



## Elkhorn Valley Amateur Radio Club

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August 17, 2024  
Monthly Meeting

Meeting was called to order at 8:32 by club President Shane Flanagan.

Members present: Nick – KBOGMQ, Dave – WB0YXH, Sonja – KA0EZA, Gene – W0GLF, Shane – KE0APG, Andy-KFOCSI, Terry – W0TDL, Aaron – KTOQ, Dale – WBOCNY, Frank – KF0ODS, Terry – KF0ATX, Monty – NROA, Ron – NOZQR,

The Minutes were read by Aaron. Ron made a motion to accept. Nick seconded. It was carried by the club.

The Treasurers Report was read by Aaron. A motion was made by Monty to accept. Dave seconded. It was carried by the club.

### Committee Reports

Testing Committee – Our next testing session will be at the Ham Fest. Testing is planned for 8:30am. VE's should let Monty know they will be there.

Repeater Reports – The 73 site is still having intermittent issues after storms. We believe that it is the internet provider's issue. The new laptops have not been installed but should be in the next few weeks.

### Old Business

Library Books – Monty contacted the ARRL but some systems are still down. The books will be ordered when Monty gets communications that the system is back up.

### New Business

Ham Fest – The hall has been contracted. We are looking at two different training sessions that can be taught that day. More will be discussed at the next meeting.

Stub Tower – Mike is planning on having a crew come out in September to clean up the tower. Inspecting our antenna, and putting up a new antenna for the DMR repeater is part of the scope of work. We may need around 200 feet of cable or hardline. There was some discussion about side

mounting the antenna. We may consider this depending on costs. Monty made a motion that we use up to half of the club savings to pay for the various expenses with this project including hardline or cable, connectors, standoffs, and other required needs. Ron seconded. It was carried by the club.

The monthly Split-the-Pot drawing of \$21 was won by Shane who donated it to the club.

### **Future Dates**

September Meeting – September 14th

Testing – November 16th

Meeting Adjourned at 9:11 am.

Respectfully Submitted,

Aaron Mathis, KT0Q

Treasurer/Secretary