

Elkhorn Valley Amateur Radio

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> Meeting Minutes February 13, 2021

The meeting was called to order at 8:33 AM by Club President, Terry Lich.

Members present Fred-KOFJW, Mark-WD9FYU, Dave B.-WB0YXH, Sonja-KA0EZA, Monty-NROA, Shane-KE0APG, Terry R.-KF0ATX, Nick-KB0GMQ, Terry L.-W0TDL, Doug-WB0UPJ and Presten-KD0WFZ.

Minutes were read. Motion by Monty, second by Presten to approve the minutes. Motion carried.

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

Committee report: Monty discussed more information on forming a travelling VE team to help our western neighbors. Also reported on upcoming VE session in Norfolk on February 18.

## Old Business:

Fred Reported that Shane and he were going to install the new UHF repeater after the meeting. The duplexer has arrived. Reminder that if you do not have C4FM capabilities, you should add a PL tone of 88.5 to incoming signals on your UHF radio. After install the next step in the spring is to get hooked up to broadband, so wires X function can be used. The repeater has a separate receiver that can be used to control it via RF.

Terry Rasmussen reported on Winter field day. All worked well and was an opportunity to learn how to use your radio equipment in a remote environment.

Mark reported on his SDR project. He has been taking photographs of his notes to provide a digital medium. He is also putting together a binder of his data, so others can

follow along on the process.

New Business:

Field day was discussed. Field day for 2021 will be held at Shane's QTH near Evergreen golf course by Battle Creek. He has a large building with plumbing for us to use. More planning to come.

Motion made by Nick and second by Dave B. to hold the 2021 Hamfest. Fred has reserved the facility for November 20.

Meeting adjourned at 9:44 AM

Respectfully submitted,

Fred Wiebelhaus, KOFJW Secretary/Treasurer