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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE: This is **John KB1SVY** – The Memorial Day weekend fund raising Flea Market was a great success with 52 Whitman Club members and at least 27 area HAMs able to stop by for an eye ball to eye ball QSO. See the Memorial Day Weekend Flea Market Special Issue newsletter.

Congratulations to **Richard Metcalf KB1TEH** who upgraded to Extra.

Congratulations to **Alex Hochstrasser SWL** who was awarded the Whitman Hanson High School - Dollars for Scholars - Whitman Amateur Radio Club - \$500.00 scholarship this year.

Congratulations to **Jeremy Breef-Pilz KB1REQ** who was awarded a \$1000.00 ARRL Foundation Scholarship this year.

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PRESIDENTS MESSAGE CONTINUED

CLUB AUCTION: Several pieces of used lawn and garden equipment were turned over to **Paul Moss KB1MTW** and donated to the Club and auctioned off at the June meeting. A special thanks to the donor who wishes to remain anonymous.

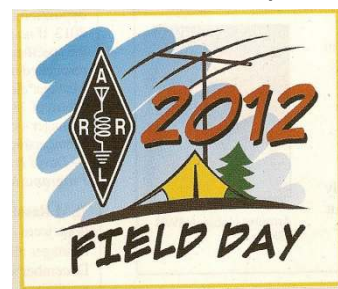
HAVING FUN: **Bruce Hayden NI1X** volunteered to be the Fox on Saturday, June 9th and reported 12 Fox Hunters participating. **Roy Logan KB1CYV** and **Ron Stundze KB1OEQ** volunteered to be the Foxes on June 16th and reported 6 Fox Hunters participating. Traveling to the Dayton, Ohio ARRL Convention and Flea Market this year were **Jim Tovet W1JT**, **Elayne Tovet KB1IKH** and **Jim Tynan KC1JET**. Whitman Club members participating with the **K1USN** crew in Braintree with the Museum Ships weekend Special Event were **Jeff Ayers KB1WKB**, **Brad Wilson W1AY**, **John Duprey KB1SVY** and **Steve Cohn N1NQR** and I am sure there were more.



John Duprey
KB1SVY

PROMOTING AMATEUR RADIO: **Paul Moss KB1MTW** coordinated an amateur radio Special Event Station for the Venture Scouts at Camp Norse on May 26th with the help of **Roy Logan KB1CYV**, **Jeremy Breef-Pilz KB1REQ**, **Jeff Ayres KB1WKB** and **Greg Glynn W1VFB**

PROVIDING A PUBLIC SERVICE: **Bruce Hayden NI1X** and **Barry Kennedy N1EZH** participated in Red Cross Shelter Training with the City Of Taunton Emergency Management Agency in May. Whitman Club members participating in the First Monday of the month MEMA / RACES communication test were **Bruce Hayden NI1X**, **Barry Kennedy N1EZH**, **Kevin Dykes KB1MOC**, **Jeff Lehmann N1ZZN**, **Paul Moss KB1MTW** and **John O'Neill KB1QEM**. The **Bruce NI1X** reported that the Massasoit Club volunteered to provide communication support for the Middleboro YMCA 10K and Woody's Walk Road Race on Saturday, June 2nd with 5 area HAMS participating. **John O'Neill KB1QEM** reported that the South Shore Hospital Amateur Radio Club conducted a hospital communication test on Saturday, June 2nd with 8 HAMS participating. **John O'Neill KB1QEM** reported that the South Shore Hospital Amateur Radio Club volunteered to provide communication support for a South Shore Hospital sponsored road race at Wampanog State Park on June 16th with 8 HAMS participating.



FIELD DAY: Our next activity will be Field Day 2012 – to be held on Saturday, June 23 and Sunday, June 24 at the YMCA property on Rt. 106 in East Bridgewater. Set up at 9 a.m. Saturday morning. Take down at 2 p.m. on Sunday. Everyone is invited to operate one of the Club Stations. Technician Class operators can operate on all bands under the supervision of a higher class control operator. Come on down,

73 From John Duprey KB1SVY

NEW MEMBER: **Wayne Robertson KB1YFQ** lives in Whitman with his wife Leslie.

Wayne KB1YFQ passed the Technician class license test in May. After the meeting **Wayne KB1YFQ** reported that he picked up a Wouxun 2-Meter / 440 MHz handheld and that his first contact was with **Ross Hochstrasser W1EKG**.



