

Minutes of July Meeting

Meeting was called to order at 6:35 by Jerry KA8NJW in the absence of Mike who had a prior engagement.

Introductions were had by 23 members and guests.

The 50-50 drawing was won by Bob KB8EFB for a total of \$17.

The treasurers report was given by Jane, N8MOW. The balance is looking good after our repeater expenses and Field Day expenses were listed.

Old business:

Earl gave a report about the Yeasu repeaters being ordered. Our applications were accepted as soon as the check clears they will be mailing them to us. At which time Earl and the committee will do the necessary installation of the 39 and 97 machines. We appreciate all the effort they put into this project.

Jerry KAHNJW gave a report on Field Day. We had three stations, digital, phone and CW. We had a total of 628 contact points and 890 bonus points the claim score submitted to the ARRL was 2258. I would like to thank everybody that participated.

New Business:

Jerry discussed correspondence received by the club. The first letter was from the West Virginia section manager Dan Ringer about the upcoming hamfeast and state convention to be held at Sutton, West Virginia on July 29 through the 31st. The letter indicated the keynote speaker would be Mike Walters W8ZY Who is the ARRL Section Manager.

The second correspondence was concerning the FCC is changing the license portal, basically they're doing away with the old one and everybody now has to get an FRN number to do any manipulation of their license. Apparently the old and new portals have been working in parallel for the last five years they're just doing away with the old system. The average person will not notice any changes.

The third piece of correspondence what is a flyer from the Tri-state Amateur Radio Association in Huntington. The 59th annual ham fest will be August 13, 2022 in Huntington West Virginia it will be held at the new Baptist Church at 610 28th St., Huntington, WV.

. Jane mentioned that we needed to get a new name on the checking account since her name and Connie Hamilton's are the only two on it now and since Connie is a silent key that wouldn't work out too well. It was recommended that Conard Richardson be put on because he's a technical vice president of the club and also younger than we are, (LOL) a motion was made to do that if Conard would accepted responsibility.

Motion to adjourn was b Bob and seconded by Mr. Dale. At about 7:05.

Minutes taken by Mary W. and as always comments by Jerry KA8NJW.

