



Thursday, June 15, 2023

Woodbridge Amateur Radio Club

Agenda for General Meeting June 15, 2023

- Call to Order
- Pledge of Allegiance
- Round of Introductions – 23 in person, 2 on Zoom
- Call for New Member Applications – None for this month
- Reminder 50/50 Tickets - George KN4AHN
- Technical Presentation - Roundtable discussion of/for Field Day
 - Field Day at Lake Ridge Ballfield at Smoketown and Old Bridge
 - Set up Thursday afternoon/evening – look for directions on loading trailers for room/parking considerations
 - Cable set up chart will be used to manage power
 - Friday morning – 8am – full set up for antennas and stations (lunch at United Buffet in Woodbridge), pizza dinner, radio testing
 - Contest – Saturday, 2pm start – Sunday 2pm
 - 4 hour-ish breakdown on Sunday
 - Giveaways during setup, operation, and take down – the more you stay, the more tix you can win
 - Make sure radios are up and running before contest begins (filters, antenna, interference running)
 - Watch for N1MM updates
 - GOTA for those who are new, infrequent operators, or unlicensed
 - Points – elected official, educational activity, social media posts
 - Need help towing trailers (Thursday) – contact Craig KJ4LR
- President's Report - Scott KK4SNO
 - Field Day - NEXT WEEK! Where do we stand? (see above Technical Presentation)
 - 4th of July Parade Where do we stand? (see below)
- Treasurer's Report - Rob KJ4LWN
 - \$20,161.71 currently – fuel will need to be paid this month for generator (\$150-\$200ish)
 - Education Committee Report - Rob KJ4LWN
 - Overnight Adventure Run (OSS Run) – Prince William Forest (June 17-18). Come visit contact Rob KJ4LWN
 - 4th of July Parade – Join us for Dale City parade – still have slots available. Contact Rob KJ4LWN
 - Sept – possible fox hunt to plan
 - Oct – possible Tech weekend class and testing
 - Technical Committee / Support Repeater - Stu WA0DYJ
 - Currently up and working (main and backup)

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- Alarm working – Repeater will announce on 2m if there are issues, please contact Stu if this takes place
- Website - Larry K0LB
 - Updated through April
 - Format is working for website – need to keep up with motions at meetings for records
- Member Activities - George KN4AHN
 - Mt top UHF/VHF went well, just over 700 contact– trailer worked well – contacted Japan, and as close as 100 yards away. Trailer needs to dry out from rain
 - June 16th – Youth Contest
 - June 17-18 - Overnight Adventure
 - June 17-18 - West VA QSO
 - June 24-25 – Field Day
 - July 4 – Parade
 - Aug 6 – Berryville Fest
 - Aug 12 – Md/ DC QSO party
 - Aug 26 – OH and HI QSO party
- Other Committee Business?
 - None
- New Business
 - Consideration of New Members - none
- Date of Next WARC General Meeting
 - July 20th @ 7:30 pm @ Tall Oaks Community Center
- Motion to Adjourn – 1st and 2nd, motion carried
- Adjourn