

COOKEN MAY 2016 MEETING NOTES

- Location – Warner Library on COTC Campus
- Meeting called to order by President Russ Payne (W8ATA)
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- **Meeting Attendees:**
 - Unknown
 - No sign-in sheet was turned in.
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- **Secretaries Report:**
 - Reading of the last minutes:
 - Bret KD8SCL was absent, Mike WD8JLP took notes.
- **Treasurer's Report:**
 - Fund Balance: \$507.43, With 19 paid members.
 - Club dues are due.
- **Committee Reports:**
 - o **Contest:**
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 - o **ARES Report: Russ W8ATA**
 - A report was given about a VHF/UHF antenna and a tower to be erected on the Red Cross property. Funds and permission for this project has been approved.
 - There was an additional discussion about a possible NVIS antenna being erected on the buildings A/C unit. Nothing was resolved about this matter.
 - Tour de Cure is Jun 11th. Alan (KD8TNS) is chairman for this event. Additional volunteer operators are currently needed.

- There is also a 5K run in downtown Newark on Jun 11th. Operators are also needed for this event. Operators could work this event with little coordination.
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o **CERT Report: Mike WD8JLP**

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• **Trustee:**

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• **Old Business:**

- COOKEN wants to thank Tom Ecobery (W8YOK) for repairing the 444.500 Khz. repeater. This repeater was repaired and put back on the air in time for the B-Weekly CERT Net. Additional repairs are still required.

• **New Business:**

- Weldon (K8NQ) reminded everyone of the NARA meeting that had been changed to May 14th at 1800 hrs to coincide with the Dayton Hamvention next weekend.
- Scott (KE8CIK) said that there was a cram Technician class and VE session on 28th of May in Zanesville. Contact Scott if interested.
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MIKE KD8DZ gave a presentation on Amateur Radio in the 21st century.

- Meeting was adjourned @ 12:35