



Thursday, September 19, 2024

Woodbridge Amateur Radio Club

Agenda for General Meeting

- Call to Order 7:30pm
- Pledge of Allegiance
- Round of Introductions – 21 in person, 3 on Zoom
- Call for New Member Applications – none this month
- Reminder 50/50 Tickets - George KN4AHN
- Technical Presentation - Mark KV4UC – Soldering
- President's Report - Scott KK4SNO
 - Elections are at the next meeting. Status of the nominating committee?
 - Need two more volunteers to work with Caleb (#1 Rob, #2 Bob)
 - Need report completed in two weeks
 - The annual Christmas Party has been reserved, Thanks Stu to WA0DYJ. It will be at the same place as last year – Brittany's, in the Dillingham Square Shopping Center. The cost is still the same - \$31/per person. Dec 19th, 6pm start time
 - Payable to Stu1
 - POTA Parks On The Air – Rob, KJ4LWN has suggested that the Club do an activation across the Parks in Prince William County. How much interest across the club? This is another opportunity for the newer Hams to get exposed, along with Elmering, to operating.
 - 9 parks in PWC
 - September VHF Contest – Larry, K0LB.
 - Flagpole Knob report: great weather (no rain!), cool nights, calm wind. 1 station, 6m, FT8, 155 QSOs for the contest. 5 MSK (meteor scatter), 1 SSB
- Treasurer's Report - Rob KJ4LWN
 - \$17,000 in our accounts currently
 - Spent \$4,554 on batteries for the repeater, and rack, \$700 in refund from old batteries
 - New budget next month, dues notices expected Dec/January
- Education Committee Report - Rob KJ4LWN
 - Tech class at Bethel, Friday, Sat, Exam 5-7pm on Saturday, Oct 4-5
 - General class review Nov 1st-2nd
 - Last week of Jan – Winter Field Day and Satellite class option
 - ARES meeting 8am Sat
- Technical Committee / Repeater - Stu WA0DYJ

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- New batteries – looking at remote monitoring options
- Repeater working well
- Website – Larry K0LB
 - Domain name renewal – good for 2 more years
 - Minutes updated thru July
 - Need Aug notes
- Member Activities - George KN4AHN
 - HRO Superfest
 - Oct 4-5 – WWI Tech Calss
 - Oct 5-6 – Oceania contest
 - Oct 12-13 – Oceania CW and SSB
 - Oct 17 – Officers Election
 - Oct 18-19 – Work All Germany
 - Oct 21-25 – ARRL SCR
 - Nov 1-2 – WWI General Exam
 - Dec 19 – Christmas Part
 - Jan 26 – WWI Sats class/Winter Field Day
- Other Committee Business?
- New Business
 - Consideration of New Members - none
- Date of Next WARC General Meeting – Oct 17th
 - @ 7:30 pm @ Tall Oaks Community Center
- Motion to Adjourn
- Adjourn – 8:30pm