



# NORTH OKAOOSA AMATEUR RADIO CLUB

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## MINUTES BUSINESS MEETING

10 June 2021

### Opening (7:00 PM)

- Prayer
- Welcome

### Opening Comments:

- Bob Murphy KI4MEU
  - Welcome to all those present and those on Zoom.
  - Will be making this meeting about Field day. If something that needs to be discussed comes up we will discuss it as well.

## Officer's Reports

### Secretary's Report – KM4JJS

- Minutes are posted on line @W4AAZ website.
- Motion to accept Secretaries report: 1<sup>st</sup>: KM4SPJ, 2<sup>ND</sup>: N4DPM . Motion carried.

### Treasurer's Report – KN4UDT

- Total Bank Equity: \$9801.23
- Motion to accept Treasurer's report: 1<sup>ST</sup>: N4GXX, 2<sup>ND</sup>: KN4WDQ. Motion carried

## Club Committee Reports

- ◆ Education and Advancement Committee – KA5DLV
  - Work continues on the Elmering Checklist. We are currently evaluating the checklist with two Hams who recently earned or upgraded their licenses.
  - This month's Tech Night will be "allotted to the Field Day Committee" to wrap up any loose ends, and answer questions. Field Day is Saturday, June 26 and Sunday, June 27 at the N4CU QTH.
- ◆ Station Committee
  - KI5FR - Was told to go ahead and get WIN for ICOM for our Club Radios. Will try to find out what HRDM has on file for us and what the deal is with our license. Will have N1NM on both computers updated before he leaves to night just in case they are needed for Field Day.



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- ◆ Activities Committee - KN4UDS
  - Those that did the parking for the Church did a good job. KN4UDS thanked everyone for their hard work and doing an excellent job.

Motion to accept all Committee Reports: 1<sup>st</sup>: KI4ZER and 2<sup>ND</sup>: KZ4AAA.  
Motion passes.

## Old Business

- Field Day Report - KI4ZER
  - ◆ Bob Walker is in the Hospital. As a club it might be wise to have 2 POCs to reach out to Salley to see if she needs anything. Don Snider volunteered to be the POC to keep track of how Bob is doing.
  - ◆ Field Day is still on, however there may be a last minute relocation. There is no finalization of the Location. It may be at Spanish Trail or if it is not available, maybe we could locate at Crestview Community Center. They don't want Salley to feel pressured to have Field Day at their place.
  - ◆ Should set a "Drop Dead" date of when it will be decided where we will set up.
  - ◆ We have all the equipment we need for 20(Lower Side), 40 & 80 meters. (Radios, generators, gas for generators, solar power, batteries, antennas, toliets, Air Conditioning & Canopies) DJ has some Pushup poles that can be used. He also has coax, guide wires. QSO cards have been made.
  - ◆ We need to do logs of all contacts. Whether is is electronic or paper logs. We also must ensure that no contacts are entered more then once.
  - ◆ Social media will be coming out to where we setup. Also section commanders of ARRL might be coming out to our Field Day setup. We are still waiting to hear back from them.
  - ◆ We will have people scheduled to cover certain frequencies at certain but it does not mean you cannot just show up for 20 minutes or so to fill in gaps we may have. It also does not matter if you have the license for the privileges of the frequencies. You can learn what can be done as well as be shown how to operate. and there will be a licensed ham for those frequencies. We will work it out.
  - ◆ A Safety Officer is needed.



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## New Business

- KK4WDQ - Camp - Need help getting kids on the Air. The building needs a lot of refurbishing(?) especially in the area of electricity. (Volunteers?)
- 7 August 2021 - EOC Radio Room being used.

## Announcements

1) Bob Walker is in the Hospital. Don Snider will keep track of how Bob is doing.

### Remember:

Thanks to LOBC for the use of the facilities.  
Donations for the church accepted in the donations pail.  
Remember the Sign in Sheet.  
Remember the Printer Ink Cartridge Bpx (Donations to NOARC.  
Adjourn to Burger King on South Ferdon.