



An ARRL Special Service Club

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NEXT MEETING

3rd Thursday, 18 January 2018, 7:30 PM

BARC Clubhouse & Communications Center
Sugarcreek Elementary School, Room 1 Lower Level
51 South East Street, Bellbrook
Talk-in on BARC 147.045(+) Repeater

Pre-Meeting Hospitality & Fellowship

Starts at 7:00 PM

PROGRAM

The Vacuum Tube, "Hollow State Technology"

by Ken Moak KM8AM

Ken will present an overview
of the history and application of vacuum tube technology
from the early day of radio through current uses
in some sound and RF communication equipment.

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Happy New Year !!!
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UPCOMING ACTIVITIES

BARC January 18th General Meeting

- **7:00 PM:** Pre-meeting Hospitality & Refreshments
- **7:30 PM:** Regular monthly Club meeting
- **Program:** *Vacuum Tubes...* by Ken Moak KM8AM
- **Business meeting:** Introducing 2018 Officers

North American SSB QSO Party

BARC plans to open its Communications Center for participation in the 2018 North American SSB QSO Party scheduled to run from 1:00 PM Saturday, January 20th through 12:59 AM Sunday January 21st.

All BARC members and "friends of BARC" are invited and encouraged to participate—just come on down to the Clubhouse during the scheduled hours. Or, for more information or to schedule a specific operating time, contact Ken Gunton W8ASA by email at Ken@OhioMicrowave.com or by his cell phone at (937) 830-1534.

Last year, running only two stations, we captured 19,200 points. This year, we should be able to run three stations, now that we have more antennas.

BARC "Dinner & A Movie"

The next **BARC "Dinner & A Movie Night"** will be January 25th, on the usual **LAST** Thursday of the month, at 7 **PM** at the BARC Clubhouse.

The movie title is "New in Town" and the dinner menu will be announced at the January Club meeting and via the BARC Reflector. All members and guests are invited to enjoy these monthly BARC fun and fellowship events.

BARC Planning Group Meeting (02/01)

The next BARC Planning Group Meeting will be held February 1st (1st Thursday) at 7:30 PM at the Clubhouse. All officers are expected to attend if available and all coordinators are encouraged to attend to participate in the discussions and planning of future BARC activities and projects. BARC members are always welcome to attend.

Greene County Skywarn Class (2/06)

The 2018 Greene County Skywarn Training Class will be presented by a meteorologist from the Wilmington National Weather Service Forecast Office on Monday, February 5th, **6:00 PM**, at the Greene County Jobs & Family Services Center, 541 Ledbetter Road, just east of US-42 south of Xenia

and just north of US-35 (formerly referred to as “the US-35 By-pass”).

The Montgomery County Skywarn Training Class will be held Saturday 10 March at 0900 at the Miami Valley Hospital Main Campus (Dayton) in the Berry Women’s Building Auditorium.

Contact Greene County EC or Montgomery County EC for more info. See ARES paragraphs below.

[MVMA MESH Meeting \(02/10\)](#)

The next meeting of the GCARES / Miami Valley Mesh Alliance will be Saturday, February 10th. The location, to be determined, will be announced via the BARC and other local email lists.

[Greene County License Courses \(2/11\)](#)

The Greene County Spring 2018 Amateur Radio License Courses begin Sunday 11 February and will continue for nine class sessions through April 15th. There will be no class on Easter Sunday, April 1st.

The Test Session will be held Sunday 22 April at 6:00 PM at Beaver Creek Township Fire Station 61.

FUTURE ACTIVITIES

[BARC February Club Meeting \(02/15\)](#)

The BARC February General Membership Meeting will be on the usual 3rd Thursday, February 15th. Further details in the February Newsletter.

[Antennas Course Rescheduled for 3rd Week of February](#)

Because of scheduling constraints, the BARC “Antennas” Study Group (part of BARC’s continuing education program) has been postponed until the third week of February 2018. Exact day and time will be announced via the BARC Email Reflector before the end of January.

