

Minutes of August 21, 2022 meeting
Pella Amateur Radio Club
1:45 PM at Liberty Evangelical Free Church, Pella, IA

1. Present: Larry – WBØYQB. Thomas – KDØDLJ. Daniel – WØOTV, Bobby – KØBLC, Kevin – KBØBGU and Roger – WØZMU. Daniel, being Vice President, presided
2. Get together at Keomah State Park, Shelter #1, near Oskaloosa:
 - a. Saturday, 17 September from 10:00 AM to 3:00 PM approximately
 - b. We will meet at Shelter #1 at the park.
 - c. Food will be provided
 - d. Bring any gear you like. This is a day of trying things out, experimenting and having fun.
 - e. An activation of the park in the Parks on The Air program is anticipated.
3. A Fox Hunt is planned for a Saturday in October. No date has been fixed yet. Some equipment for this is available from other club members.
4. Six people participated in the Perseids Meteor shower activity held on Saturday, August 13 at the home of WØOTV. Digital mode MSK144 was used and several contacts were made on six meters. It was also an educational time to learn more about VHF propagation and the use of digital modes to make contacts.
5. The Walk for Life 5K walk/run scheduled by Pathways of Pella for Monday, September 5 (Labor Day) was mentioned. The club appears to have enough volunteers to go participate, providing communications along the route.
6. A reminder was given for the “Ham for Breakfast” for September 3 at the Pella Hy-Vee.
7. As no further business was presented, the meeting was adjourned at about 2:20 PM on August 21, 2022. We went around the room after the meeting ended to share what we were each doing regarding amateur radio.

Roger Stubbe - Secretary