



# Wavelengths

## President's Message

Happy March, XWARN!

Lots of things are beginning this month! Warmer weather and thunderstorms are starting up again. Are you prepared for a weather net? Skywarn holds classes every year, if not. Consider attending whether it is your first time or you go every year. The Statewide Tornado Drill is this month. We host the resource net for this drill on our very own repeater. Hope to hear you on the drill. In addition to weather, the first public service event in our area for the year is at the end of this month - the Xenia Marathon. Come on out and help! Daylight Saving time is upon us again. More time to operate the higher bands! Hope to see you at the meeting on March 9, 2026 at 7pm.

73,  
Elizabeth, KE8FMJ

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### XWARN Repeaters

- 147.1650+ (123.0)
  - Analog
  - ECHOLINK
- 443.1000+ (123.0)
  - Analog
  - System Fusion





## Meeting Minutes 2/2/2026

Meeting Open - 7:00pm

Introductions

Cracker Barrel

Clermont county now has a qualified AUX-C Ham Operator (N8TAG)

Minutes Approval

N8FRW, KE8NHT - motion passes

Treasurer Report - N8ILR

N8FRW, Don - motion passes

Secretary Information - KE8LPK

No Updates

Public Service - N8ADO

Xenia Marathon - March 29 (moved due to Easter)

-Contact N8ADO for more information or to volunteer

Trailer - N8ADO

Snowed in, but accessible

MARCS radio may need replaced due to changes on that system

N8ADO will reach out

Xenia Fire interested in operating out of the truck

Technical / Repeater - KE8LPK

No Changes on second repeater status

40M kit for trailer is at KE8LPK / KE8FMJ QTH

Website - KE8NHT

Send Changes or updates to KE8NHT

Membership - N8FRW

6 Life, 16 paid

Social Media - KE8FMJ

Weather Regularly posted

Send information to KE8FMJ to post

Old Business

4H Update - KA8DQK

Call Sign Received K4HGC

Getting into weather, encouraged to take Spotter Training

Skywarn Training

Virtual Feb 19 6p to 8p

In Person March 7 9a-12p at MVH Auditorium

Kroger Community Rewards

Please sign up

WinLink Node

### Monthly Nets

First Monday of Every Month  
at 7:00 P.M.

Using the 147.1650+ (123.0)  
repeater

### Monthly Meeting

Second Monday of Every  
Month at 7:00 P.M.

**Greene County Fairgrounds**

**OSU Extension Building**

120 Fairground Rd

Xenia, OH 45385

# Meeting Minutes Continued

GCARES node not reliable  
 Setup Gateway / Digipeater?

New Business

T-Shirt Order

No Updates

Presentation - N8ADO

AirForce Marathon Update

Meeting Closed - 8:05pm

## Calendar of Events

March		
3	GCARES Voice/Digital Net, 146.910	9:00pm
3	Ohio ARES D3 Net, 145.110	8:00pm
7	Skywarn In Person Training - MVH	9:00am
9	XWARN Monthly Meeting, OSU Extension Building	7:00pm
10	GCARES Voice/Digital Net, 146.910	9:00pm
10	Ohio ARES D3 Net, 145.110	8:00pm
17	4H Amateur Radio Club, OSU Extension Building	6:30pm
17	GCARES Voice/Digital Net, 146.910	9:00pm
17	Ohio ARES D3 Net, 146.820	8:00pm
18	Ohio - Statewide Tornado Drill - 147.165	9:50am
23	GCARES Meeting, Station 61 Community Room	7:00pm
24	GCARES Voice/Digital Net, 442.725	9:00pm
24	Ohio ARES D3 Net, 146.820	8:00pm
29	Xenia Marathon	7:00am
31	GCARES Voice/Digital Net, 442.725	9:00pm
31	Ohio ARES D3 Net, 146.820	8:00pm

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