Sun City Center Amateur Radio Club Minutes General Membership Meeting, September 7, 2016

Board of Directors:

President, Richard Sochon N1OV Vice President, Bill Adkins W4KMA

Secretary, Dennis Russell K9VFU

Treasurer, Michael Friolet AG3K

Program Director, Dick Hillyer W2RWH Club Trustee, Bob Goldberg, WA4M

Rick opened the meeting at 2:00 PM

Guests - Dan WB6SGZ

Treasurer Report – Michael reported club membership at 70 and \$3327.44 in the bank.

Sun City Center Security Patrol:

Bob Goldberg and Bill Adkins have created an antenna list for the security patrol. Karen Ryan has submitted it to Club Link for their approval as they own the building.

South Bay needs to relocate Radio antenna to new location.

South Bay Hospital offered to buy radio equipment if we provide a list.

Denny Eilers and Bob Goldberg have contacted Loren Labrador at South Bay Hospital about where our radio location will be and where the antenna will go.

Dennis Russell has sent an email to Sharon Roush, Loren Labrador and Hud saying we will use the same location until we hear further from Sharon or Loren.

Annette Friolet

October 22 is the Picnic – Time to purchase your tickets

December 5 is our Christmas / Holiday party

License Classes

License classes will start in October when the Snowbirds return. Many CERT members including Valencia Lakes residents plan to attend.

12 students are expected at the present time.

Everyone who has not taken the ICS classes 100,200 and 700 from FEMA should do so. Tell Michael when you complete a course so you can be added to the awards place. You need these courses to join RACES.

Presentation

Dick and Eileen Bishop spoke on the use of amateur radio on the high seas and there sailing trips.