Park minutes September 12. 2022

The meeting was called order by Mike at 6:30 PM at Western Sizzlin steakhouse. Introductions were given by 22 members and guests.

50-50 raffle was won by Dan Betts WV8X of \$23

Minutes were read from the August meeting by Mary Wharton The minutes were approved as read. The treasures report was given by Mary and in Lou of Jane's absence.

## Old business:

Blane, W8IOE gave the nominating committee report for the election of officers. He recommended we keep the same group we have. Mike is President, Jerry, Earl and Connard as vice presidents. Mary as secretary and Jane as treasurer. Then nominations from the floor were open - no response was forthcoming so, Officers were elected by unanimous acclamation of the club.

Repeater work: The 97 repeater has been installed and is working. Conard gave a report about additions to the main board to get a courtesy beep and a and a spoken ID. That is still in progress, he also talked about the coordination of the 39 machine due to its location having interference problems. We may be looking for a new spot. It will have to be recoordinated if we move it. So a committee was formed with Conard, Earl, Kenny Harris and Jim. They are to look into location and re-coordination of the 39 machine.

## New business:

Reminder of that mini ham fest coming up this weekend in Belpre Leavitt funeral home. They'll be food, music, antique cars and swap tables, available from 10 to 3 on Saturday the 17th.

The club was also reminded about the special event station at the Volcano Days on September 24, Conard is going to bring a radio and Jerry is going to bring a radio we will always need operators and loggers. The operating hours are from 10 AM to 6 PM on Saturday. We will be located by Kenny Harris's bingo tent, hopefully we won't get too many B 7's and I 14's on the radio.

Herbie Whitlatch brought in a show and tell a 1200 W amplifier kit that he had built. It's basically like assembling an erector set, He said it took about two hours to put all the circuit boards together. It runs on 120 V and puts out 1200 W It looks like a really a nice outfit.

Motion to adjourn by Bob KB8EFB seconded by Blane at 6:50. Minutes taken by Mary WHARTON extra comments by Jerry W.