

Amateur Radio Cruise-In



So you think that you have one of the best amateur radio mobile installations to be found? Well here is your chance to show off that mobile rig and have the opportunity to compare it to dozens of others, HF, VHF, UHF, you name it.



On Wednesday, August 13, 2014, starting at 6:00 p.m., the Portage County Amateur Radio Service (PCARS) will be sponsoring an Amateur Radio Cruise-In Night at the **A&W** Restaurant located at 769 East Main Street in Ravenna.

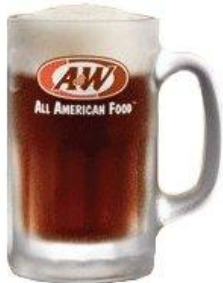


Hams from all over Northeast Ohio will be cruising in to check out the wide variety of mobile radio setups and get some ideas for their own vehicles. **Prizes will be awarded for**

- 1. Lowest operable frequency in a vehicle (must be highway legal: max 13'6")**
- 2. Best looking installation**
- 3. Oldest vehicle with a permanently installed station.**

Have you wondered how well screwdriver antennas perform? Confused about how best to run your power cables from the battery to the passenger compartment? How have other hams dealt with all that noise generating equipment in newer cars? Can you work DX from your truck? Need a solution for mounting that remote control head?

Well come on by and get those questions answered while you enjoy a burger, some fries, and a mug of **A&W** root beer. Enjoy an evening of ham radio fellowship and fun and get to know other hams from throughout the area.



Talk-in will be on the K8IV repeater,
146.895 MHz, PL 110.9

More information can be found at the PCARS web site,

www.portcars.org or contact

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