Wayne Robertson
KB1YFQ

SECRETARY'S NOTES OF THE MEETING OF JUNE 6, 2012 de N1VI

OPENING: The meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m. by President **John KB1SVY** at the Knights of Columbus Hall, Whitman, MA.

ATTENDANCE: 50 members / guests were present, including the four elected Officers and two Directors. A quorum was present.



**Karen Trask
N1VI**

KB1SVY	John Duprey	W1EKG	Ross Hochstrasser		
N1SOM	Jeff Tracy	KB1REQ	Jeremy Breef-Pilz		
N1VI	Karen Trask	SWL	Michelle Duprey -Guest		
KB1TEH	Richard Metcalf	SWL	Colben Laroe – Guest		
NI1X	Bruce Hayden	KB1RNN	Richard Dispirito – Guest		
W1JT	Jim Tovet	SWL	Mike Petrou - Guest		
KB1CYV	Roy Logan	KB1YFQ	Wayne Robertson		
K1VU	Bob Johnson	K1WGU	Bob Bass	N1EZH	Barry Kennedy
WA1ZKK	Al Craddock	KC1JET	Jim Tynan	KB1IKH	Elayne Tovet
N1OYH	Carl Davis	KB1VGN	Stan Rydell	WA1UMT	Dave Darois
NM1F	Jim Ford	N1VTI	Paul Burbine	KB1QKV	Mike Anderson
KB1ODS	John Chase	KB1OEQ	Ron Stundze	N1LQK	Dave Kaplan
KB1WLX	Billy Robinson	W1AY	Brad Wilson	KB1WKB	Jeff Ayres
WG1L	Jim O'Rourke	KA1PJX	Don Keene	KB1IUU	Bill Spear
W1AXB	Matt Paine	K1AWB	Steve Laroe	KB1WSZ	Charlie Amico
N1FRE	Bill Hayden	WA1MWF	Larry Leblanc	N1SON	Bill Tracy
N1ZZN	Jeff Lehmann	W1GRC	Gary Cumiskey	WA1YKF	Warren Dickie
KB1PFL	Jim Madden	KB1OAY	Dan Noyes	KB1OAW	Greg Noyes
KB1MTW	Paul Moss	K1XRB	Peter George	KB1QMX	Dave Beauvais

TREASURER'S REPORT: The treasurer's report for May was read by **Jeff N1SOM**. **Jim KC1JET** made a motion seconded by **Jim W1JT** that the treasurer's report be accepted as read. The motion was approved.

SECRETARY'S REPORT: A motion was made by **Jim KC1JET** seconded by **Brad W1AY** that the May secretary's report be accepted as published in the newsletter. The motion was approved.

HEALTH & WELFARE: **Elayne KB1IKH** reported that get well cards were sent to **John Coombs WQ1L**, **Bill Tracy N1SON**, and **Charlie Amico KB1WSZ**.

OLD BUSINESS: Membership application had been received from **Ronald Dibella N1WIN**. A motion was made by **Bruce NI1X**, seconded by **Richard KB1TEH** to accept **Ronald N1WIN** as a new member subject to receipt of dues. The motion was approved.

Ross W1EKG thanked the WARC for the \$500.00 scholarship his son **Alex** received.

Flea Market wrap-up: **Jeff N1SOM** reports that we have a banner for next year. **Paul KB1MTW** notes that we need to publicize by getting more signs and posters out next year. **Bill N1FRE** stated that historically we have had a committee to handle the publicity. He offered to generate the posters for the next Flea market. A discussion ensued regarding the possibility of holding the Flea market on Saturday and Sunday in order to generate more vendors. It was decided to keep the event on its usual Sunday and Monday schedule owing to other local events that would likely create a conflict for the vendors.

The call sign for the Marshfield Fair **NN1MF** has been renewed for an additional 10 years as well as the 10 year lease on the Quonset Hut.

SECRETARY'S NOTES OF THE MEETING OF JUNE 6, 2012 Cont: de N1VI

PLEASE NOTE - Our next meeting would have fallen on Wednesday July 4th. It was decided that we will instead meet on the following Wednesday, July 11th at our usual meeting place and time (this is pending a check with the K of C for availability).

NEW BUSINESS: *Charlie KB1WSZ* is looking to form a study group for anyone that is interested in upgrading to a General Class license. Please contact him if you are interested.

