



**August 25, 2007
Meeting Minutes**

The West Virginia State Amateur Radio Council, Inc. (WVSARC) August 25th, 2007 meeting was called to order at 6:15 pm by President Patrick Shea, N8MIN, in the WV Room, Jackson Lodge, Jackson's Mill, Weston, WV 26452-8011.

Comments from the President: Patrick thanked all for attending the Convention and helped to make it a success. He noted it had been a good weekend with good attendance. He commented that the Council expects and will need support from all WV Amateurs to make the 50th Anniversary (2008) a success. There was good attendance at the ARES/RACES, Net, ARRL Technical Forum, Keynote Speaker meeting, DX Forum, ARRL Forum, WV Repeater, MARS meetings, and great fun was had at the Auction.

Minutes: Secretary, Ann Rinehart, KA8ZGY, distributed copies of the June 6th, 2007 meeting minutes which were reviewed, followed by motion by Jack Kibler, K8WMX, seconded by Bob West, WA8YCD and approved to accept as presented.

Treasury Report: Treasurer, Dirk Burnside, WD8PAD, presented the Financial Register Report as of August 24th, 2007 with checking balance of \$3,291.12; Special Account (WD8V) \$470.00, Training \$1850.00 with Total Assets of \$5,611.12. (report attached)

OLD BUSINESS

50th Anniversary Speaker:

- 1) Patrick, N8MIN, reported Gordon West, WB6NOA and Bill Cross, W3TN have been confirmed for Keynote Speakers. We are still awaiting confirmation from Riley Hollingsworth, K4ZDH.
- 2) Announcements to the Roanoke Division amateurs – Dennis, W4PWF, reported he will send an email to the amateurs. The Council will need to provide the “Text”. Other sources of notification will be nets and club meetings.
- 3) Discussion of availability of hotel accommodations with possible of Lewis and Upshur County locations needed.
- 4) Discussion of need to pass communications through Nets, Emails, word of mouth of the 50th Anniversary.

Special Event Station

The bands were down but still had 62 contacts. Plans are to have station next year.

Demonstrations

Suggestion and discussion to have WV Amateur Clubs have a demonstration/display for the Anniversary.

Election of Officers

Nominating Committee Chairman, Hal Tate, N8FXH, presented the Slate of Officers as the current officers:

President, Patrick H. Shea, N8MIN;
Vice President, Joseph A. Radcliff, WD8EOG;
Secretary, L. Ann Rinehart, KA8ZGY and
Treasurer, Dirk O. Burnside, WD8PAD.

Patrick called for nominations from the floor times three (3) for President, Vice President, Secretary, and Treasurer with none heard. It was moved by Dan Ringer, K8WV, and seconded by Jack Kibler, K8WMX, the nominations be closed and the slate of officers be elected by acclamation. Motion carried.

Officers (10/01/07 – 09/30/09)

President – Patrick Shea, N8MIN
Vice President, Joseph A. Radcliff, WD8EOG
Secretary, L. Ann Rinehart, KA8ZGY
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Yahoo – Egroups

Dirk, WD8PAR, reports there needs to be increased use of the Yahoo site. Meeting and educational notices are welcome.

Flyer

Ann reports she will be attending the VA Hamfest on September 15-16, 2007 and will take 2008 50th Anniversary (Roanoke Division Convention) Flyer for distribution, if it is ready. She will talk with the VA contingent to solicit attendance at the Convention.

NEXT WVSARC MEETING: September 22, 2007, Western Steer Steakhouse, I-79, Exit 99, Weston, WV, 1:00 PM.

