and club Christmas Dinner were  
among topics discussed. Net closed 8:45 PM  
**November 7** Net Control, K8KX Marv.  
Net opened 8:34 PM Check-ins:....(5)  
KD8CHP Jesse, KC8TYS Jim, WB8GRX John,  
N8MGO Tom Blazer. Topics discussed: 92/5  
repeater and Club Christmas Dinner. Net Closed  
8:55 PM

## **FRUITCAKES FOR SALE**

1 pound sliced, \$ 5.50 2 pound sliced, 10.50  
To buy, contact Marv Turner

## **REMINDER**

**Club meeting starts at 7:30 pm 11-17-2005**

## **CHRISTMAS PARTY**

Annual Club Christmas Dinner at Ponderosa in  
Waverly AT1 PM. Saturday Dec 10.  
Optional gift exchange in gifts *not to exceed \$*  
*10.00* The gift exchange is optional, you do not  
have to participate.

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## **HAMFEST** (from the ARRL website.)

<b>SPONSOR</b>	<b>LOCATION</b>	<b>DATE</b>	<b>CONTACT</b>	<b>PH. NUMBER</b>
Grant ARC	Georgetown, OH <a href="http://www.garcoho.net/">http://www.garcoho.net/</a>	12 Nov 2005	Rodney Crawford, WD8CTX <a href="mailto:wd8ctx@juno.com">wd8ctx@juno.com</a>	937-446-2338
20th Annual Southwest Ohio Digital Symposium Dial Amateur Radio Club	Middletown, OH <a href="http://www.swohdigi.org/">http://www.swohdigi.org/</a>	14 Jan 2006	Hank Greeb, N8XX <a href="mailto:n8xx@arrl.net">n8xx@arrl.net</a>	513-385-8363

**SCIOTO VALLEY AMATEUR RADIO CLUB**  
**MEMBERSHIP MEETING MINUTES**  
**October 20, 2005**

Meeting called to order at 7:30 p.m., by Vice-President Jim Snodgrass, with the pledge of allegiance to the flag. The following 9 members were in attendance:

Jim Snodgrass KC8TYS  
Marvin Turner K8KX  
Barrett Banta AB8NL  
Don Berry N8LSU  
Mike Tilly KD8AQE

Jesse Stanley KD8CHP  
Bruce Copeland KC8BBT  
Mike Mathews KC8WIW  
Don Lyons WB8MJW

1. Motion to dispense the reading of the minutes by Bruce Copeland, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Don Berry . Motion Passed
2. No Treasurer's report was given at the meeting.
3. Repeater Report was given by Jim Snodgrass:
  - 146.925 repeater is in need of work due to water leaking into the hard line. The amp and hard line will need to be replaced. We would also like to install a new receive antenna due to its poor condition.
  - 146.850 "Is working fine"
  - 440.425 "No Change"
  - 6 meter "Is working fine"
4. Old Business,
  - Marvin Reported the Drink fund is \$47.47
5. New Business.
  - A new member was introduced: Jesse Stanley, KD8CHP, **Welcome Jesse!**
  - Jim Snodgrass asked for an increase of \$200.00 to the Repeater Fund to make necessary repairs to the 146.925 site. That would bring the total to \$346.15. Motion made by Bruce Copeland and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Don Berry, Motion Passed
  - The Club Christmas party will be on December 10, 2005 at the Ponderosa Steak House in Waverly. It will start at 1:00 P.M. If you would like to participate in a gift passing, Please use a maximum of \$10.00 per gift.
  - Marvin reminded the group that the fruitcakes will be arriving soon and anyone who can assist in the sale of these Cakes would be appreciated.
6. 50-50 drawing (\$7.00) won by Jesse Stanley who gave it all back to the club. Thanks Jesse.
7. Don Berry made a motion to adjourn and it was 2<sup>nd</sup> by Marvin Turner

***Do not forget to pay your 2006 Dues***

Minutes submitted by Jim Snodgrass

## **The 925 Repeater is fixed and workin' great!**

Many people worked very hard to get the site back on line and working . Give it a try!

**Nomination of new club Officers for 2006 should be discussed at next meeting.**

### **AMATEUR RADIO**

#### **NEWS RELEASE**

For Immediate Release

THE FOUNDATION FOR AMATEUR RADIO, INC., a non-profit organization with headquarters in Washington, D.C., plans to administer fifty-four (54) scholarships for the academic year 2006 - 2007 to assist licensed Radio Amateurs. The Foundation, composed of over seventy-five local area Amateur Radio Clubs, fully funds three of these scholarships. Ten are funded with the income from grants. The remaining forty-one (41) are administered by the Foundation without cost to the various donors.

Licensed Radio Amateurs may compete for these awards if they plan to pursue a full-time course of studies beyond high school and are enrolled in or have been accepted for enrollment at an accredited university, college or technical school. The awards range from \$500 to \$2500 with preference given in some cases to residents of specified geographical areas or the pursuit of certain study programs. Clubs, especially those in Delaware, Florida, Maryland, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Texas, Virginia and Wisconsin, are encouraged to announce these opportunities at their meetings, in their club newsletters, during training classes, on their nets and on their world wide web home pages.

Additional information and an application form may be requested by letter or QSL card, postmarked prior to April 30, 2006 from:

Diane Zimmerman AA3OF  
Chairman Scholarship Committee  
FAR Scholarships  
Post Office Box 831  
Riverdale, MD 20738

The Foundation for Amateur Radio, incorporated in the District of Columbia, is an exempt organization under Section 501(C)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954. It is devoted exclusively to promoting the interests of Amateur Radio and those scientific, literary and educational pursuits that advance the purposes of the Amateur Radio Service.

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**CONSTITUTION  
OF THE  
SCIOTO VALLEY AMATEUR RADIO CLUB**

**ARTICLE IV**

Officers

Section 1. The officers in this corporation shall be a president, a vice president, a secretary – treasurer and three trustees.

Section 2. Officers shall be elected from among the regular members by ballot at the annual meeting.

**ARTICLE V**

Board of Directors

Section 1. The board of Directors shall consist of the elected officers.

Section 2. Vacancies occurring in the Board of Directors shall be filled by election by the regular membership, such officers serving only until the next regular election as set forth in Article IV, Section 2 of this constitution.

**ARTICLE VI**

Meetings

Section 1. The annual meeting shall be held as specified in Article III, Section 2 of the By-Laws. (See Meeting Section)

Section 2. Regular meetings shall be held as specified in the By-Laws.

Section 3. Special meetings may be called by the Board of Directors or President at such times as are thought advisable. Such special meetings may transact only such business as is specified in the call.

Section 4. The Board of Directors shall meet as set forth in Article III, Section 2 of the By-Laws.

**ARTICLE VI**

Amendments

Amendments to this constitution shall be submitted in writing to the Board of Directors at least sixty (60) days prior to the annual meeting. Proposed amendments shall be signed by not less than three regular members prior to submission. The Board of Directors shall insure the correctness of amendment format and place its reading, by the secretary, on the agenda of the meeting prior to the annual meeting. After reading, the proposed amendment shall be voted on at the annual meeting and shall become a part of the constitution only if approved by a two-thirds (2/3) majority of the regular members present and voting at the annual meeting.