[Greene County ARES \(02/26\)](#)

The next Greene County ARES meeting will be Monday, February 26, 2017, 7:30 PM, at Beaver Creek Township Fire Station 61 Training Room, Dayton Xenia Road just west of Orchard Lane. Further details via the respective email lists.

For more information about Greene County ARES, contact EC Henry Ruminski, W8HJR, at Henry.Ruminski@wright.edu.

[Montgomery County ARES \(02/27\)](#)

The next Montgomery County ARES general membership meeting will be Tuesday, February 27, 2017, 7:00 PM at the American Red Cross Dayton Area Chapter, located at 370 West First Street, just east of I-75 in downtown Dayton. For more information about Montgomery County ARES, contact EC Rob Flory KA5RUC at KA5RUC@MoCoARES.org

GENERAL INFORMATION & REPORTS

[BARC Clubhouse Street Level Access](#)

Remember that street level access to the BARC Clubhouse is now available for members preferring not to have to climb up and down steps in order to attend BARC meetings, movie night and other Club activities.

A volunteer team of BARC members will take turns welcoming members and guests, who prefer street level access, to enter at the Gym exterior entrance on the north side of the school (near the rear north-east corner) from apx 7:00-7:30 PM on regular meeting nights and movie nights. We don’t want anyone not to attend Club meetings and activities because of the steps.

[Bellbrook CPR & First Aid Courses](#)

Bill Beeman KD8DGG, retired long time member of Bellbrook Fire Department, will be offering CPR and First Aid courses during 1st Quarter of 2018 on the following dates:

- CPR 1/15/18, 2/12/18, 3/12/18
- 1st aid 1/22/18, 2/19/18, 3/19/18

Time: Classes start at 6:00pm

Location: Bellbrook Fire Station 2
4254 West Franklin Street

Cost: \$25.00

To Register: Contact Bill at 848-2825, (m) 409-2838
or email: beemanwo@sbcglobal.net

[BARC 2018 Dues Now Payable](#)

BARC Treasurer Paul Sharp KD8OPN has announced that he is now accepting dues for 2018.

Most BARC memberships expire December 31, 2017.

- Annual membership renewal is \$15 per member and \$3 for each additional family member living at the same address.

- New members joining BARC in November or December 2017 pay \$15 which includes 2018 dues.
- Free memberships for hams newly licensed in 2017 expire 12 months from the end of the month first licensed.
- BARC members first licensed in 2017 who elected free membership will be notified by the Treasurer of their free membership expiration date. Such members will pay a pro-rated amount of dues for the 2018 membership year.
- 2017 memberships become delinquent if not renewed by the February 2018 meeting. The 2018 Membership Directory will include all members who have renewed or joined by 1 March 2018.

Dues help support Club activities such as the Clubhouse, the Communications Center, Field Day expenses, the Repeaters, and other purchases and activities as approved by the Club during the year.

BARC Treasurer Paul Sharp will accept dues at Club meetings and other Club activities or you may send your check via U.S. mail to:

Paul Sharp KD8OPN, BARC Treasurer
PO Box 73, Bellbrook OH 45305

When you pay your 2018 dues, please complete and return a new Membership Registration Form to update Club records. Registration Form available from Treasurer or may be downloaded from BARC website (www.bellbrookarc.org/)

A separate Registration Form should be completed for each family member. Please include ALL of the information requested (for Club records). You may draw a circle around any information you do not want published in the BARC Directory. Information in the BARC Directory is confidential only to the extent that the Directory is distributed only to Club members and is not to be given out to non-members.

A 2018 BARC Directory will be distributed by email and a few printed copies may be available at the March 2018 Club meeting.

[BARC 2018 Meeting Presentations](#)

BARC Program Presentation Coordinator Ken Moak KM8AM announced the following Schedule of Programs to be presented for the 2018 Meetings.