There being no other business, the meeting was adjourned. (Attendance 25)

L. Ann Rinehart, KA8ZGY

WVSARC Secretary

AWARDS:

Prize Winners

1st Prize - ICOM IC 718 – Hal Tate, N8FXH
2nd Prize – ICOM IC 91A – Bob West, WA8YCD
3rd Prize – ICOM 208H – Mike Palmer, K8LG

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AWARDS PRESENTATIONS

2006 West Virginia Amateur of the Year – L. Ann Rinehart, KA8ZGY

2006 Cal Basham, W8NR, ARES SET Award – Raleigh County ARES, Jim Stephenson, KE8YB, EC

2006 Field Day Award – Stonewall Jackson ARA, K8DF
(FD Participants)

Club/Individual	Call	Category	Score
Stonewall Jackson ARA (David Anderson, N8YPE-Trustee)	K8DF	3 A	6572
Kanawha ARC (William Hunter, K8BS-Trustee)	W8GK+W8FG	3 A	5908
Mountaineer ARA (Marshall Shroyer, II, WG8T-Trustee)	W8SP	2 A	5706
Eastern Panhandle ARC (Patrick Fowler, K3MQP-Trustee-Boonsboro, MD)	K8EP+K8GUN	2A	5170
Monongalia Wireless Assn. (Norton Smith, II, WD8AFJ, Trustee)	W8MWA	4 A Battery	4166
Tri-State (Garry Ritchie, W8OI – Trustee)	W8VA+W8OI	4F EOC Station	3762
Wood Co. EMCOMS (Kenneth Harris, WA8LLM-Trustee)	WC8EC	5 A	2976
Marshall County ARC (Edward Reifenbark, W8ED – Springfield, OH)	W8ED	1A	2664
West Virginia AR (Arnold Haynes, WV8AH-Trustee)	WV8AR	2 A	1882
KB2FEL (Kenneth Harman, KB8FEL, Buckhannon, WV)	KB2FEL	1 B Battery	1730
Triangle ARC (Allen Feldman, K8HGY, East Liverpool, OH)	K8BLP	2A	1652
Plateau Amateur Radio Assn. (William Stone, WV8E)	WV8E	3A	896
WA8SDA (Francis Mauser, WA8SDA, Williamstown, WV)	WA8SDA	1 D Home-Comm.	744
Preston County ARES (Bradley Cress, KC8KCI, Kingwood WV)	KC8KCI	2 A	670
AB8CR (William Ostaff, AB8CR, Glenville, WV)	AB8CR	1 E Home-Emerg.	358
AB8IR (Clarence Whitehair, AB8IR, Horse Shoe Run, WV)	AB8IR	1 D Home-Comm.	104

2007 WV QSO Party Official Results <http://www.qsl.net/wvsarc/wvqso07scores.pdf> for full details

<u>Call</u>	<u>Category</u>	<u>Score</u>	<u>Section</u>	
W8AH	MM	42280	WV	High Score Multi-Multi
AD8J	Mobile	40982	PA-WV	High Score Mobile
K8JQ	SOWV	31329	WV	High Score Single OP
N4PN	SO	6106	GA	High Score Single OP NonWV
N2WN/8	QRP	4456	TN/WV	High Score QRP

ARRL Representatives (Attending)

John Kanode, N4MM, ARRL Honorary Vice President
Dennis Bodson, W4PWF, ARRL Roanoke Division Director
Ed Hare, W1RFI, ARRL Technical Lab Supervisor
Garry Ritchie, W8OI, ARRL Roanoke Division Assistant Director
Ann Rinehart, KA8ZGY, ARRL Section Manager, West Virginia
Dan Ringer, K8WV, ARRL Assistant Section Manager, West Virginia
Nick Siebold, KB8NDS, ARRL Assistant Manager, West Virginia
Tina Clark, K8TAC, ARRL Section Emergency Coordinator, West Virginia
Ray Gorrell, WV8RG, ARRL Section Traffic Manager, West Virginia
Hal Tate, N8FXH, ARRL Bulletin Manager, West Virginia
Bill Hunter, K8BS, ARRL State Government Liaison, West Virginia
Bob West, WA8YCD, ARRL Public Information Coordinator, West Virginia