Paul KB1MTW is looking for volunteers to mow the lawn at the Quonset hut once a week.

Field Day-Jeff N1ZZN reports that we have five laptops ready and loaded with *N1MM* software. A discussion was had regarding available and needed antenna's for the event. *Paul KB1MTW* stated that we currently have two R-5's, an Outbacker, a Windom, as well as a 40 meter dipole. *Jeremy KB1REQ* suggested that we also need 20-Meter capability and recommended a committee be formed to study the possibility. He also made a motion seconded by *Ross W1EKG* to appropriate \$500.00 to purchase a 20-Meter antenna that the committee will recommend. The motion was approved. The committee will consist of *Jeremy KB1REQ, John KB1SVY, and Steve K1AWB*. *Bruce NI1X* has offered to bring two gallons of gas for the generators. *Jim WG1L* will bring a back-up generator. *Jeff N1SOM* is bringing a second grill and *John KB1SVY* will bring an extra propane tank. Field Day is held the last full weekend in June at the East Bridgewater YMCA with setup starting a 09:00 on Saturday.

Jim KC1JET notes that the ARRL is building approx. 60 crank-up towers for their anniversary and will be getting rid of them next year. He suggested that the club keep an eye out for possible acquisition of a tower.

Bruce NI1X noted that a Fox Hunt would be held this Saturday at 10:00 a.m. with himself as the Fox. The hunt will take place in Plymouth with members of the Genesis Club joining in.

Elections: *Jeff N1ZZN* was elected to the Board of Directors. The current slate of Officers were unchallenged and reelected. Thanks to *AI WA1ZKK, Brad W1AY, and Jeff KB1WKB* for counting the ballots.

Jim WG1L made a motion seconded by *Paul N1VTI* that the members of WARC say the Pledge of Allegiance prior to the start of each meeting. The motion was approved.

A motion was made by *Roy KB1CYV* seconded by *Bruce NI1X* to accept the new member application of *Wayne Robertson KB1YFQ*. The motion carried.

NET CONTROL: 6/10 – *Roy KB1CYV* 6/17 -*Jeff N1SOM* 6/24 - *Bruce NI1X* - Field Day
7/1 - *Jeff KB1WKB*

CLOSE: The meeting was closed by President *John KB1SVY* on a motion made by *Jim KC1JET* and seconded by *Brad W1AY*. The motion was approved.

PRESENTATION: Following the meeting a presentation was given by *Jeremy Breef-Pilz KB1REQ* on the logging program *N1MM* for Field Day.

AUCTION: After *Jeremy's KB1REQ* presentation, *Paul Moss KB1MTW* auctioned off several items that had been donated to the club.

RED CROSS SHELTER TRAINING -- By "The Bruce" NI1X

TAUNTON EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY (TEMA)



Each city or town is expected to set up and staff shelters with local trained registered volunteers, or participate in regional shelters, during times of local emergencies such as fires, floods, power outages caused by hurricanes, winter storms or tornados, and special instances such as hazardous material spill or the Taunton Dam crisis where an evacuation is ordered for the safety of the residents.

HAMs participating in TEMA / Red Cross Shelter training:

KB1KWF Rick Ferreira	– Director TEMA	KB1NMI Marc Levesque.
KB1LXI Rudy Burer	– Asst. Director TEMA	NI1X Bruce Hayden
N1EZH Barry Kennedy	W1DBC Dan Costa	KB1KZW Steve Foster

The City of Taunton has a special requirement. The city of Taunton has entered into an agreement where it has agreed to host students and teachers from Plymouth in the Taunton schools on a temporary basis as part of the Plymouth Nuclear Power Plant – Plymouth Evacuation Plan. If an evacuation is ordered during normal school hours, the students and teachers from Plymouth would be transported to host schools in Taunton, Bridgewater and Braintree. If all the students are not picked up or returned home by 8 p.m. this temporary situation could turn into an overnight shelter operation.

Backup amateur radio communication is an integral part of the Plymouth Evacuation Plan. The local cities and towns within a 10 mile radius of Plymouth have amateur radio equipment installed in their Emergency Operation Centers. Along with their Emergency Operations Center, the City of Taunton would have amateur radio operators at the Taunton Reception Center, Taunton Transportation Staging Area and about 16 Host schools.

