

Frederick Amateur Radio Club (FARC)

Meeting Minutes

July 17, 2017

Meeting: The club meeting was called to order by President Brian Rozelle (AB3RW) at 1906

Number of Attendees: 10 attendees were present. A list of attendees is attached

Last Month's Minutes: The read the minutes of last month's meeting. The minutes were approved as read.

New Licensees: None

License Upgrades: Glen Bolin (KC3GAK) upgraded to General.

Treasurer's Report: The Treasurer report was given and approved as read. Total assets \$16,663.43

New Member Application(s):

Old or Ongoing Business: None

New Business: Jeff Fishman (KB3FIO) talked about the upcoming solar eclipse. He said his plan was to drive down to North Carolina view it and come back. He mentioned it if anyone is invited to tag alone.

Committee Reports:

ARES – Per Mike Myers (K3DO).

- Field day went well. Mike Myers set up a helium balloon. It attracted a lot of attention. One guy came and stayed until early morning. There were 267 phone contacts and 12 digital contacts. Conditions were just a bit better than last year. Good conversation amongst the group.
- Sean McAdam (NE3RD) talked about the preparations for the Tour-de-Frederick. He requested a count of who will be helping so t-shirts can be ordered. Radios will be available as needed.

RACES – Nothing to report

SKYWARN - Nothing to report.

Other - Jeff Fishman (KB3FIO) noted the Red Cross building has been sold. We need to decide where to set up a new location. One possibility was the pilot ready lounge at the airport.

Upcoming Events:

- Aug. 12 (Sat.) – Tour de Frederick
- Sep. 17 (Sun.) - Grand Fondo.

The meeting was followed by general discussion amongst the members.

End of Meeting: The meeting was adjourned at 1930.

Attendees:

Brian Rozell (AB3RW)

Bryant Meldrum (N3NON)

Mark Whitmore (AB3KS)

Mike Myers (K3DO)

Glen Bolin (KC3GAK)

Herb Palm (K3HCP)

David Kindred (K3PO)

Jeff Fishman (KB3FIO)

Sean McAdam (NE3RD)

Mel Schall (KB3ZVB)

Submitted by Bryant Meldrum (N3NON)