Park Minutes February 14, 2022

Mike called the meeting to order at 6:35. Introductions were ahead by 26 members and guests

The 50-50 raffle was won by Larry Dale, It was \$20.

We had 2 silent keys to announce: Allen Currence N8POB and Glenn Easterling K8PSK.

Condolences we're epressed for the loss of two good men.

Minutes of the January 10 meeting were read by Mary Wharton and approved as read.

The treasurers report was given by Jane N8MOW there were a few expenses for the silent keys and about \$150 in dues was collected.

Old business:

Earl discussed again the problem with the 97 repeater and replacing it. He indicated that he is getting to the point that he needs somebody else to be able to take over this job as necessary. He's going to wait and make a decision about the digital repeaters at a future time.

New Business:

Upcoming hamfest in Charleston is in March 19 and The Athens on is on April 24.

Kenny Harris WA8LLM has some upcoming events: the Vienna fun run April 23 the Mountwood challenge at Mountwood Park on April 3rd. that's where they run the bicycles up and down the hills.

Kenny H talked about the new field day rules, They are basically the Covid restrictions and have been put in place permanently, also 100 W is the maximum power now. Also Class D stations can contact class the stations and get credit. To get points for publicity, it must be published.

you are encouraged to go to the ARRL website to find the details.

It was also decided the club would be doing Volcano Days Special Event station this year -- Jerry will make the arrangements to put it in QST.

We have a new member kc8kuk, Tom Watkins -- I guess he's OK, Earl vouched for him hi hi.

Curt K8uc Passed around some pictures from his old station and everybody got a kick out of looking and seeing how young he was.

Meeting was adjourned with emotion by Bob at 7:10.

Minutes taken by Mary Wharton.