COMMUNICATIONS RESPONSIBILITIES

1. INITIAL ACTION: Responding HAMs would meet with the Shelter Manager and determine the appropriate location for radios. In some cases, like the Taunton Reception Center, this has been agreed on in advance and radios and portable antennas are stored in "Go Kits" at the facilities. The HAMs would set up and establish contact with the local Emergency Operations Center.

2. ONGOING ACTION: Send and receive messages as required and maintain a communications log.

3. CLOSING ACTION: Return all equipment to owners and clean space.

VOLUNTEER PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS: There are several requirements that must be met before being accepted into local city or town volunteer program. This is to protect the safety of and well being of yourself, the other volunteers, the staff and those which we serve during the course of an emergency. If you are interested in volunteering with the Taunton Emergency Management Agency, contact **Rudy Burer KB1LXI** – Assist. Director of TEMA at E-mail tema2@tmlp.net and he will send you the necessary paper work to get started. The first step is a CORI check. All volunteers are required to take the following (free) FEMA sponsored on-line courses ICS 100, ICS 200 and ICS 700 along with an on-line "conflict of interest" test. Training is very important and many volunteers have taken Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) training and on going Red Cross shelter training. Each volunteer brings his own expertise and together they provide a valuable public service.



TISPAQUIN RUN AND WOODY'S WALK ROAD RACE: By: The Bruce N11X

The Massasoit Club volunteered to provide communication support for the Middleboro YMCA 10K Tispaquin Run and Woody's Walk Road Race held at Camp YOMECHAS in south Middleboro on Saturday, June 2, 2012. **Carl Aveni N1FY** had extended an invitation to all area HAMs to participate.



Bruce Hayden
N11X

Carl Aveni
N1FY

Walter Fitzgerald
W1WCF

Pete Curley
N1NVV

Roy Logan
KB1CYV

It was a dark and stormy night followed by rain showers on Saturday morning when **Carl N1FY** set up the Net Control station at the Start / Finish line and reported about 200 runners / walkers participating. The rest of the Radio Team was positioned around the 6.2 mile race course and operated on 146.535 MHz SIMPLEX.

The Bruce N11X saw about 60 runners pass his spot on the 10K race course. The first runner finished in 35 minutes and the last runner / walker, on the 6.2 mile course, finished in 1 hour and 50 minutes – just in time to see the last of the awards and raffle prizes given out.

The rest of the walkers / runners turned around at the 1-1/2 mile mark and retraced their steps as they finished the 3 mile Woody's Walk. The last person on Woody's Walk finished in 1 hour and 9 minutes.

Woody's Walk is in honor of the late **Lorenzo Wood "Woody"** who worked at the Middleboro YMCA after he retired. **Woody** was a special person who touched the lives of a lot of people and was liked by all. **The Bruce N11X** was a personal friend of **Woody**.



Doug Forbes Jr. SWL – Runner 46
Carl Aveni N1FY at Net Control



Tee Shirt - Front



← **Tee Shirt - Backside**

INTRODUCING SCOUTS TO AMATEUR RADIO

Paul Moss KB1MTW volunteered to coordinate an amateur radio demonstration at Camp Norse for the Scouts (boys and girls age 14 – 20 years old) who were participating in the 2012 Venture Games on Saturday, May 26, 2012. Volunteering to help were **Jeff Ayres KB1WKB**, **Roy Logan KB1CYV**, **Jeremy Breef-Pilz KB1REQ** and **Greg Glynn W1VFB**.

The Crew set up the Club's Off-Center-Fed dipole, the Club's Cushcraft R-5 vertical and a 2-Meter vertical.

Paul KB1MTW brought his "Go Kit" that included a Kenwood FT-450 HF transceiver and a Yaesu FT-8800 2-Meter transceiver and power supply.



Jeff Ayres KB1WKB

Roy Logan KB1CYV

Greg Glynn W1VFB

Paul Moss KB1MTW

Jeremy Breef-Pilz KB1REQ

RADIO TEAM VOLUNTEERS



Display Board



Paul Moss KB1MTW demonstrating the modified Spud Gun Launcher

The crew set up a display board with pictures, patches, and logos that were used to discuss the various amateur radio activities. They explained about Fox Hunting and the use of directional finding antennas.

They talked about the difference between regular local NETs and public service NETs like SKYWARN and emergency traffic NETs that are activated during times of local or national emergency. They explained that collecting, or swapping, QSL cards are like trading scout patches.

