

Sun City Center Amateur Radio Club General Membership Meeting October 5, 2022

Board of Directors:

President, Joel Bahl KQ0J

Emergency Coordinator, Rick Sochon N1OV

Vice President, Rick Sochon N1OV

Station Trustee, Bob Goldberg WA4M

Treasurer, Rick Indiano N2VSN

Secretary, Judy Wozniak K4WOZ

Joel Bahl, President, called the meeting to order at 2:00 PM.

Treasurer Report: Rick Indiano is away on family business so there is no updated Treasury Balance. The reported balance on September 7, 2022 was \$4,200.00.

New Business: Joel reported that the autotuner was working well as are all the other radios. Joel also spoke about the needs of the club concerning monitors and net control operators. Members are needed to fill open positions on the 2023 Board of Directors. Dick Bishop W4NWD spoke about QRP, low power, interest. Email Dick for further information. The SCCARC and KPARC Fall Picnic will be held on Saturday, October 15, 2022 at the Horseshoe Pavilion from 12 noon till 2:00 PM. A charge of \$5.00 per person will be collected at the picnic. Mr. Ed Blecher, Mr. Bob Goldberg and Mr. Ron Phillips, Jr. are working on this. Volunteers would be appreciated.

Program: Mr. Rick Sochon spoke about the use of the ARRL Numbered Radiograms for emergencies, and health and welfare checks.

Mr. John Armstrong KN4CDM, a RACES member, spoke about his 38 hours spent with the Battalion Fire Chief at a firehouse in Wimauma.

Mr. Dick Hillyer, W2RWH spoke about his experience with his generator during the hurricane. Mr. Keith Lindsay, KI5US, spoke about his experience in Englewood, Florida after the hurricane in reference to the importance of amateur radio in emergencies. Keith also spoke about how the Disaster Radio Service at Kings Point worked during the hurricane.

Thank you to Mr. Bob Fauci N1UVO for the refreshments.

Thank you to the 22 members for attending this month's meeting.

Meeting closed at 3:15 PM