

South Alabama Radio Club

April 18, 2013

MEMBERS PRESENT WERE:

John KE4HIE (President), Pat Henagan (KG4LNX) treasurer, Larry KF4GRA (Secretary), Debra KF4BOR, Bob KI4RWL and Jeff KI4QBT.

John Brown called the meeting to order at 7:10 PM

MINUTES FROM LAST MEETING:

The minutes for the last meeting were read. Pat made a motion to accept the minutes and Bob seconded. The minutes were approved.

TREASURE REPORT: Pat reported the following balance as of March 2013 \$546.89. Joe's 2 checks for Tower rent cleared the bank and \$54 for the PO Box rental will be paid. Bob made a motion to approve the treasurer's report. Jeff seconded. The treasurer's report was approved.

OLD BUSINESS

- Susan Harris plans to have an Emergency Expo about the same time next year.
- John called Susan about the antennas at the EOC. The antennas are the same status as last meeting.
- Status of the domain was discussed. Bob said the following expiration dates for the 2 domains: WC4M.INFO expires 12/17/2013 and WC4M.NET expires 4/2/2014.
- Bob has coax for Field day.
- John reported on the Mobile Hamfest.

NEW BUSINESS

- KA4IHE had a stroke and is in rehab in Dothan.
- Alabama QSO Party is June 1-2 on 10- 160 meters except for the WARC bands.
- FIELD DAY was discussed. John was unable to contact Malcolm about Friday night. Pat contacted Tom at Sweet Home Alabama Campgrounds about the club house. He reported that the date for Field day is confirmed, provided we have 6 campsite spots rented for the weekend. The club will operate as 2A again this year. John talked to the section manager W4MD and he plans to visit field day sites in Alabama

Field day items to bring:

Pat will bring Boston butt and beans.

Bob KI4RWL will bring coax for the field day antennas.

HF Radios: John - Icom 735; Bob -- Icom 706 MK II, Icom 718 -- Bob

Batteries -- Jeff

Digital Modes?

Proclamations: Bob -- Mayor of Opp; Debra -- Earl Johnson, Mayor of Andalusia; Susan -- County

Menu for Saturday will be hamburgers and hotdogs.

- John mentioned that KK4JPE is looking for a HF radio.
- Next month will be at the Library unless Susan can have the meeting at the EOC.

The meeting adjourned at 7:54 PM.

Respectfully submitted by

Larry DeFilippi (KF4GRA), Secretary