



# Q-Match

WARREN AMATEUR



October 2007

2006 Ohio Section  
Newsletter Contest Winner

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## Awards Banquet



This year's award's banquet will be catered and held at the First United Methodist Church on October 7, 2007, located at 309 N. Park Ave in Warren, Ohio. Social hour is at 5pm with dinner to follow at 6pm.

The cost is \$10.00 per person, under 4 no charge and must be paid when you sign up.

Anyone planning on attending this year's banquet please signup as soon as possible with

the chairperson/Julie Morris KD8FVI, at [330] 240-6015 leave a message and she will call you back or e-mail her at [kd8fvi@yahoo.com](mailto:kd8fvi@yahoo.com) you can sign up at the club's next meeting.

Below is the menu:

- Roast Beef,
- Fried Chicken,
- Rigatoni,
- Parsley Potatoes,
- Green Beans,

Also included is drink: coffee, tea, lemonade, iced tea.

We are in need of deserts , so if you would like to contribute to our banquet please contact me with the item you will be bringing.

Thanks Julie KD8FV

## For Your Information



Renee McCamen asked me to run this little warning! Her niece's purse was snatched over the weekend. So please be careful shopping.

Women at Wal-Mart and Giant Eagle on Elm Rd. please watch your purses when you

are shopping, there is a purse-snatcher working those locations.

There has been several reports in the past month. So it's a good idea to strap your handbags into the cart with the child seatbelt just to make

it a little harder for them to snatch your purse. Or have it over your shoulder so someplace that would make it hard for anyone to get hold of it.

Thanks Renee

KB8SVF



**Schedule of Events**

- Oct 1 ....10:30 am ... Brunch, W. Farmington Sr. Center
- Oct. 2....7:30 pm... WARA Meeting, First United Methodist Church
- Oct. 6....9 am ... Breakfast, Wayside in Champion
- Oct. 6.... PCARS VE Testing
- Oct. 7.... 5pm...WARA Award Banquet, First United Methodist Church
- Oct 8.... 10:30 am ... Brunch, W. Farmington Sr. Center
- Oct. 15....10:30 am ... Brunch, W. Farmington Sr. Center
- Oct. 16.... 7:30 pm... WARA Meeting, First United Methodist Church
- Oct. 20....9 am ... Breakfast, Wayside in Champion
- Oct. 20...5pm...Bob & Mary's Wedding Day,,,, Chateau Michele in Canton , Ohio
- Oct. 22....10:30 am ... Brunch, W. Farmington Sr. Center
- Oct. 28....2pm... Warren City's Halloween Parade
- Oct 29....10:30 am ... Brunch, W. Farmington Sr. Center

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# October 2007

Please check schedule for Dates and times!!!

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	2 WARA Meeting	3 KB8OVA	4	5	6 Breakfast
7 Award Banquet	8	9	10 KC8YHJ	11	12	13
14	15	16 WARA Meeting	17 KC8RAL	18	19	20 Bob/Mary's Wedding
21	22	23	24 KD8FVI	25	26	27
28 Hal-loween Parade	29	30	31			

**WARA's 2 M net every Wednesday night on 146.970 at 9pm**

## Paper Chase

I have written about collecting all sorts of things, but one I have not is collecting prefixes. Here is a prefix currently active on the air and you should be able to work them in the afternoon. The following information is from qrz.com.

DR80AMA is the special call sign to celebrate 80 years of Amateur radio in Germany! We will be active from 01.05.07 to 31.12.07 with this call sign. Special DOK for the station is 80AMA. Opera-

tion with this call will be by the members of "Radio-Taubeneiche-Contest-Club" RTCC, Normally DP4K in Contests. Please visit our HP to see some pictures of the station and us. We operated the CQ-WW-WPX CW contest with this call and had some fun. We got 2902 QSO and 5.666 Mio Points in M/S category. Many TNX to all who gave us some Points!



We hope to give a new prefix to many of you and you enjoyed the QSO with us.





# Hamfest

So it's finally over and it wasn't the flop so many of you thought it would be, besides the rain and the food vendor not showing it was a success. We made about a 500-dollar profit . And big thank you to everyone who showed up and work their butts off for it to be a success.

A special thanks to Shirley

Van Slyke and George Houtz for making coffee for all our guests. We received many donations for door prizes that help us keep the cost of prizes down this year.

So for anyone that might have heard the rumor that we was not having Hamfest next year, that is completely FALSE. We will be having Hamfest next year and it will

be in memory of Karl Gerlt KF8MG, our treasure that passed away just hours after this year Hamfest. We lost a wonderful men who will be truly missed and always in our hearts and prayers.

Once again a big Thank-you to all who helped make it a success

Chris KD8BHR

# Sunshine and Sick

. First off I would like to congratulate our new Tech, Berry KD8GIT and also congratulations goes to Gail KC8LRH and Sharon KD8GTI for their upgrades to Extra.

Also our V. President is getting married October 20th and we wish them



Mary and Bob KC8PVB

the best of luck and a happy future.

Now for the best wishes for a speedy recovery goes to,

Lyle KB8OVA is starting chemotherapy again and wish him the best .

Lee KA8TGXJ just had some surgery and is and misses being at the meetings.

If I missed someone please let me know , I can't congratulate them or wish the well if I don't know about them .

Sherman KC8YHJ

# Paper Chase Continued

We will send QSL card via the burro or direct after we got yours. We prefer QSL via the burro. If you send direct, please be sure you include a SAE and enough

postage for the way back to you. Please send US \$ for postage and NO IRC! MANY THANKS! MANY THANKS FOR THE QSO AND HOPE

TO MEET YOU SOON!

For the DR80AMA birthday team  
Heiko, DK3DM



**Editors Note:** Please have your articles to me by October 26th. Thank you to everyone that contribute to the Q-Match, If you have any ideas for the newsletter please let me know either by email kc8ral@yahoo.com or by phone [330]394-3560 . Emily KC8RAL



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Wishing every one a hearty ARL FOURTH SIX on their special day...

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