

SWIARC Meeting

Febuary 2021 Minutes

February 25th 2021

Opened promptly at 7:00 PM This meeting was conducted on Zoom due to the Corona Virus Pandemic. **President Derek W0TYG**

Don	W0AF	Ron	.KRON
Craig	KDOYTI	Paul	WBOGXD
Kevin	NOMHK	Ron	KRON
Bill	KDOFJR	Rea	NOREA
Keith	KE0AEP	Rick	KA0RLR
Craig	WONEU	Susanne	KE0WYL
Barb	KE0EGG		

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Members present

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved--- motion by Paul GXD with the following corrections made: Kevin Barton's Call is NOMHK Keith is KE0AEP

Paul believes his reimbursement seemed too high, A check showed He was paid \$29.99 for repair parts on the .225 power supply, NOT the higher amount first reported. Mail box rent is \$92.00

Also, dues become past due AFTER March 31st.

Treasurer's report was an Balance of \$7,354.83 Craig said that we had deposits of \$.65.00 mostly dues And two checks paid \$55.00 for postage stamps \$29.99 paid to Paul GXD for repair parts for the .225 repeater system. Also, the mail box rent \$92.00 was recently paid. Ending current Balance of \$7327.83

Paul GXD motioned to accept treasurer report and accept for audit ..

CORRESPONDNCE

A Number of members have mailed in their dues payments.

DUES ARE DUE BY March 31st.

Repeater Both Repeaters-- Paul GXD said everything seems to be working okay. Repairs

he Power Supply at the 442.225 repeater at-WOWT have been completed and returned back to service The Repeater coordination for Iowa has been sent in and \$5.00 Fee paid and Rea is working on the coordination papers for Nebraska.

Paul's repeater WBOGXD 442.525 has a echolink node # 51503 for everyone's use Rea NOREA stated that the VE testing sessions have been rescheduled into March and seems to be a lot of interest in testing for a license or upgrade.

Both Hamfest and field day are up in the air at this time. The Lincoln Club is going to try a hamfest and convention on June 19th

Other old business > The club's liability insurance is in process paying for just liability and NOT for equipment loss, failure. Costs \$200.00 though ARRL.

New Business

Discussion of the following on Zoom

Need to get a current e mail list and contact info on members.

The Bi-annual registration corporation fee, filing was sent in to the State of Iowa secretary of State's office.

It is believed that the FCC will soon be imposing an additional \$35.00 administrative fee on new applicants, upgrades, and changes later this summer.

Rick Rodgers KA0RLR is returning as the editor of the Club's newsletter The Printed Circuit. Hopefully being published monthly. It was asked IF Rick had paid club dues? Derek will check on this.. needs to focus on ham items of interest.

WE visited with Mr. Craig NONEU who recently moved to Nebraska City, NE hoping He will give us some details on His new ham shack, QTH.

Don W0AF noted that several new POTA sites are in Southwest Iowa near Glenwood and the Riverton

Nature Preserve close to Sidney need use.
Coffee katches will be starting soon in April at Lake
Manawa State Park Breakfast meetings at a local
restaurant, grocery stores.... Seem unavailable
now...

DUES ARE DUE SEE BELOW.... Po Box 661

Meeting concluded around 7:30 PM
ADJOURNED

Minutes by Club Sec'y, KD0FJR 73's

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SWIARC membership is open to
all with an interest in Amateur Radio
Dues are \$15.00 a year with a youth
discount. We operate 2 repeater systems in Council Bluffs and Omaha

146.820 VHF
442.225 UHF

x 1 Year \$ 15.00 NAME:
Your call sign _____ Your Address:
year of first license _____
Class of license _____
X Optional Repeater Fund Donation _____

X I want to become a Ham Operator and
take training classes.

Mail to: SWIARC
P. O. Box 661 Council Bluffs, Iowa 51502
73 Thanks, Derek, Rich, Bill, and Craig 2021 Officers
A RECEIPT will be mailed back to you