INTRODUCING SCOUTS TO AMATEUR RADIO Cont:

PUTTING WA1NPO ON-THE-AIR

Paul KB1MTW reported that the demonstration of the modified Spud Gun launcher, used to install antennas in the tallest trees, was a big hit.

Paul KB1MTW explained how some HAMs provide backup emergency communication between local emergency shelters and local city or town Emergency Operations Centers as registered town volunteers.

Paul KB1MTW had brought his Go Kit and explained that operating a Special Event Station or providing communication support for local Public Service Events, like a road race, are fun activities that help develop our skills and promotes amateur radio. HAMs have their own equipment and have demonstrated their ability to establish communication when all else fails.



Jeremy Breef-Pilz KB1REQ SSB



Jeremy KB1REQ explaining PSK- 31

Jeremy KB1REQ reported that 36 contacts were made with HAM operators in 16 states, 3 foreign countries and one Canadian Province. Contacts were made on 20-Meters using both voice (SSB) and digital PSK-31 modes of operation. Photos by **Jeff KB1WKB**

DID YOU KNOW: In April, the Boy Scouts added the requirements to earn a Morse code interpreter strip.

The strip denotes proficiency in a foreign language, or sign language and now Morse code at 5 wpm. The Morse code interpreter strip, shown above, is placed on the uniform, near the nameplate, and serves as an immediate, visual cue to others that the wearer is able to perform as an interpreter when needed. **Extra Class Question:** What word does the Morse code on the interpreter strip spell ??



NEXT VE EXAM

VE EXAM July 14, 2012: VE Exams are held the 2nd Saturday of every month, in Braintree. **Bill Needham K1WN** reports: "Walk-ins are no longer permitted. We will be hosting VE exams at 8:45 a.m. at the Watson Building located at 85 Quincy Avenue in Braintree. This is the exam location for the Braintree Radio Club sponsors. If you know of anyone planning to take an exam, please have them leave me a message at 781-843-4400 or via E-Mail at k1wn@aol.com to confirm a reservation".

Mike Canney Jr. (old K1MRG) has a new call sign W1BBJ.

FOX HUNT OF SATURDAY, JUNE 9th

By: "The Bruce" NI1X

The Bruce NI1X volunteered to be the Fox on Saturday, June 9, 2012 and was hiding in Cottage Park in Plymouth, MA. As you can see Sly the Fox rides in style with his seat belt on.

This was a special Fox Hunt in Plymouth that was arranged by **Judy Attaya-Harris KB1SRO** and promoted at the Genesis Club meeting. The weather was a beautiful 75 degrees.



Bruce Hayden NI1X

Sly the Fox



Shown Left to Right are **Ron Stundze KB1OEQ**, **Fred Sanford KA1CQD**, **Diane Smith KB1QNB**, **John Wittey N1PRK**, **Anthony Attaya-Harris KB1UHV**, **Kevin O'Donnell K1KOD**, **Walter Fitzgerald W1WCF**, **Roy Logan KB1CYV**, **John Chase KB1ODS**, **Judy Attaya-Harris KB1SRO**, **John Williams KB1EVY** and **Bruce Hayden NI1X**.

First place goes to the team of **Anthony Attaya-Harris KB1UHV** and **John Wittey N1PRK** in a time of 23 minutes.

Second place goes to the team of **Roy Logan KB1CYV** and **Ron Stundze KB1OEQ** in 39 minutes. They reported that they drove through the parking lot and never spotted the Fox – **The Bruce NI1X** – parked on the side in the shade, and had just left the area when they heard that the Fox had been found.

Third place goes to our stealth Fox Hunter **Walter Fitzgerald W1WCF** in 42 minutes.

Fourth place goes to the team of **Fred Sanford KA1CQD** and **Diane Smith KB1QNB** in a time of 1 hour and 1 minute.

Fifth place goes to **John Chase KB1ODS** in a time of 1 hour and 28 minutes.

Making the top teams possible was the team of **Judy Attaya-Harris KB1SRO** and **John Williams KB1EVY** followed by **Kevin O'Donnell K1KOD** in a time of 1 hour and 33 minutes. Pg. 9

FIRST MONDAY OF THE MONTH MEMA COMMUNICATION TEST

The Massachusetts Emergency Management Agency (MEMA) conducts a Radio Amateur Civil Emergency Service (RACES) communications test on the First Monday of the month. A roll call was made to see what cities and towns were represented and what hospitals were represented and then a SIMPLEX test conducted to determine who could be heard by Net Control and who needed a relay.