2018 Program Schedule

A series of presentations on "Back to Basics"

Jan: The Vacuum Tube, "Hollow State Technology," Ken, KM8AM

Feb: "Using Antenna Tuners," Roger Parrett NQ8RP

Mar: "BARC Annual Dinner Meeting"

Apr: "Antenna Analyzers," Mike Suhar W8RKO

May: Pre-Hamvention Chat "Whatcha Going To Buy"

Jun: "Pre-Field Day Plan," Ray Hitt FD Coordinator

Jul: Possible SKYPE Video from DX Engineering: "K3LR Contest Super Station"

Aug: "Post-Field Day Photo Review & Wrap Up,"

Sep: "Grounding and Bonding", Ken, KM8AM

Oct: "Annual Chili Dinner"

Nov: TBD

Dec: TBD

This leaves just two requested topics needing presenters:

- 1: Basic Operating Techniques - HF
- 2: Basic Operating Techniques - VHF

Please contact Ken Moak if you would like to speak on one of these topics. Presentations normally are 20-45 minutes and can be in whatever style you want. The 2018 open months are November and December.

[BARC Weekly Net—Sundays 8 PM](#)

Remember to join your friends for the BARC weekly Net on Sunday evenings at 8:00 PM on the BARC 2m repeater, 147.045 (+)(no PL).

The Net provides an opportunity between Club meetings to share news and information about Club and personal projects and activities.

Thank You! to our current regular Net Control Operators Ken Moak KM8AM, Greg Goffe N8DRG, Paul Sharp KD8OPN, Eric Vinande KG6NFJ and Mike Kinsey KD8GME (on 5th Sundays).

[BARC Fundraising Opportunities](#)

• [Kroger's Rewards Program](#)

Please remember to use your Kroger Card when shopping at Kroger's and support BARC through the Kroger Rewards Program. If you have not yet signed up and need help, please bring your Kroger Card to the next BARC meeting and we'll help you get registered.

• [AmazonSmile Rewards Program](#)

BARC is now registered in an Amazon rewards program called **AmazonSmile**. Charitable and non-profit organizations receive **0.5%** of total purchase price (small but it adds up over time). A web page of basic Q&A info on the AmazonSmile program is available at:

http://smile.amazon.com/about/ref=smi_se_ft_abt_saas

You must shop through **smile.amazon.com** for BARC to receive benefits. You can use your existing Amazon account. To sign up, simply select Bellbrook Amateur Radio Club as your preferred charity when prompted.

AmazonSmile is a simple and automatic way for BARC members (and family and friends) to support BARC, at no cost to you, every time you shop at Amazon. When you shop at smile.amazon.com, you'll find the exact same low prices, vast selection & convenient shopping experience as Amazon.com, with the added bonus that Amazon will donate a portion of the purchase price to BARC. So, be sure to register in AmazonSmile the next time you shop At Amazon and then log back in at AmazonSmile.

ARRL Discounted Membership Offer

BARC members are reminded that one of the benefits of Club membership is the opportunity to become an ARRL member at a discounted price.

BARC is an ARRL affiliated club and receives a commission for new first-time ARRL memberships transacted through the Club. BARC passes on this discount as a club membership benefit in order to promote ARRL membership.

BARC members currently receive a \$15 discount on a NEW first year ARRL membership cost when placed through the Club. Please contact BARC Treasurer Paul Sharp KD8OPN for details.

PAST ACTIVITIES

Minutes-December 21st Club Meeting

By Steve Siwecki KD8NUC, Secretary

Officers and Members-at-Large Present: 5

- Chris Stauter KD8APN, President
- Paul Sharp KD8OPN, Treasurer
- Steve Siwecki KD8NUC, Secretary
- Jim Totten WA8HUB Sr. Director
- Don Parker KP8PSL, Jr. Director

General Membership Present: 33

Guests: 6

Total Attendance: 44

Quorum: Yes

Officers and Members-at-Large Absent:

- Ray Hitt N8VMX, Vice President (excused)

Call to Order. The President called the meeting to order at 7:30 pm and opened with the US Pledge of Allegiance.

