

# AJARC

## Meeting Minutes May 3rd, 2022 - 7 pm (19:00)

Location: **Old Oak Tap Room, 7pm**

Present: 18 people and members present , Including President, Vice President

Next meeting: June 7th, 2022 7PM

### Meeting

Ian called the meeting to order, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance, and then a prayer.

#### 1. Secretary/Treasurer report

Ian reviewed Larry Whiteside (KN4MVH)-Sec/Treasurer report: Deposits of \$2,144.24 (\$165.09 in Dues, \$1.15 interest income est., \$1978.00 Hamfest deposits), expenses totaled \$832.00 (GLPS of \$32.00, \$800 cash for HamFest gate). Checking balance as of April 26<sup>th</sup>, 2022 is \$7890.76. Memberships: 53, expiring memberships 5. Fairgrounds have not yet cashed check for \$330 for HamFest fairgrounds rental. AJARC ARRL one year liability insurance policy is due to be renewed in May. Should be about \$200.

Check on your membership on the AJARC.org web site. Renew through PayPal or by check. If you have questions about your membership please contact Larry Whiteside at [KN4MVH@gmail.com](mailto:KN4MVH@gmail.com). Minutes are on the website for review.

#### 2. Old business:

Hamfest 2022 (April 16<sup>th</sup>): We had based on tickets sold 200 people, with estimated 30 tailgaters. Two ARRL officials attended. We had over 30 volunteers who helped with set up, operations and takedown. **We had no reservations for the commercial buildings so we didn't rent it.** Hot Dog man sold again this year. Bryan Smith (W2BRN) and John Brown (KD4KFL) did TV and radio spots Friday the 15<sup>th</sup>. Greeneville Sun ran a piece in the paper two weeks before the Hamfest. We had \$540 dollars in prizes donated and the club spent \$652.91 for Grand Prize and secret prize. List of winners of prizes at the end of this meeting agenda. There was some discussion on what the club charges for attending and for flea market spaces.

Hamfest Income: **\$1,178 (this excludes \$800 for gate cash)**

200 tickets X \$5.00 = \$1000.00, Tailgaters estimate 30 x \$5.00 = \$ 150.00, Donations at gate= \$28.00 = **\$1,178**

Expenses: **\$1119.18**

Fairgrounds \$330.00, flyers \$136.27, grand prize/secret Prize \$652.91 = **\$1119.18**

Income less expenses= **\$1178.00-\$1119.18= \$58.82**

Hamfest exams results from Mark Slem (N4MRK): Two new hams are Robert Hammett (Technician) KO4ZVR and John Beeler (Technician) KO4ZVS. One person Upgraded to Extra: Kevin Roper (Extra) KM4BAH

Towers/ repeaters: Need to schedule another work party to finish up the roof from October. Will pick a date.

#### 3. New Business

Field Day June 25-26, 2022. Pavilion #3 has been reserved already by Larry Whiteside (KN4MVH). Charlie Flint (K4CMF) reported that some of the firms he contacted about food donations were enthusiastic, many verbally said they will support, one manager at Papa John's pizza wants to learn more about ham radio. We will have 10 cases of water again from Premium waters again. Most of the businesses are support but report things have been tight this year.

Fox Hunt committee was formed, members are Bryan Smith (W2BRN), Scott Bird (KM4FYJ) and Dennis Holt (N4DWH).

#### 4. Roundtable

Meeting adjourned time: 20:05