RACES VOLUNTEERS AT MEMA REGION II HEADQUARTERS



Bruce Hayden
N1IX



Doug Forbes Jr.
MEMA Local coordinator



John Miller
N1UMJ

Whitman Club members participating were **Bruce Hayden N1IX** – MEMA Region II Control Operator, **Barry Kennedy N1EZH** representing the Taunton Emergency Management Agency (TEMA) from home, **Kevin Dykes KB1MOC** and **Jeff Lehmann N1ZZN** at the Hanson Emergency Operations Center, **John O'Neill KB1QEM** operating from the South Shore Hospital and **Paul Moss KB1MTW** representing the town of Whitman from home.

Carl Aveni N1FY – the Amateur Radio Emergency Service (ARES) Assistant Emergency Coordinator for Eastern Massachusetts was operating from the town of Bridgewater EOC and reports that MEMA's plan to transition from licensed amateur radio RACES volunteers to Auxiliary Communication Service volunteers, who do not need an amateur radio license, is still in the development stages and will not take place July 1st as previously reported.

HOSPITAL COMMUNICATION TEST

John O'Neill KB1QEM reports that the South Shore Hospital Amateur Radio Club conducted another scheduled communication test between hospitals on Saturday, June 2, 2012.

John Barbuto K1BBM is shown at the mike with, L. to R.: **Paul Moss KB1MTW**, **Jeff Tracy N1SOM**, **Karen Trask N1VI**, **Stan Rydell KB1VGN** and **Al Drollett W1SM**. Photo by **Jim Tynan KC1JET**.

John KB1QEM also reports that the South Shore Hospital has a new 2-Meter antenna – twice as high and more gain.



John Barbuto K1BBM at the mike

FOX HUNT OF SATURDAY, JUNE 16, 2012 By: "The Bruce" NI1X

Roy Logan KB1CYV and Ron Stundze KB1OEQ volunteered to be the Fox and were hiding behind what looked like a metal public works garage in Abington at the end of East Street. The Fox's Den was near Thompson Pond and up against the fence at the South West corner of the old Weymouth Air Station. A great place to hide. They reported a deer peaking out of the woods.

First place goes to "The Bruce" NI1X in 53 minutes. Who found that when the metal building was between the Fox and the Fox hunter – the strongest readings were reflections that were 90 degrees off.

Second place goes to Richard KB1TEH in 2 hours and 10 minutes Richard KB1TEH reported that he was in the front yard of the Fox's den and left the area. The Foxes were well hidden.

Making the top teams possible was the team of Fred Sanford KA1CQD and Diane Smith KB1QNB who traveled from Plymouth and got within a half mile of the Foxes Den.



Ron Stundze KB1OEQ
Diane Smith KB1QNB
Fred Sanford KA1CQD

Roy Logan KB1CYV
Richard Metcalf KB1TEH
Bruce Hayden NI1X

DAYTON OHIO -- HAMVENTION -- MAY 18 – 20, 2012



Jim Tynan
KC1JET

Elayne Tovet
KB1IKH

Jim Tovet
W1JT

It was reported that there were 25,000 people in attendance at the Dayton Hamvention to visit the Flea Market, exhibits, and forums. Jim Tovet W1JT reported: "This was the best Dayton ever. We drove out Wednesday morning in rain. Stayed overnight in Youngstown, Ohio. Checked out Fair Radio Sales huge warehouse in Lima, Ohio and on to Dayton (Rummaging through the Fair Radio storage building is an adventure all to itself). At Dayton we saw good quality classic good condition boat anchor equipment at fair prices. The temperature was really hot and we were looking for shade. I picked up a 6-Meter Glagg AM transceiver, a new Kenwood DM710A transceiver with APRS, misc. antennas and connectors, and finally I picked up a HeathKit DX-60 and receiver (My original Novice Station).

SOUTH SHORE HOSPITAL ROAD RACE -- JUNE 16, 2012

WOMPATUCK STATE PARK IN HINGHAM

John O'Neill KB1QEM reported that the South Shore Hospital Amateur Radio Club volunteered to provide communication support for the South Shore Hospital sponsored Road Race for the Cardiovascular Care Unit held at Wompatuck State Park in Hingham on Saturday, June 16, 2012.

