

Sun City Center Amateur Radio Club General Membership Meeting August 4, 2021

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Joel Bahl, President, called the meeting to order at 2:00 PM. Joel stated that the membership is slowly growing and Chili Friday was success with many people attending.

Dennis Esterow and Paul Kimmelman will be working the table at Fun Fest in October.

Joel reported all equipment is operational and in good order. Joel also stated that the club has a new antenna analyzer. Training will be provided for anyone that wants to use it which can be accessed and checked out by the Equipment Manager or a Room Monitor for now.

Anyone who wants training on the IC-7600 or FT-450D please see Joel.

Treasurer Report: Rick reported the Treasury Balance is \$4,677.49 and there are 59 paid members.

New Business: New members, old members interested in a basic phone operations refresher in repeater, simplex , different net procedures, HF and VHF.

Any members interested in an introduction to Ham Radio Deluxe or and introduction to HF digital modes, hardware requirements and software i.e. DM780, FLDIGI, different modes such as PSK, FT8 etc.

Any interest in forming a group to learn and practice CW? Get in touch with Joel if interested.

Fun Fest in October, contact Dennis Esterow KM4WMC

Club Picnic, October 23, contact Ed Blecher KD2LAU

Holiday Golf cart Parade in December, contact Rick Sochon N1OV

There's a need for Net control operators, backups, room monitors and backups. Would it help if there was a training session for these roles?

Would someone like to volunteer to set up snacks and refreshments for our member meetings again?

Program: Mr. John Armstrong KN4CDM gave a very informative presentation on "Go Kits".

Thank you to the 21 members for attending this month's meeting.

Meeting closed at 2:45 PM