Meeting Program. Digital Mobile Radio (DMR), by Jack Gerbs WB8SCT.

Approval of Club Meeting Minutes. Ken Gunton W8ASA put forth the motion to approve the November 2017 General Membership Meeting minutes as written. Jim Totten WA8HUB offered a second to the motion. The motion passed by a vote of the membership present.

BARC Financial Report. Treasurer Paul Sharp reported that BARC was solvent and provided a financial summary for the prior period ending 7 December 2017.

Paul also reported income in the current period to date of \$80.00 from Kroger Community Rewards and an expense of \$90.00 for BARC's PO Box rental.

Approval of the Treasurer's Report. Greg Goffe N8DRG put forth the motion to approve the Treasurer's report as presented. Mel Metzler KD8VWC offered a second to the motion. The motion passed by a vote of the membership present.

Communication Center Coordinator: Ken Moak KM8AM reports that additional blue connectors are needed for the patch panel.

Election of 2018 club officers and Members-at-Large. Henry Bussey, W8TOG, Chairman of this year's BARC nomination committee, announced the following candidates for the BARC Officer and the Jr. Director seats for calendar year 2018 as follows.

- President – Natinka Siwecki, KD8NUA
- Vice President – Jim Totten, WA8HUB
- Secretary – Steve Siwecki, KD8NUC
- Treasurer – Paul Sharp, KD8OPN
- Jr. Director – Jim Lusk, KC8EFD

Henry noted that all positions are unopposed and thus recommended that the vote be held by simple acclamation.

Henry also noted that per the BARC Constitution and By-Laws, the 2017 Jr. Director, Don Parker, KB8PSL, assumes the Sr. Director seat for 2018 automatically.

Darryl Fowler KD8JQE put forth a motion to elect the unopposed slate of candidates by acclamation. Ken Gunton W8ASA offered a second to the motion. The motion passed by a vote of the membership present.

Hospitality Coordinator: Tink Siwecki reports the annual BARC Christmas Lunch will be held at Marion's Piazza on Friday, December 29th at 11:00 AM. The next **BARC Dinner and Movie night** will be held on Thursday, January 25th; details are forthcoming.

Ken Moak reports that an Icom IC7300 radio was disconnected with no explanation. Please do not disturb the equipment without good reason. If it is

deemed necessary to do so, please inform the club so that appropriate action may be taken.

A special thank you to Chris Stauter for all of his hard work for the club as president for the past two years, the support of BARC's activities and the communication center; especially the tower climbing. Great Job!

BARC Polo Shirts / Sweatshirts. Don Parker reports that seven members have expressed interest in purchasing either BARC polo shirts or sweatshirts. Don will send out information to the Club via the reflector. Don also noted that members may purchase shirts directly from Logos @ Work at any time; just ask for "Tim".

Jim Tiderman N8IDS, on behalf of DARA, complimented The Bellbrook Amateur Radio Club, as being well run and hospitable. He noted great camaraderie and members' interest in their club. He described BARC as a "credit to Ham Radio".

BARC T-Shirts. Paul Sharp is seeking members that are interested in placing orders for BARC T-shirts. One person thus far has expressed interest.

Adjournment: A motion to adjourn the meeting was put forth by Joe Muchnij N8QOD. Ken Gunton W8ASA offered a second to the motion. The motion passed by a vote of the membership present. The meeting adjourned at 8:51PM.

