

Message from the President

Milford Amateur Radio Club

The tumultuous events of 2020 are finally behind us! As I reflect upon the past year, I remember events both good and bad. No one could have predicted the many challenges most of us have faced. We can look forward to the end of the pandemic as soon as most of the population is inoculated.

Even with these challenges, our club pressed forward with several important milestones:

- We added a UHF repeater and upgraded our VHF repeater. Both repeaters have digital C4FM in addition to their analog FM capabilities.
- We performed much-needed maintenance and upgrades to our VHF site to improve its reliability and trouble-free operation.
- Our hamfest was rebranded as the Cincinnati HamfestSM to increase attendance. This change more accurately describes our event as the largest in Greater Cincinnati. We also launched CincinnatiHamfest.org to advertise our upcoming event. Ongoing work continues to ensure it is the most successful hamfest in Greater Cincinnati.

I wish to welcome Mike Desmond, Treasurer, W8BEI and Raleigh Sizemore, Secretary, AB8KG as incoming officers. Their knowledge and experience should be great assets to the club.

The success or failure of any organization depends upon the contributions of many individuals. With your help, we can improve upon our past successes, and move forward to an even better future together.