Special Event Station

W8WVA

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No.	Call	Time	Band	Mode	Location
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1.	KD5EJG	144816	20Mtrs	SSB	
2.	N4GOA	150058	20Mtrs	SSB	
3.	N7TWY/HR6	150748	20Mtrs	SSB	
4.	W5AAT	151126	20Mtrs	SSB	MS
5.	K5UAO	151135	20Mtrs	SSB	
6.	WD4IFB	151515	20Mtrs	SSB	FL
7.	KF6QH	151609	20Mtrs	SSB	CA
9.	VE9ZD	153032	20Mtrs	SSB	EASTERN CANADA
10.	W4IJY	153428	20Mtrs	SSB	FL
11.	WA5RHF	153656	20Mtrs	SSB	TX
12.	KG4JYB	153806	20Mtrs	SSB	FL
13.	N5WLA	154328	20Mtrs	SSB	TX
14.	N5YAT	154550	20Mtrs	SSB	TX
15.	K5DH/MOBILE	154738	20Mtrs	SSB	TX
16.	KC5R	154930	20Mtrs	SSB	LA
17.	KG4VYX	155147	20Mtrs	SSB	FL
18.	KD5MBX	155613	20Mtrs	SSB	TX
19.	W5GJJ	160116	20Mtrs	SSB	LA
20.	W4TWA	160319	20Mtrs	SSB	FL
21.	K5KG	160555	20Mtrs	SSB	FL
22.	AC5ZG	161013	20Mtrs	SSB	TX
23.	N2RL	161649	20Mtrs	SSB	CO
24.	K5WDW	162034	20Mtrs	SSB	TX
25.	VE5GCS	162352	20Mtrs	SSB	CANADA
26.	AA5VA	162514	20Mtrs	SSB	
27.	W5JAO	162712	20Mtrs	SSB	
28.	N7CAR	162842	20Mtrs	SSB	AZ
29.	KK3Q	162952	20Mtrs	SSB	TX
30.	WA5UA	163018	20Mtrs	SSB	TX
31.	VA6JWT	163505	20Mtrs	SSB	ALBERTA, CANADA
32.	K5RCD	163622	20Mtrs	SSB	TX
33.	KE4JP	163714	20Mtrs	SSB	FL
34.	K0HAA	163845	20Mtrs	SSB	SD
35.	W3FF	164051	20Mtrs	SSB	CA
36.	N4FD	164133	20Mtrs	SSB	
37.	N0FM	164229	20Mtrs	SSB	CO
38.	WB9OKQ	164454	20Mtrs	SSB	WI
39.	WA5TRX	164744	20Mtrs	SSB	
40.	KB5AVB	164954	20Mtrs	SSB	
41.	KD5EDF	165313	20Mtrs	SSB	
42.	K4RRF	165340	40Mtrs	SSB	FL
43.	K4NTO	172331	20Mtrs	SSB	
44.	K5MRM	173650	20Mtrs	SSB	
45.	W7KAM	173927	20Mtrs	SSB	
46.	K5ENS	180003	20Mtrs	SSB	LA
47.	KI4FUS	180455	20Mtrs	SSB	AL
48.	SP9LJD	182605	20Mtrs	SSB	
49.	KD8FDD	184154	2 Mtrs	FM	WV
50.	NW8U	184402	2 Mtrs	FM	WV
51.	KI4FUS	192846	40Mtrs?	SSB	AL
52.	KA2FCG	193607	40Mtrs?	SSB	
53.	KF4UOR	193653	40Mtrs?	SSB	

54.	N4JF	193740	40Mtrs?	SSB	AL
55.	KB1FCB	194238	40Mtrs?	SSB	MA
56.	W1RFI	194305	40Mtrs?	SSB	WV
57.	KC9HQV	194408	40Mtrs?	SSB	WI
58.	N9ORD	194544	40Mtrs?	SSB	IL
59.	KD5EJG	194821	40Mtrs?	SSB	MS
60.	WW4US	194917	40Mtrs?	SSB	FL
61.	KG4CPE	195013	40Mtrs?	SSB	FL
62.	N4QET	195151	40Mtrs?	SSB	GA
63.	KG4ZNA	195306	40Mtrs?	SSB	GA
64.	KB9KEG	195405	40Mtrs?	SSB	IL
65.	K1RJV	195902	40Mtrs?	SSB	MA
66.	W2MSK	200416	40Mtrs?	SSB	NJ
67.	WA4UJY	200948	40Mtrs?	SSB	GA
68.	S58AL	202631	20Mtrs	SSB	