

October 19th Fox Hunt

Hi TBARC members and Friends,

We have a another Fox scheduled for Saturday, October 19th. We will **start off with Breakfast at 9:00 AM at JJs on N Second. The actual hunt will begin at 10AM and will go until 11:30 AM.** We will meet as a group to get started in the **parking lot of the old Fletcher Paper building next to Alpena Furniture.** You can work by yourself or with others. You also can communicate the others on the repeater to compare direction headings, but do not transmit on the Fox's frequency (146.550 MHz). If you made a "tape measure beam" that will be a help for you as well as "paper clip" antenna. A map of the local area will be a help too. It might be a good scheme if we could divide into 3 groups and get a heading from each location that could be reported back to a net control. This may locating the fox easier and faster.

The Fox will start transmitting a few minutes past 10 AM and stop transmitting at 11:30 AM.

Hope to see all of the Fox Hunters on Saturday, October 19th!

This information will also be posted on <https://thunderbayarc.org/>

Dick, w1up

TBARC Treasurer

PS: You don't have to come for breakfast - you can just come at 10 AM. The link below gives directions to build a tape measure beam that should aid you in finding the "Fox"

<https://www.jpole-antenna.com/2017/02/07/build-it-2-meter-tape-measure-yagi-beam-antenna/>

or

http://theleggios.net/wb2hol/projects/rdf/tape_bm.htm

