

Hamvention 2024 Photos courtesy of Odis, W4IOD Part 1

W4IOD Repeater System
442.1000 MHz C4FM
WiresX Room #43114
YSF Reflector US KENTUCKY WXGC #40806
EchoLink #226113
W4IOD-10
RMS Packet Gateway
145.030 MHz
10-10# 77576
AMSAT# 41520



Picture 1 Will Jones KB4PTJ & Tom Sorrell N4HZX waiting out the rain



Picture 2 & 3 Yaesu Booth



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Picture 4 & 5 TXRX Booth



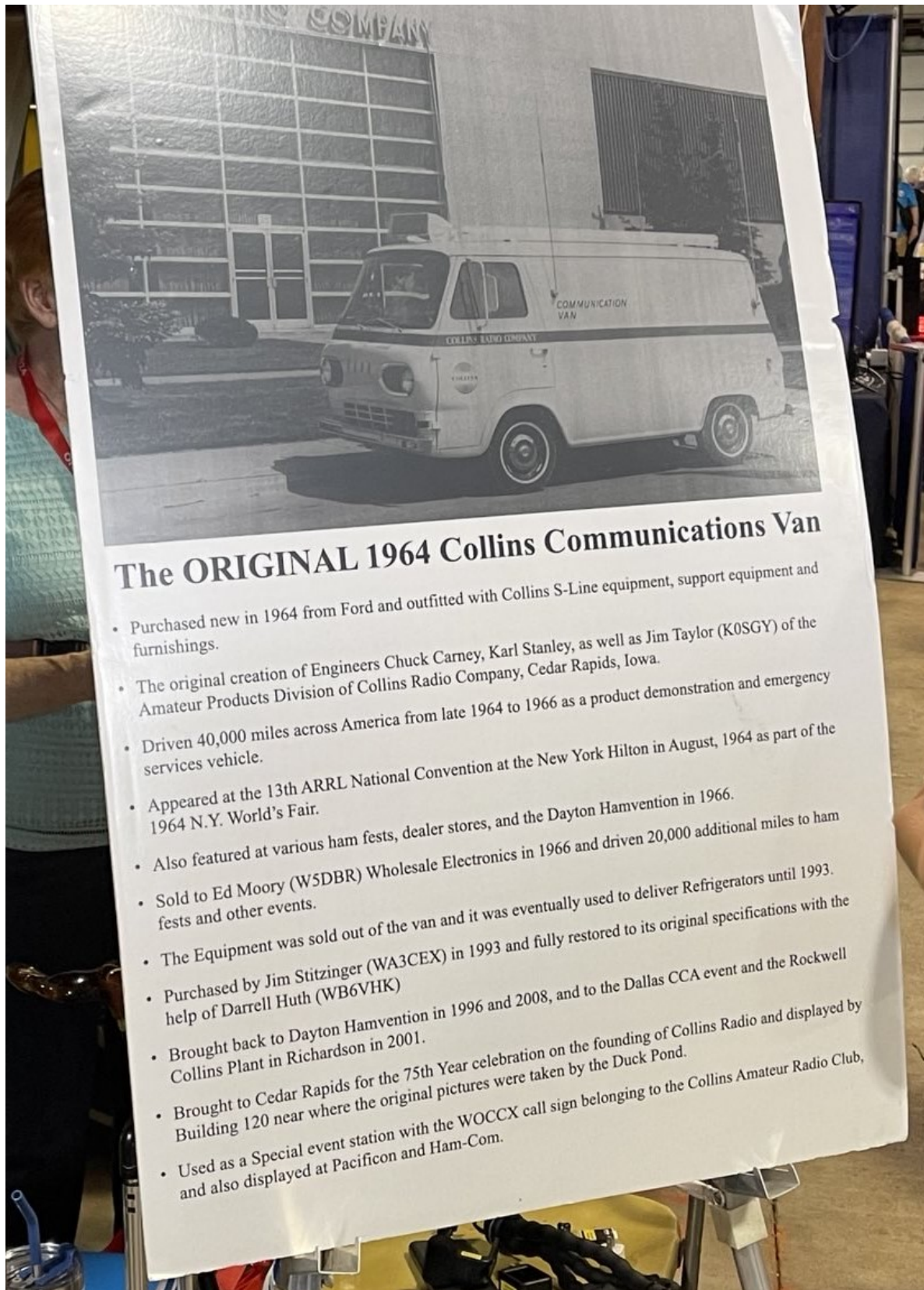
Picture 4 & 5 TXRX Booth



Picture 6 it was raining so hard even the ducks made their way inside



Picture 7 Collins 1964 communications van



The ORIGINAL 1964 Collins Communications Van

- Purchased new in 1964 from Ford and outfitted with Collins S-Line equipment, support equipment and furnishings.
- The original creation of Engineers Chuck Carney, Karl Stanley, as well as Jim Taylor (K0SGY) of the Amateur Products Division of Collins Radio Company, Cedar Rapids, Iowa.
- Driven 40,000 miles across America from late 1964 to 1966 as a product demonstration and emergency services vehicle.
- Appeared at the 13th ARRL National Convention at the New York Hilton in August, 1964 as part of the 1964 N.Y. World's Fair.
- Also featured at various ham fests, dealer stores, and the Dayton Hamvention in 1966.
- Sold to Ed Moory (W5DBR) Wholesale Electronics in 1966 and driven 20,000 additional miles to ham fests and other events.
- The Equipment was sold out of the van and it was eventually used to deliver Refrigerators until 1993.
- Purchased by Jim Stitzinger (WA3CEX) in 1993 and fully restored to its original specifications with the help of Darrell Huth (WB6VHK)
- Brought back to Dayton Hamvention in 1996 and 2008, and to the Dallas CCA event and the Rockwell Collins Plant in Richardson in 2001.
- Brought to Cedar Rapids for the 75th Year celebration on the founding of Collins Radio and displayed by Building 120 near where the original pictures were taken by the Duck Pond.
- Used as a Special event station with the W0CCX call sign belonging to the Collins Amateur Radio Club, and also displayed at Pacificon and Ham-Com.

Picture 8 Collins 1964 communications van



Picture 9, 10 N3ZN CW Keys booth



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Picture 11 Zum radio booth



Picture 12 Zum radio booth



Picture 13 Kenwood TH-D75A with Etsy case