Beaver Valley Amateur Radio Club MINUTES

DATE: October 19, 2013

LOCATION: Dawn's Early Rising Sunshine Cafe, Castlegar, BC

PRESENT: RMT – Mark, BZE – Jim, WNZ - Leo, OBD – Dayle,

YN - Rudy, ERD - Cory, FF - Frank (7)

MINUTES: The minutes were adopted as read. Moved by YN, seconded ERD.

TREASURER'S REPORT: Adopted as read by RMT. \$20 was mistakenly deposited into the Term 26 account. We will leave it there. Moved by OBD, seconded by BZE.

■ \$641.27 in operating account.

■ Term deposit value is now \$2045.07.

OLD BUSINESS:

■ Granit Mountain Repeater. Reported by YN. We received a photo from Neil showing our antenna the clamps that need to be tightened. He also reported that the maintenance staff at the ski hill have since tightened and straightened out the antenna as best they could (after the picture was taken). OBD will attempt a trip to the Repeater site, weather permitting. See Appendix A for the picture.

NEW BUSINESS:

■ Club Auction. OBD. We will have an auction at the end of next meeting with the proceeds going to the club. Please bring any surplus equipment you want to get rid of.

DISCUSSION:

- The Great BC Shake Out. http://shakeoutbc.ca/. YN reported hearing some traffic on 80m (3.729 MHz) but the band was poor. There was no reported traffic on 20m or 40m.
- The West Kootenay Amateur Radio Club will be having their Annual General meeting. You are welcome to attend.

Date: Saturday, October 26, 2013.

Location: Vintage Room (at the back)

Best Western Inn 153 Baker Street Nelson, BC.

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NET CONTROL:

October 21, 2013	OBD
October 28, 2013	RJH
November 4, 2013	WNZ
November 11, 2013	

NEXT MEETING:

■Date: November 16, 2013.

■Location: Dawn's Early Rising Sunshine Cafe, Castlegar.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:20AM, peace and harmony prevailing. Moved by OBD. Seconded by RMT.



Appendix A:
Photo of Granite Mountain Repeater Antenna. From Neil, taken at the end of August, 2013.

