

Sun City Center Amateur Radio Club

Minutes

General Membership Meeting, October 3, 2012

Meeting was called to order at 2:00 PM by President Al Clark, KJ4FUH, who led us in the pledge of allegiance. Chaplain Rick Sochon, N1OV, gave an opening prayer.

Attendance - 19 members

Quorum - No

Treasurer's Report - Michael Friolet, AG3K, reported a balance of \$3105.53 in the checking account.

Secretary's Report - David Schierenbeck, N8PF, reported that the September Meeting Minutes were distributed to all members and posted in the Radio Room. There being no corrections or additions they were approved as posted.

President Al Clark, KJ4FUH, commented on the following coming events:

October 13th from 8:30 am - 2:00 pm there will be a community-wide garage sale at Community Hall.

October 25th at 1:00 pm the Men's Club will be celebrating their 50th anniversary at Community Hall; there will be refreshments. SCCARC has been asked to provide representatives and a display table, like we have at Hi-Neighbor. Volunteers are needed.

October 31st from 5:00 - 7:00 pm SCCARC will again provide communication for the annual Halloween Party at the Methodist Church. More information will be sent to members.

November 1st will be the annual Hi-Neighbor event. Volunteers are needed.

November 3rd SCCARC/KPARC Picnic at 12:00 noon at the horseshoe pits - tickets are available from Michael Friolet, AG3K, in the Radio Room.

December 3rd Holiday Golf Cart Parade - SCCARC will provide communication.

December 6th SCCARC/KPARC Holiday Party - tickets are available.

Nominating Committee - Rick Sochon, N1OV, and Randy Gray, KB8DW, will serve on this committee to propose a slate of officers for 2013.

Annette Friolet, N4MAF, discussed the picnic; noting we will be grilling hamburgers and hotdogs.

David Schierenbeck, N8PF, gave a brief presentation on interference on radios when more than one radio is in use within the Radio Room. The two HF rigs should never be operated on the same band at the same time. Damage to one or both radios would occur.

Program - Pat Masterson, KE2LJ, presented a program on the new technology used on "Smart Phones."

The Meeting was adjourned at 3:45 PM.

David A. Schierenbeck, N8PF, Secretary