

AJARC

Meeting Minutes

April 6, 2021 - 7 pm (19:00)

Location: Greene County Fair Grounds Andrew Johnson Bank Pavilion

Present: 22 members present including President, Vice-President and Sec/Treasurer

Next meeting: May 4th, 2021 TBD

1. Meeting

Ian Bible (KE4EAC) called the meeting to order, at 19:00. We didn't have a flag so no pledge was made and Abner Richards provided an invocation.

2. Secretary/Treasurer report

Larry Whiteside (KN4MVH)-Sec/Treasurer: Deposits \$335.01 (dues and donations). Expenses totaled \$981.10 of which were for trailer repairs, administrative costs for URL, prizes for HamFest, and GLSP.

Checking Balance is \$5,109.40 as of March 31, 2021.

Be sure to check on your membership on the AJARC.org web site. You can renew through PayPal or by check. If you have questions about your membership please contact Larry Whiteside at KN4MVH@gmail.com.

Financial statement for year 2020 was presented and passed around for review during the meeting.

There are 33 current members. Seven memberships are due to be renewed.

During the meeting several members renewed their memberships.

There was one question about the 501c1 and what was the issue. Larry explained that it had been revoked a number of years ago because of missed filing of the 990 card and that that we were reinstated in 2020.

3. Old business:

Trailer repairs status (Scott Bird – KM4FYJ): Scott reported on the tower trailer status and the only things left were to acquire and mount a new tool box.

Tower repairs (Bobby Gass-N4FV/ Dennis Holt-KN4JSF): Bob Gass reported that there may be an issue with intermodulation at the tower.

HamFest 2021 - April 17th: Ian lead a walk through for new volunteers and refresher regarding set up on Friday and day of event. He also requested volunteers to help with parking, the gate and set up. Several people agreed to help out.

4. New Business

Nathaniel Jones (K8DJE) has moved to Arizona. If you need his current address, please ask Larry Whiteside. He has had to sell his radio equipment do the health issues.

Field Day: Larry Whiteside reported he had made the reservation for Pavilion # 3 again for June 26/27 at Kinser Park.

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5. Roundtable

Bob Gass talked about Wednesday Trivia night on the .060 repeater.

There was discussion about the Net Participation Award and the idea of making changes to the rules.

Meeting adjourned time 20:30