[Planning Group Notes—Jan. 4th, 2018](#)

By Steve Siwecki KD8NUC, Secretary

Officers & Members-at-Large Present:

Natinka Siwecki KD8NUA, President
Jim Totten WA8HUB Vice President
Paul Sharp KD8OPN, Treasurer
Steve Siwecki KD8NUC, Secretary
Don Parker KB8PSL, Sr. Director

Functional Coordinators Present:

Bob French AC8ZU, Webmaster
Ray Hitt N8VMX, Field Day
Ken Moak KM8AM, Communication Center
Roger Parrett NQ8RP, EmComm/Prep (acting)
Russ Roysden N8NPT, Repeaters
Henry Ruminski W8HJR, GCARES Liaison
Fred Stone W8LLY, Edu. /Newsletter

General Membership Present:

Roger J. Hoffman WB9BXT
Mel Metzler KD8VWC
Karen Moak KM8Q
Lynn Rogers KE8FLL
Chris Stauter KD8APN

Officers & Members-at-Large Absent:

Jim Lusk KC8EFD, Jr. Director

The Meeting was called to order at 7:33 by the President.

Communication Center (Ken Moak)

Ken announced that he will be stepping down as communication center coordinator, meeting program coordinator and BARC net controller. He nominated Roger Hoffman WB9BXT as his replacement and stated his qualifications. The planning group will recommend his approval at the January 2018 General Membership Meeting.

Hardline: Ken noted that the repeater hardline still needs to be transported from his house to the repeater site and that the ½-inch hardline presently at the repeater site needs to be transported to the Clubhouse.

Tower Climber: Roger Hoffman noted that he is a tower climber but expressed physical concerns. Emerio Ordoñez TG9AZB had expressed an interest but doesn't have climbing gear.

Meeting Program Coordinator. A new program coordinator is being sought to replace Ken Moak, Traditionally the Vice President (although not required) has assumed this role. Jim Totten will take it under consideration.

Repeaters (Russ Roysden).

Noise continues to be an intermittent problem on the VHF repeater. Russ has investigated several possibilities such as checking/replacing accessible connectors in the shack. Russ notes that the issue is not on the transmit side of the repeater as the ID'er always transmits clearly. He states that he does not have the equipment, such as a spectrum analyzer, for proper troubleshooting and diagnosis. It was suggested that he check with DARA for the possibility of borrowing some of the needed diagnostic equipment. Fred Stone may have access to a spectrum analyzer. Russ will lead the troubleshooting effort if someone can help with borrowing equipment. Russ also indicated that he has a spare pair of duplexers that could be tried.

6-m repeater donation. Russ has located the transmitter and determined that it functions well. He has not yet located the receiver. Work on this repeater will not happen until warmer weather.

Echo Link/IRLP. Eric is fabricating a cable to connect the IRLP/Echo Link Raspberry Pi system to the 2m repeater. He should be able to test it within the next two months depending on weather. Russ will work with Eric. Russ will recheck the internet connection within the next couple of weeks.

Newsletter (Fred Stone): Fred notes that all is well with the newsletter. There are two newsletter

mailing lists: 1) BARC members and 2) Friends of BARC. Financial information is sent only to BARC members.

BARC Website (Bob French/Jim Totten). Jim reports that he and Bob are making progress on the website. Bob serves as the webmaster and Jim serves as the content coordinator.

Social Media (Tink Siwecki). Tink reports that she was able to gain access to BARC's YouTube channel and that Ken's IC7300 presentation has been published. There is interest in placing Jack Gerbs DMR presentation on YouTube if he grants permission.

Sunday BARC Net. Net controllers are needed for the 1st and 2nd Sunday of the Month. To replace Ken Moak and Greg Goffe N8DRG. Greg is willing to sub on occasion if needed. John Rawson KE8HUV was recommended as a potential net controller. An announcement will be made at the January general membership meeting. Eric Vinande has been the de facto Chief Net Controller, however Paul Sharp is willing to assume the role of Chief Net Controller should Eric decline the official role.

Education. (Fred Stone). Green County spring license courses will begin February 11th and continue for nine weeks. There will be no classes on Easter Sunday. Fred to announce the courses to the public shortly.

