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COMMUNICATING TO THE OTHER SIDE OF THE PLANET VIA AMATTEUR RADIO



PRESENTED BY THE **"WESTERN KENTUCKY DX ASSOCIATION" BOWLING GREEN KENTUCKY** (NON-PROFIT)

▶ WHEN: OCTOBER 4<sup>TH</sup>, 2025 WHERE: LIBRARY – BOB KIRBY BRANCH 175 Iron Skillet Ct, Bowling Green, KY 42104 - FREE PARKING -🛓 Wheelchair Accessible TIME (CT): CHECK-IN 9:00-9:30AM **WORKSHOP 9:30AM – 4:00PM** 

### TALK-IN 444.300+ PL 179.9

## SESSIONS

- **1. DX BASICS & OVERVIEW**
- 2. DX OPERATING TECHNIQUES
- **3. RF PROPAGATION**

**4. Q&A WITH INSTRUCTORS & WKDXA MEMBERS (ASK ANY QUESTION YOU LIKE)** 

> THE EMPHASIS IS ON DX AND NOT CONTESTING ALTHOUGH THE TWO DO OVERLAP AT TIMES.

**YOU DO NOT NEED AN AMATEUR RADIO LICENSE TO ATTEND!!** 



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SYSTEMS

AMATEUR RADIO PROGRAMMING



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## AFTER THE FIRST 40 REGISTRANTS:

ADULT REGISTATION \$15

YOUTH (18 & Younger) \$10

- SORRY, NO REGISTRATION FEE REFUNDS -(ALL PROCEEDS GO TO THE EVENT)

 GIFT BAG WITH GOODIES ICOM LANYARD/BADGE LUNCH & DRINKS

COMPLETION CERTIFICATE

(IF ACCOMPANIED W/ADULT, ADULT MUST REGISTER \$15)

WALK-INS ALLOWED WITH CREDIT CARD USING ON-LINE REGISTRATION - NO CASH (Venue policy)

THE FIRST 40 REGISTRANTS WILL RECEIVE:

CLIP-ON NAME BADGE

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• LUNCH & DRINKS

(MUST BE PRESENT)

- COMPLETION CERTIFICATE
- ONE ENTRY FOR DOOR PRIZES (MUST BE PRESENT)



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## Robert (Bob) Harris, WB2UBW

I received my Novice license in 1974. I got on the air that day after school. It did not take me long to realize 80 meters only got me up to about 1000 miles. I put up a 15 meter dipole and my first contact was 3D2KG, Lloyd and Iris Colvin on a DXpedition. From that point on I was chasing DX! I now have 345 entities confirmed with only 4 left to work. Presently Married and living in Central City, KY. I retired from General Motors at the Corvette plant 4 years ago and became the WKDXA President about 3 years ago.



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# ABOUT OUR INSTRUCTORS:

### **Glenn Petri KE4KY:**

Licensed amateur radio operator since 1975. Glenn is an active radio contest participant & DX enthusiast. DX-pedition radio team member with: ZL9HR Campbell Island 2012, VK9MT Mellish Reef 2014, & TX5S Clipperton Island 2024. Off-island/support team with: TX3X Chesterfield Islands 2015, VP6D Ducie Island 2018, & VP8PJ South Orkney 2020. Amateur radio affiliations: Perseverance DX Group (Founding Member); ARRL (Life Member); CWops (Life Member); <u>Kentucky Contest Group; Bullitt Amateur Radio Society (KY4KY), & the QCWA. Glenn's lifelong career was in public service, retiring from law enforcement in 2020. Glenn is from the Louisville KY area.</u>

### Bill Salyers, AJ8B:

Bill is an active operator and is president of the <u>Southwest Ohio DX Association</u>. Bill was first licensed as WN8IQN in 1971 and first published an article in The DX Magazine in 1985. Since then, he has been published in QST, The National Contest Journal, Radio Amateurs Old Timers Club Australia, Radio Amateurs Old Timers Association of Britain, and the CWOPs newsletter. Bill is also the editor of the weekly DX column in the Ohio Section Journal, the webmaster for SWODXA, and the newsletter editor for SWODXA and the newsletter of the Twin Cities DX Association. Bill is also the "N" letter sorter for the 8<sup>th</sup> area incoming QSL Bureau. Currently, Bill is the host of The <u>DX Mentor podcast</u> and the <u>DX Mentor YouTube</u> <u>channel</u>. Bill has modest DXCC totals including 8BDXCC, WAZ, and 326 confirmed overall and resides with his wife of 40 plus years, Karen, in Waynesville, Ohio.

### Carl Luetzelschwab, K9LA:

Carl received his Novice license (WN9AVT) in October 1961, and selected K9LA in 1977. Carl is an electrical engineer (Purdue University) and was an RF design engineer for Motorola and Magnavox/Raytheon until his retirement in 2015. Carl especially enjoys propagation research and DXing (he's at the Top of the Honor Roll). He and his wife Vicky, AE9YL, participated in DXpeditions to Syria (YK9A in February 2001), to Market Reef (OJ0/AE9YL and OJ0/K9LA in July 2002) and numerous trips to ZF (Vicky is ZF2YL and Carl is ZF2LA). Carl has written monthly propagation columns for WorldRadio, NCJ and CQ Plus, and has written solar and propagation articles for many other Amateur Radio publications and for his website at <u>https://k9la.us</u>. He is a contributing author to several propagation books. Carl is from the Fort Wayne IN area.

# LUNCH & DRINKS WILL BE PROVIDED FREE WITH YOUR REGISTRATION!! YUM! YUM!



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