Alliance Amateur Radio Club

February 9th, 2022 Meeting Minutes

Reminders:

1. Membership dues are due 3/31/2021

Meeting called to order by: President Ron Rittenhouse (KE8HCY)

Devotion led by: President Ron Rittenhouse (KE8HCY)

Pledge of Allegiance led by: Andy Magda (AC8JR)

1) Roll call was taken: 14 members present – 0 guests present

Members

James Andrews (KD8VT)
Ron Rittenhouse (KE8HCY)
Andrew Magda (AC8JR)
Tomas St. George (KC8ZEH)
Jeremy Toole (KE8NAU)
Joe Williamson (N8JEW)
Dwight Turner (KD8YFE)
Howard Miller (K8DXR)

Dallas Underwood (N8XTJ)

Guests

David Sprouse (N8GOB)

- 2) Introduction of members and guests was done.
- 3) Members birthday recognition: Doug Mathews
- 4) Approval of Agenda: Agenda was approved.
- 5) Treasurer's Report: Checking: \$XXXX, Savings: N/A
- 6) Review / Approval of January 13th Meeting Minutes: Waived
- 7) Officers Reports:

President Ron Rittenhouse (KE8HCY): Talked about a Ways and Means Project coming in the spring

Vice President Doug Matthew (KB8DNQ): NTR

Secretary Jeremy Toole (KE8AU): NTR due to equipment issues

Treasurer John Myers (WG8X): NTR

Join/Renew AARL memberships through the Club website as this give the Club some money for completing this

Trustees:

1. Nothing to Report

Committee Reports:

- 1. 2 Meter Net Tomas St. George (KC8ZEH): on 1/6@12, 1/13@11, 1/20@8, 1/27@7, 2/3@14
- 2. 10 Meter CW Net –Looking for Net Control Manager to lead this net
- 3. 10 Meter Sideband Net John Myers (WG8X): NTR
- 4. Homeland Security Net Dwight Turner ()1/18@6, 1/25@9, 2/1@6, 2/8@8
- 5. Digital Net Doug Mathews (KB8DNQ) NTR at this time
- e) 2 Meter Repeater John Myers (WG8X): Currently on the Back up unit for the main unit in the shop
- f) 440 Repeater John Myers (WG8X): NTR currently
- g) VE Sessions James KD8VT- Next session is schedule for April. Talked about the earliest the FCC can increase the amount for the test could be July.
- h) Ways & Means –Doug Matthew (KB8DNQ):
- i) Training Classes Looking for a Individual(s) to help with his going forward

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- 9) Old Business:
 - 1. Winter Field Day: We didn't complete this Face to Face as a club.
 - 2. Estate sale items
- 10) New Business:
 - 1. Tentative in person Meeting March 9th at Don Ponchos
- 11) Announcements:
 - 1. March Meeting at Don Ponchos 7:30 PM
 - 2. N8JEW Joe, Club Membership Due March 31st

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Breakfast: Don Ponchos 8:30am 3/5/2022 (Te

Pre-meeting Dinner Don Ponchos 3/9/22 6:00 pm

- 12) Next Meeting Date: 3/10/21 at 7:30pm on the Clubs 2m Repeater
- 13) Round Table:
 - 1. AC8JR 32 days till the next Ham Fest at Elyria on March 13th
 - 2. Discussed various Hamfest within the area
 - 3. Discussed Echo Link that it is still on the works for the Club
 - 4. No News for the Rotary Club Castle Run, or the Carnation Parade or the Salvation Army for this year
 - 5. Corrections to the Zero beat for monthly VE testing and VE testing date in April not posted on the Website
- 14) Adjournment: The meeting was adjourned.