

TARC Board Meeting

09/13/2021



President – Glenn WA4NMW – Welcome

Vice President - Steve KO4AFL

Treasurer - Jim KW4PW –

Secretary - Mike KJ4TAC – Not Present

Membership – Ron K4TCP – Annual dues are now due. Payment can be made on the TARC web page, by check, or at the meetings.

Testing – Ron K4TCP –

Programs – Van N4VGE– Mark Tarplee scheduled for Sept on Vertical Antennas, Glen in Oct SWR and Ken Ezell QRP in Nov.

Repeaters – Bryce K4LXF –

Fund Raising - Peggy W4ZBR –

Properties - Steve KO4AFL – Need a replacement Property Manager

Call to order: 1830 hrs.

OLD BUSINESS:

Greg KB1AWM will be point of contact for a Group Buy of coax wire Members should contact Greg if interested. If you want a specific length with connects already installed let him know ASAP. All payment arrangements must be made with Greg.

Glenn WA4NMW – Going through the slide deck for updates. Glenn brought up that ARRL in the past had provided training slide decks for clubs to use. This will be investigated. Ron will also investigate using the Facebook advertising to reach potential students outside of the ham clubs.

NEW BUSINESS:

Asking for a volunteer to replace Steve KO4AFL as the club Property Manager. Contact Steve or Glenn with questions or if interested.

Little David event was discussed, and it was decided to not do one in October.

A club POTA operating day will be held on Saturday Oct 23. David AE4ZR will contact Ghivans Ferry State Park to check for pavilion availability.

Winter Field Day will be held on 29-30 January 2022. A Contact person is needed to coordinate set up.

After a discussion it was decided to NOT hold a Christmas Party again this year due to the current COVID restrictions.

Current plans are NOT to have a December Membership meeting in lieu of no Christmas Party.

A discussion was held about operating for the Hunley at Ft Moultrie instead of Breech Inlet in February. Breech Inlet has lots of RF interference due to transformers and power lines nearby. Tom is researching this for more information and to firm up the date.

Greg KB1AWM wants to start a Young Hams committee to explore how the club can bring more youth into amateur radio. He is looking for volunteers to help with brainstorming what can be done. Interested members are asked to contact him.

Meeting adjourned