

PPRAA Business Meeting Minutes

13 September 2017



The meeting was called to order at 7:01 PM by President Raleigh Holcomb at the IHOP Restaurant on Stetson Hills near Powers Blvd. Over 43 members and guests were present.

Silent Keys: None.

The minutes for the August meeting were approved as published in the Zero Beat and on the PPRAA website.

Treasurer's Report Jim Madsen reported that we had \$13605.14 in our accounts as of 10 September 2017.

Committee Reports

Club Picnic

The event was a big success. Thanks to Doug for cooking a great meal.

ARES Report

John Bloodgood reported the Pikes Peak Ascent & Marathon were completed. Colorado Springs Marathon on Sept 30 still needs operators to help. September is National Preparedness Month. The website ready.gov has a lot of hints for preparedness.

Club Station

Cement has been purchased for the pad in front of the shed. Still need to mix & pour. Inventory of donated equipment was worked on. New 2m/440 antenna installed.

Elections

Elections are coming up in Oct. If you are interested in a club position, contact a board member or club officer. Currently open slots are secretary and board members, but nominations are still being accepted for all officer positions.

VP Report

Mike A reported on the eclipse event, Hawaii QSO event, and the Colorado QSO Party. Raleigh is now a registered instructor and needs tech students.

Thursday Night 2m Net

146.345 MHZ FM at 9PM

Mike is looking for 6 people to assist with asset inventory. Date is TBD.

Awarded a club plaque and a mini-BBQ to Doug Nielsen for his stellar service to the club.
Thanks Doug!

Program

Don DuBon N6JRL talked about the new location and facility for the ARRL Dayton Hamvention, now in Xenia, OH. It is a big improvement over the old Harah Arena. There were plenty of activities for all. Quite an event! It is put on by the Dayton Amateur Radio Assn.

Megafest Report

Don DuBon N6JRL is the next Megafest chair.

Upcoming Events

Next PPRAA board meeting: 6:30PM, Monday, October 9, 2017, at the IHOP Restaurant on Stetson Hills at Powers.

Next PPRAA regular meeting: 7PM, Wednesday, October 11, 2017. Same location as above.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:24 PM.

Respectfully submitted,
John Wishart NGØI
PPRAA Secretary
27 September 2017