

# Elkhorn Valley Amateur Radio

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> October 8, 2022 Monthly Meeting

The meeting was called to order at 8:32 by Shane Flanagan, President.

The members present were: Sue – KD0JE, Nick – KB0GMQ, Dave B. – WB0YXH, Sonja – KA0EZA, Shane – KE0APG, Andy – KF0CSI, Terry L. – W0TDL, Aaron – KT0Q, Jeanna - KF0JKF, Terry R. – KF0ATX, Dave – KD0HEU, Fred - K0FJW, Monty – NR0A

Guests today were Garey Wood, and Denise Wiebelhaus.

The minutes were read by Aaron. Motion as made by Nick. Seconded by Jeanna. Carried

The treasurers report as read by Aaron. Motion made by Monty. Seconded by Fred. Carried

# **Committee Reports**

**Repeater Committee:** 

440 is stable. There has been no more resetting. Monty fixed it to automatically log in.

73 – The repeater has been disconnected from the internet for a month.

Testing Committee – November 16<sup>th</sup> Wednesday 5:30 at the library.

## **Old Business**

Hamfest – Aaron gave updates on prizes from MFJ, Radiodity and Gigaparts. Fred updated us on D&L. Fred also spoke with the ARRL folks and is not sure if they will be there. He also spoke with Mary Joseph from SATERN Program. Shane will provide extra tables. Setup is planned 2pm on Friday. Arrive Saturday at 7am. Table reservations have started to arrive. Aaron will get \$250 in change from Elkhorn. We will have a silent auction. Shane will bring one of the tower trailers.

Simplex Net – After Monday net. October 10. The frequency 146.520. Terry R, KF0ATX, will be net control for this net.

Repeater Internet – The 73 internet is still down. Will Fogle in Pierce has not gotten back to the club. Stealth came out and did a site survey. The best they can do is \$45 per month for 25/10. Shane is seeing

if they can provide nonprofit pricing. Fred suggested checking with Century Link, Rise, or even reaching back to Nextlink. Monty suggested writing a grant.

The meeting was paused for breakfast at 9:12 and reconvened at 9:34.

More discussion was held regarding the 73 site.

#### **New Business**

Monty shared that he was contacted by someone regarding a small estate. Monty will continue discussions with the family regarding how to sell the equipment.

Split the pot of \$9 was won by Andy who donated it all to the club.

Meeting was adjourned at 9:46

### Training

Terry shared how he intends to shoot wires over his trees using a dog trainer device.

Respectfully Submitted, Aaron Mathis, KT0Q Secretary/Treasurer