John KB1QEM said: "Last year we raised enough money to buy a new piece of equipment for the cardio rehab facility and they would love another one so our goal is to raise enough money to buy at least one more machine for them. Amateur Radio public service is interesting and offers a fun experience. The communication load for this event was fairly light, but safety and support for the participants and staff are always our primary concern".

Seen L. to R. are

Paul Moss KB1MTW

Karen Trask N1VI

John O'Neill KB1QEM

John Barbuto K1BBM

Stan Rydell KB1VGN

Jay Tarantino AB1II

Bill Wormald KB1VXL

Jeff Ayres KB1WKB



Public Service Volunteers

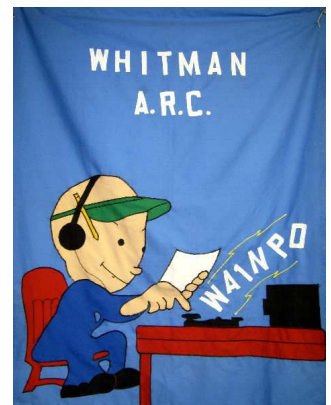
Because the Wompatuck State Park Road Race is run on bike trails through the woods, that were inaccessible by car, it was decided to utilize several bicycle mobile HAM radio operators on the Radio Team.

WHITMAN AMATEUR RADIO PUBLIC SERVICE NET (WARPSN)

The **WARPSN** NET meets every Sunday morning at 8:30 a.m. on the Whitman REPEATER 147.225 MHz (PL 67). Come join in and share your amateur radio related activities with the other area HAMs and short-wave listeners as well. We need your updates for the newsletter.

In May we had 4 sessions with an average of 20 area HAMs checking in each week and 12 messages were sent.

Checking in via EchoLink were: **Gary Dubinsky KB1STU**, who checked in from Edgewater, Florida, **Juergen DL1NBR** from Germany, **Jim Tovet W1JT** and **Elayne Tovet KB1IKH** mobile in Ohio returning from the Dayton HAMVENTION,



**Sending NI1X
an update**

Whitman Amateur Radio Club, Inc.

Dollars for Scholars Foundation Whitman Hanson Regional High School

Recipients

1991	Craig Finley
1992	Kimberly Ayer
1993	Danielle Conroy
1994	Cheryl Keniston
1995	Michael MacDonald
1996	Rob Hunter
1997	Steven LaMarre
1998	Allison Tremblay
2000	Sheena Lake
2002	Joseph Brogna
2003	Michael Naughton
2004	Patrick Hill
2005	Michael Sheehan
2006	Ashley Porter
2007	Amanda Morrison
2008	Nicholas Frazier
2009	Michael Saccone
2010	Nicole Teebagy
2011	Chelsea Murphy
2012	Alex Hochstrasser



UPCOMING EVENTS

GENERAL STUDY GROUP: Charlie Amico KB1WSZ has volunteered to coordinate a General Class Study Group and is exploring times and location. Contact **Charlie KB1WSZ** at sfccamico@gmail.com if interested.

JULY 8, 2012 – CAMP YOMECHAS TRIATHLON: The Massasoit Club has volunteered to provide communication support for the annual Triathlon Sponsored by the Middleboro YMCA and held at Camp Yomechas on Rt. 28 in South Middleboro on Sunday, July 8, 2012. **Carl Aveni N1FY** has extended an invitation to all area HAMs to participate. This race usually starts at 8 a.m. so we will meet at the Dunkin Donuts located at the intersection of Rt. 28 and Rt. 105 at 7 a.m. to get assignments.

AUGUST 17 thru 26, 2012: 145TH ANNUAL MARSHFIELD FAIR

AUGUST 24--25--26, 2012 -- BOXBORO

ARRL NEW ENGLAND CONVENTION Holiday Inn – Boxborough, MA.





WHITMAN AMATEUR RADIO CLUB, INC.
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MEETING SCHEDULE

Meetings are held on the first
 Wednesday of each month

The next meeting will be held at the
 Whitman Knights of Columbus, which is
 located at 1195 Bedford Street
 (Rt. 18) in Whitman, Mass.

NEXT MEETING

Wednesday, July 11th at 7:00 p.m.
 Whitman Knights of Columbus

Club REPEATER 147.225 MHz PL 67

Club IRLP Node 8691

Club EchoLink WA1NPO-R Whitman MA USA -- Club EchoLink Node 484193

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