Study Groups. The digital study group is on hold. The Antenna study group should begin in mid-February either on Mondays or Wednesdays and continue for four or five weeks.

Contesting. Paul Sharp recommends attending Contest University held the week of Hamvention. <https://www.contestuniversity.com> . Thursday May 17, 2018. Cost is \$85.00.

Hospitality. BARC Dinner and Movie Night will be held on the 25th of January featuring "New in Town". Dinner TBA.

Emergency Preparedness (Roger Parrett). Role in transition from Fred Stone.

Field Day (Ray Hitt). Chairmanship is transitioning from Darryl Fowler KD8JQE to Ray. Darryl has kept excellent documentation. Ray has requested the shelter reservation with Sugarcreek Township Parks. Work is just getting started. Ray will include "Antenna Configuration" as a topic of concern when the Field Day Committee is formed.

Public Service (Don Parker).

- Don Parker is working with Logos-at-Work for a polo shirt and sweatshirt order.

- Green Co. Skywarn Weather spotter class Monday February 5th at the Ledbedder Rd. location.
- Next public service event is the Sugar Maple Parade in April.
- Darryl Fowler will continue to coordinate the LMRK event.

Financial Report (Paul Sharp).

- Some of the recently donated equipment has been sold. The remainder will be offered through the Miami Valley Reflector; then E-bay.
- Paul continues to collect membership dues for 2018. Dues must be paid by the end of February for members to be included in the 2018 membership directory.
- Paul will handle T-Shirt orders; Don will handle polo shirt and sweatshirt orders. Paul will collect the money.

Old business:

- **Coax from Patch Panel to front of clubhouse:** No action.
- **Emergency Lights:** Installation planned for week of 15 January.
- **Selling of surplus equipment.** All donated radios from Bellbrook/Sugarcreek have been de-programmed. Recommendation to sell these radios on E-bay; perhaps as a lot. Ask Ken Gunton for help with E-bay.

New business:

- **Purchase tower climbing equipment?** No! – due to potential safety and liability issues. Better to hire out or secure volunteers with their own equipment. Options were discussed.
- **OSPOTA.** Does BARC want to participate to win or simply have fun. Turn out for 2017 was not as great as expected. Second place winner for 2017 was a new and highly motivated participant. BARC to consider changing categories.
- **QSL and Logging Coordinator.** Position is currently vacant. Henry Bussey W8TOG has been handling the paper logging only; not electronic.

Adjournment. The president adjourned the meeting at 8:53 PM.

Please see below for:

- Regularly Scheduled Nets
- *BARC Calendar*
- *2017 Officers & Coordinators*
- *In the Event of an Emergency Situation*
- *Directions to the BARC Clubhouse*

REGULARLY SCHEDULED NETS

Daily (Sunday through Saturday)	1030, 1615 and 1845 <u>Ohio Single Sideband Net (OSSBN)</u> Primary: 3972.5 KHz LSB Alternates: 3968 & 7272 KHz LSB
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Sundays	<u>1900 Newcomers & Elmers Net</u> (Cincinnati) 146.670 (-) (123.0 PL)
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Sundays	<u>2000 BARC Weekly Net</u> 147.045 (+) (no PL) [Alt = 443.675]
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Sundays	<u>2100 Miami Co. Voice/Data Net</u> (Data Net follows Voice Net) 145.230 (-) (no PL)
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Tuesdays	<u>1900 Ohio ARES HF Net</u> W8SGT Net Control at OEMA HQ Primary: 3920 KHz LSB (+/- QRM) Alternate: 7240 KHz LSB
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Tuesdays	<u>1945 Ohio ARES HF Digital Net</u> Primary: 3585 KHz USB Alternate: 7072 KHz USB
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Tuesdays	<u>2000 MoCoARES Weekly Net</u> 146.640 (-) (123.0 Hz PL) (<u>Except</u> —No Net on last Tuesday of even months (MoCoARES meeting)) (<u>Except</u> —On 2 nd Tuesday: Voice and Data Net on 444.250 (+) (123.0 PL))
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Tuesdays	<u>2100 GCARES Net</u> (Voice/Data/Mesh) 146.910 (-)(no PL) [Alt = 442.725]
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Wednesdays	<u>2000 Ohio District 3 ARES Net</u> (West Central Ohio Regional Net) <u>Currently (Until Further Notice) --</u> <u>Use Alternate Repeater</u> Primary: 145.110 (-) (67.0 PL) Alternate: 146.820 (-) (77.0 PL)
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Wednesdays	<u>2000 Beginners Net</u> (Dayton Area) 444.875 (+) (94.8 PL)
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BARC CALENDAR

