

Elkhorn Valley Amateur Radio Club

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> Meeting Minutes August 12, 2017

The meeting was called to order at 8:34 AM by Club President, Nick Breckenfeld.

Members present: Fred-K0FJW, Monty-NR0A, Mark-WD9FYU, Terry-W0TDL, Nick-KB0GMQ, N0ZQR-Ron, K0JWR-J.R., KE0APG-Shane, and WB0YXH-Dave. Guests: W0MEG-Mike and K9NHP-Ron.

Minutes from last meeting were read. Motion by Monty, Second by Dave to approve. Motion carried.

Treasurer's report was read. Motion by J.R., second by Monty to approve. Motion carried.

Old Business:

Nick gave a report on possible van rental for another trip to Dayton. A full 9 passenger van would be about \$554.00 without fuel. A full 7 passenger van would be \$454.00 without fuel. Ron also spoke about the availability of a 21 passenger bus, that he and Terry have licenses to drive. He will bring back more information on that. No action was taken at this time.

Fred reported on the hamfest. With the hall rental we will have access to 35 8 foot tables for rental and 25 round ones for other uses. Fred is still working on vendors. Monty will put together a flyer/table order form to mail out to clubs. J.R. volunteered to give a seminar on ARES and Ron-K9NHP offered to give a seminar on the Fusion System. Fred will check with Matt Anderson, Nebraska Section manager to see about an ARRL Forum. With the test session, that should fill up the schedule for seminars. Nick will run the test table. Emphasis was put on the importance of this being a total club effort to be a success.

Fred gave an update on the repeater switchover to the wires-X system. He will check on the status of the internet port. We also had some questions answered by our guests from South Sioux City on the system.

New Business:

The club will be hosting a special event station at the Elkhorn Valley Museum grounds on September 30, in conjunction with their Heritage event and the community Octoberfest celebration.

Motion was made by J.R. and second by Dave to adjourn the meeting.

Meeting adjourned at 9:49 AM.

Respectfully submitted,

Fred Wiebelhaus, KOFJW Secretary/Treasurer