Red Oak Victory Amateur Radio Club

Meeting Minutes - September 9, 2000

The meeting called to order in the Crew's Mess aboard the SS Red Oak Victory.

Attendance		
Members(11):	Gary Elliott, WA6KCP	Charles Jackson, W6KNO
	Dave Jackson, KC6SSF	Jim Cardillo-Lee, KE6VGV
	Henry Primbsch, KK6PH	Sharon Primbsch, AA6XZ
	Rich Secondari, K6TR	Dan Jackson, KL7IUX
	Ivan Sturman, WB6PIV	Robert Blohm, KE6ZWO
	Vern Orme, K6VEO	

Guests(2): Gene Evans, Sea Scout Ship Farallon; Roy Adam, N6FUN

• WA6KCP- Work continues on getting the original radio gear working.

• Gene Evans has offered to donate a water tight door to the ship, KC6SSF will make arrangements to help get it to the ship.

• QSL cards for the club were handed around.

• N6FUN, Roy was introduced. He is originally from Indonesia and enjoys DX and public service work.

• WB6PIV - requested that we consider a new class of club membership. Those that worked in the ship yards might be given a free membership to encourage them to be active in the club. This would have the benefit of getting people with memories of the yards involved in the museum. No action was taken on this suggestion.

• The possibility of a phone tree to remind members of the impending meetings each month was discussed. This would be especially for those without Email accounts. Participants would include: Gary, Ivan, Vern, and Ralph.

• W6KNO - reminded everyone that it is time to start looking for nominations for club officers for next year. We will need replacements for: President, Treasurer, both Vice-Presidents, and possibly the Secretary.

• The "Ships" Newsletter is to have an article about the ROVARC and should be out soon.

• Gene Evans was introduced and he gave a brief presentation about the Farallon. Possible activities with the scouts on the ROV were discussed.

• September 19th will mark the two year anniversary of the ROVs arrival at Point Richmond and a special lunch and recognition ceremony will be held on the ship.

The meeting was adjourned at about 11:20 AM PDT

The next ROVARC meeting will be 10:00 AM PST on October 7, 2000 in the Officers Mess(if available).

Respectfully submitted: David Jackson, Secretary, Red Oak Victory Amateur Radio Club