

Mound Science and Energy Museum Association
presents

**A HISTORY OF THE
MOUND AMATEUR RADIO ASSOCIATION AND
AN OVERVIEW OF AMATEUR RADIO**

March 23, 2022, 7:00 pm
Mound Cold War Discovery Center,
1075 Mound Road, Miamisburg, OH

The Mound Amateur Radio Association (MARA) was founded at the Mound Laboratory in 1962, by a group of forward looking employees. They combined their love of ham radio with the need of Mound to communicate with both local and national organizations in times of emergencies.



To help the audience better understand MARA's role in communication, a thumbnail history and description of "Amateur Radio History" will be presented followed by the story of MARA.

Speaker Biography: Harry (Jack) Melke began his career at the Mound Laboratory in March of 1969, after graduating from "The Dayton Technical Institute", with an Associates Degree in Industrial Engineering. Jack started as an RCT in "PP" Building progressing through the ranks, from lab technician to senior development technician, and finally to building engineer for "T" Building. He retired from Mound in 2003.

For additional details call 937-353-4457. The presentation is free and open to the public and has ample free parking.