(ALL TIMES ARE LOCAL)

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Happy New Year !!!

JANUARY 2018

04 Th	BARC Planning Committee Meeting 1930 BARC Clubhouse
13 Sa	GCARES/MVMA Meeting—0930-1200 Location TBA
13 Sa	Ohio ARES VHF-UHF Simplex Contest 1000-1600 6m/2m/70cm Voice & Data
18 Th	BARC Regular Monthly Meeting 1930 BARC Clubhouse
25 Th	BARC “Dinner & A Movie” 1900 BARC Clubhouse
-----	NO GCARES Meeting This Month
-----	NO MoCoARES Meeting This Month

FEBRUARY 2018

01 Th	BARC Planning Committee Meeting 1930 BARC Clubhouse
05 M	Greene County Skywarn Training—1800 Greene County Jobs & Family Center Room, 541 Ledbetter Rd, Xenia
10 Sa	GCARES/MVMA Meeting—0930-1200 Location TBA
11 Su	GC License Courses Begin 1900 – 2100 Concurrent Locations Technician Class: BARC Clubhouse General Class: Beaver Creek Fire Station 1 Extra Class: Fairborn Fire Station 2
11 Su	BARC Clubhouse—1900-2130 GC Technician Class License Course
15 Th	BARC Regular Monthly Meeting 1930 BARC Clubhouse
18 Su	BARC Clubhouse—1900-2130 GC Technician Class License Course
22 Th	BARC “Dinner & A Movie” 1900 BARC Clubhouse
25 Su	BARC Clubhouse—1900-2130 GC Technician Class License Course
26 M	GCARES Meeting, 1930, BTFD Station 61
27 Tu	Montgomery County ARES Meeting, 1900, Red Cross Dayton Area Chapter

MARCH 2018

01 Th	BARC Planning Committee Meeting 1930, BARC Clubhouse
04 Su	BARC Clubhouse—1830-2130 GC Technician Class License Course
10 Sa	Montgomery County Skywarn Training 0900 – 1200, Miami Valley Hospital Berry Women’s Building Auditorium
11 Su	BARC Clubhouse—1830-2130 GC Technician Class License Course
15 Th	BARC 40 th Annual Dinner Meeting 1830 Golden Corral Beaver Creek
18 Su	BARC Clubhouse—1830-2130 GC Technician Class License Course
18-24	Ohio Severe Weather Awareness Week
21 W	Ohio Statewide Tornado Drill -- 9:50 am GC WX Net -- 147.165(+)(123.0 PL)
25 Su	BARC Clubhouse—1830-2130 GC Technician Class License Course
29 Th	BARC “Dinner & A Movie” 1900 BARC Clubhouse

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In the event of an actual,
anticipated or potential
emergency situation,
MONITOR (or ACTIVATE)

a Greene County
Information & Alerting Net
on 147.165 MHz (Alt: 147.045)

Directions to the BARC Clubhouse and Communications Center

The BARC Clubhouse
& Communication Center
Rooms 1 & 3 Lower Level
Sugarcreek Elementary School
51 S. East Street, Bellbrook
(One block east & one block south
from the traffic light
in downtown Bellbrook —
Enter at South end of building)