

SIARC MEETING NOTES FOR FEBRUARY 10, 2016

MEETING CALLED TO ORDER:

At 7:35 by President Tom Sanders KB2NCI with 26 in attendance. The previous month's minutes were read by Club Secretary Ray Dreimiller AB2UY, accepted by membership and entered into record. The Club Treasurer Stan Avery WM3D reported that the club checking account stands at \$3,618.03 minus \$270 to Steve Benton for 18 \$15 QRP 40meter radios the entire amount to be reimbursed back into the treasury after the members who ordered radios pay for them. The final amount of \$3,348.03 was accepted and entered into record.

COUNTY REPORT:

John Park WA2SSJ reported that the D-Land communication software was taken down today and gone to a new server. Dave Foster reported that the software is at the new server but not updated yet. We will be trained on the system sometime in the near future. John also reports that they are finalizing relations with the City of Geneva for our facility there. The antenna is not connected there yet.

On our own EOC, Tom Sanders, John Park, and Vern Kunes have recently together worked on improving and arranging the equipment.

RACES NET:

Tom reports the 8:00 NET is going well as usual on the 145.45 repeater with 15-20 check-ins. We appreciate the participation from the Wayne County members and encourage everyone to check-in whenever possible.

CONEX DRILL:

Will take place this Friday with the MARS system (military auxiliary radio system) from 8am to 8pm whereby the MARS system HF frequencies will interface with our local as well as other RACES repeaters for check-ins.

YEARLY CAMP SCHOLARSHIP CONTRIBUTION:

February is the Month that we make our yearly \$300 contribution to the 4H camp for one student to attend the summer camp for one week. The scholarship is in memory of SIARC member Lee Schutt WA2LEE. The funds were derived from contributions of members and others in memory of Lee and will allow us to send a student to camp for probably the next 6 years.

JIM RICE KA2BSG:

Tom requested a moment of silence for SIARC club member Jim Rice who only recently passed away. John Park notified ARRL that Jim was a Silent Key. Jim was an active member in the past who trained the membership for the EM-COM classes. Jim was an active member in the Rushville Historical Society and the Rushville

Congregational Church. It was decided by the membership to donate \$50 from SIARC to the Rushville Historical Society in Memory of Jim.

WILD WATER DERBY:

Will be held Saturday April 30th and SIARC with the help of Drumlins and Monroe County Hams will provide the communications. Get in touch with Tom Sanders if you would like to help. They usually meet for breakfast in Shortsville before the event.

FIELD DAY 2016:

Will be held on June 25-26 at Gannett Hill. Don Smith N2VDE will work with the DRUMLIN ARC to co-chair the event.

DRUMLINS HAM FEST:

Will be held April 23rd at the Palmyra VFW. We will have two tables to sell items. Mark the items you wish to sell with your call sign and a range for sale price. The doors open to sellers at 7:00am and at 8:00am to the public.

WA2LEE Lee Schutt's station:

Dave Mette W2ACC said that Lee's wife expressed her appreciation in helping to sell Lee's radio equipment. The equipment sold for a total of \$503. There is a TNC and a radio for packet station along with a power supply left.

The meeting adjourned at 8:00pm and immediately went to the 40meter QRP radio project hosted by Steve Benton WB2VMR.

Minutes submitted by club secretary Ray Dreimiller AB2UY

MEMBERS IN ATTENDANCE:

Ray Dreimiller SR. AB2UY	Ray Dreimiller JR. KC2OHL	James Rosato	KD2AVK
Tom Sanders KB2NCI	Dean Stahlman W2WDS	Kevin Mussack	KD2JZQ
Vern Kunes K2VJK	Bill Glosick KD2CZW	Andy Mussack	KD2JZP
David Reussow KC2DQS	Steve Benton WB2VMR	David Mette	W2ACC
Dave Hunter N2EZY KD2HNI	Norm Schrader WB2GGM	Tony Golumbeck	
Wes Mills W2WES	Sandy Federico KA2HQZ	Dale Hansen	KB2TNL
John Park WA2SSJ	John Greco KD2GTA	Bob Hess	KD2GMX
Dave Foster AB2WZ	Stan Avery WM3D	Walt Judd	KC2EM

Chuck Yarger Guest

Tom Estey Guest