



Elkhorn Valley Amateur Radio Club

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Meeting Minutes May 9, 2020

The meeting was called to order at 8:35 AM by Club President, Terry Lich. Due to COVID 19 restrictions, the meeting was held via teleconference. Notice was given to the membership of the call-in number and meeting code via Facebook, E-mail and on two different club nets.

Members present Fred-K0FJW, Mark-WD9FYU, Terry L.-W0TDL, Nick-KB0GMQ, Shane-KE0APG, Monty-NR0A, and Ron-N0ZQR

Minutes from last meeting were read. Motion by Monty, second by Ron to approve the minutes. Motion carried.

Treasurers Report was read. Motion by Ron, second by Monty to approve. Motion carried.

Old Business:

Hams in the School. No report.

Nick asked again for anyone who has club equipment to let him now. Monty will send out a reminder in the announcements.

Monty reported the May 21 test session has been cancelled, since the Library was not available due to COVID19 restrictions. Next session is scheduled for August 20, 2020.

Terry reported that First Choice is still closed due to restrictions. He has been in contact with the proprietor. Monty reported that he saw that restrictions are being lifted somewhat on May 14th for our area.

New Business:

Field Day. Fred reported that all paperwork has been approved and is with the City. We will have to maintain social distancing, as that requirement will still be in effect. With the size of the shelter, we should be able to do that. Regarding the meal, it was decided to see if First Choice could provide meal with the club paying, this to avoid any issues with food brought from private individuals. Fred will check on this and report at the June meeting.

Terry asked if we could do a VE session at Field Day. Monty reported that with all that is going on and social distancing, it may not be feasible.

Fred reported that from what briefings, etc. he is involved with, it may be possible the 10-person rule may be expanded in June, which is helpful for Field day and our next meeting.

Terry reported on a 60 ft crank up tower that Bill Staub has for sale. We can acquire for \$50. It would be handy for a new tower trailer. Motion by Shane, second by Monty to purchase the tower. Roll call vote of all present and motion carried.

Meeting adjourned at 9:15 AM.

Respectfully submitted,

Fred Wiebelhaus, KOFJW
Secretary/Treasurer