



Four States Amateur Radio Club February 3, 2018 Monthly Meeting Chuck Wagon Restaurant, Nash, Texas

Arthur Christy (KF5VWN) called the meeting to order at 9:30 AM.

Jim Hickey (AC7EE) offered opening prayer and led the members in the pledge of allegiance.

David Glenn (KF5VAE) read the minutes of the January 2018 meeting. Russell Jarosinski (N5NUQ) made motion to accept minutes as read. Richard Arthur (N5RGA) seconded the motion. The motion was approved by membership.

David Glenn (KF5VAE) gave the club financial report. Club has \$11,137.13 in checking account and \$121.09 in the Pay-Pal account. This gives the club a total of \$11,258.22 funds for future club expenses. Richard Arthur (N5RGA) made motion to accept financial report. Steve Rogers (AF5JR) seconded the motion. The motion was approved by membership.

Charles Conkey (KG5MVX) gave the membership a brief update on the Winter Field-day operations held Jan 27-28 2018 at Charles Conkey's home. The group made several contacts and ate very good and had an enjoyable time.

Charles Conkey (KG5MVX) asked about current status of D-Star repeater.

Arthur Christy (KF5VWN) informed the club membership that several methods (KTAL, Windstream, Cable One) are being investigated for internet access to the KTAL site which is required for D-Star operation. To become operational with D-Star repeater the Club may have to commit to short term purchase of internet service before KTAL installs internet service to tower site.

Arthur Christy (KF5VWN) informed the Club raised \$385.53 for the Salvation Army at the Bell Ringing last December.

Steve Rogers (AF5JR) informed the membership Richard Lenior with MTC in Paris, TX has taken a full-time job which will limit MTC's participation in Ham-Fest. Without a major vendor even, a Tail-Gate Type Ham-Fest would be of limited success.

David Glenn (KF5VAE) informed the membership we are still investigating raffle prizes for a fund-raising project maybe for drawing at the September 1, 2018 club meeting. It is our hope and believe that the club can raise between \$2000 -\$3000 with this fund raiser.

Robert Ward (N5TXK) made motion for adjournment of the February 2018 FSARC club meeting. Michael Chittum (KG5WVN) seconded the motion. Motion was approved.

Secretary -- David Glenn (KF5VAE)

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The following Club members were in attendance at the February 2018 Club meeting.

Arthur, Richard	N5RGA	Bussey, Malcolm	N5GKV
Christy, Arthur	KF5VWN	Conkey, Charles	KG5MVX
Glenn, David	KF5VAE	Hatridge, Rudy	AF5EY
Jarosinski, Russell	N5NUQ	Lee, Anna	KC5CSO
Lee, Monroe	KK5NF	Mackey, Charles	KF5VAA
Jonathan, Rogers	AF5JQ	Chittum, Michael	KG5WVN
Nyman, Carl	AA5VE	Lewis, David	KG5VYJ
Rogers, Steve	AF5JR	Ward, Robert	N5TXK
Rumsey, Ronnie	KA5LEK	Guzman, Ignacio	KE6JL

The following visitors were in attendance at the December 2017 Club meeting.

Bradshaw, Dan	KG5PNN	Hickey, Jim	AC7EE
Cunningham, Buddy	N5LUC	Bickham, Jeff	KG5LFQ
Bickham, Jared		Parsons, Richard	KF7CMC