

## **Four States Amateur Radio Club February 2019 Minutes**

President Charles Mackey called the meeting to order and Robert Ward was asked to do the opening prayer and the pledge of allegiance to the American flag.

The minutes of the January 2020 **Four States Amateur Radio Club** was read and a motion was made by Clarence Shilling and seconded by David Glenn. Club approved the minutes.

David Glenn stated that we have filed our 2019 tax report. He then went on to explain the financial report that showed the club having \$9756.37 in the bank with 34 dues paying members. David Teague made a motion to accept the financial report and seconded by Clarence Shilling. Club approved the motion for the financial report.

Winter Field day report was given by Gary Martin. He stated that he and Eddie Daniel set up the station at the volunteer fire station in Prescott, Ar. He stated that the bands were flat they did get to talk to the Northeast and Canada. He had a good time and great food during the Winter Field Day.

Announcement: the Ares group across town is thinking about having a Tailgate Party. The tailgate party would be at the Elk's Lodge. It is a large place and could be brought in doors if it rains. He will have to get permission from the Lodge so that the tailgate party can be used for their 501C3 also. Date to be set in the near future. Discussion over the tailgate party and the reason behind it continued with the club members.

Run the Line is on the 16<sup>th</sup> of February 2020. Clarence Shilling stated that we have not been invited and Greg English Made a motion to not do it and David Teague seconded the motion. The club voted not to do it this year.

David Glenn brought up the Skywarn class on February 11, 2020 at the Texarkana Fire Department at 2 – 4 pm in the training room and 6-8 pm located at the Bi-State training room.

Club membership is up to date on the web page plus all the minutes to last year's meetings are present on the web site.

Carl Nyman brought up weather the club was going to have a fundraiser this year. David Glenn discussed what the club has concerning the tickets. David Glenn discussed the correct gun and the amount on the tickets for the sale. David Teague continued the discussion of a fundraiser by showing up at a gun show in Texarkana and presenting the gun at the show to boost the ticket sales. Discussion continued of the way to sell the tickets and the amount for each ticket. Carl Nyman ask for a vote to see if the club wants a gun raffle this club year. David Glenn discussed the current bills that are due to show that the club could use some extra money coming in. Gary Martin went on to second Carl Nyman's motion and the club passed the motion. David Glenn decided that he would get prices of a gun and bring them back to the club meeting. Further discussion as to parameters around buying and selling the gun.

President Charles Mackey asked for motion to adjourn the club meeting and Greg English seconded. The club voted to adjourn the meeting.

Present for the February 2020 monthly meeting:

President Charles Mackey KF5VAA  
Vice-President Carl Nyman AA5VE  
Secretary Robert Ward N5TXK  
Treasure David Glenn KF5VAE

Director Richard Arthur N5RGA  
Director Clarence Shilling WB5BYV  
Director David Teague N5GTE

Eric Richards KI5BZO  
Evan Vestre KI7DZP  
Gary Martin N5HOG  
Steve Rogers AF5JR  
Rudy Hatridge AF5EY  
Monroe Lee KK5NF

Greg English KG5BOC  
Carl West KC5EZ  
Ronnie Rumsey KA5LEK  
Eddie Daniel W5LST  
Karmel Kuhn KK5KLL  
Steve Oglesby KX5FUZ