

Hernando Co Amateur Radio Association

Meeting of September 9, 2021 Minutes

Recorded by: Ron Wright, N9EE, Secretary

Meeting opened by Tim, WB0YSX club president at 1930 hr.

Attending: 13 members, 0 guest, 11 ARRL Members, 6 HCECS Members

Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag, all attending and Prayer, Carol

Reading of August 12, 2021 meeting minutes, Ron, N9EE, approved as read.

Treasure Report: Bob, W1LBV, Total Assets: \$31,469.82 approved as read.

Web Site: Tim, WB0YSX, All working well, Front page will have HamFest Flyer for download and print out for information and \$1 off coupon.

Sunshine Fund: Carrol, \$179 in fund.

Repeater: Bob, W1LBV, Repeater audio sounding fine.

Old Business: HamFest will be Saturday February 26, one week later than when it is normally scheduled. Was due to Scout Reservation had another event the weekend we normally have the event.

Ron to send clubs information.

Tim emailed contribution letter, we need some to go around and try to get donations and talk to others about the HamFest. Tim will again send the letter by email.

One major issue is Quick Silver who normally gets 10 or more tables will not attend due to change in date and their schedule has a HamFest in Georgia the same weekend of our HamFest. Normally Quick Silver attends ours for it is on a date in their round about schedule. We will need to find inside vendors to occupy tables.

Announced picnic for October 16. Darin will take care of the food, he will need \$80-100 to cover cost of the food.

New Business: John, KJ4OTC will provide his home/farm QTH for our Winter Field Day in late January 2022.

Due to FCC publishing new RF exposure level limits, ARRL has site to determine RF exposure levels for bands and power levels.

Program: Kai, KN4LKL, gave presentation on a battery box he built using a Harbor Freight solar panel and a 12VDC SLA battery for emergency powering of your radios

during power outage.

Meeting adjourned: 2025 hrs.