



Woodbridge Amateur Radio Club

Agenda for General Meeting VIA Zoom

- Open Zoom call at 7pm for pre meeting socializing
- **7:30 - Call to Order**
 - o 23 in attendance
- Round of Introductions (Roll Call by Vice President of Members & Guest who have checked in)
- Technical Presentation – ARISS KM4TAY Kathy
- Future Presentations:
- Scheduled-
 - May - Field Day - (W7IY, Stu2 or K0LB, Larry) (Traditional scheduled presentation)
 - June - Field Day - Equipment, Logging Etc (Traditional scheduled presentation)
 - July - TBD - Maybe Field Day After Action Report with photos ?
 - **Suggestions for Future presentations:** (March, April, August, September, October)
 - **We need people to prepare and present!** - If you are interested in presenting, please contact Craig
 - Antenna and Feedline test equipment, Antenna Analyzers, TDRs, etc.
 - How to use and read an Antenna Analyzer, TDR
 - Antennas for HOA Restricted Areas
 - Digital Mode Operations – FT8, FT4, FST4, QRA64
- President's Report –
 - Dues are due - Still only \$36 -
 - COVID Restrictions continue
 - Nextdoor app – Woodbridge Wireless Inc. Amateur Radio Club Group created
<https://nextdoor.com/g/07w8uv7zi/>
 - Great for selling gear, making donations, sharing Club info
 - Volunteers needed to perform the following:
 - o Ways and Means Committee
 - o Club Historian Currently vacant.
 - o Broadband HamNet Committee Head
 - o Recruitment – Contact Rob Williams KJ4LWN
 - o Assist with Monthly Presentations committee – Contact Mark Mabardy W4IAD
 - o Managing Nextdoor Website Group
 - Monday Night Net – George Corron AF4JH
 - Lots of interest with EchoLink logins
 - Great for travel logins around the nation
- Committee Reports
 - Winter Field Day - Rob Williams KJ4LWN
 - Submit logs ASAP, if not done already
 - Treasurer's Report – Rob Williams KJ4LWN
 - 72 paid members now
 - \$18,244 in account
 - Technical Committee / Repeater - Stu Mitchell WA0DYJ
 - Stu1 reports shack is in good shape, connects labeled, generator works, and all in working order
 - Working on remote control for 2 meter
 - Stu1 is happy to offer tours of repeater shack, if anyone is interested in seeing the set up

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- Volunteers can contact Stu1

- Mountain Top exercise being planned for June – contact Stu1 or Stu2
- Website – Larry Bates - K0LB
 - Minutes are posted in pdf so all can easily access them
 - 2017 and earlier have been removed for organizational purposes
- Education Committee - Rob Williams KJ4LWN
 - Exam session – 28 folks for parking lot exam – largest yet
 - Next exam session may take place in a few weeks, as there is a need for those interested in testing
- Activities – George Waltsak KN4AHN
 - VA QSO Party in March
 - Vienna Wireless Winter Fest will be virtual and will be April 24th from 9-2:30. Check out Vienna Wireless for website registration
 - 24 Hour Run
 - June Field Day
 - June 12 – Manassas Ham Fest

- New Business
 - Sept 17 tent. Foxhunt with Larry K4MLA. More information to follow. Interested in helping – contact Larry.
- New member applications – Rob Williams KJ4LWN
 - Identify new applicants
 - K4ITB Bill Sekhon
 - KX4LX Pete Rutledge
 - KO4BUQ Samuel Wineland
 - KO4KFB Chris Brown
 - KB1HTW Jon Gauthier
 - Vote new Applicants into the club
 - Welcome new applicants
 - Rob reports that the postcards send out last month encouraged some new members and lapsed members to join us as paid members

- Date of Next WARC General Meeting - 18 March via Zoom
- 8:25pm - Close formal meeting & invite all to visit with each other after the meeting