



Meeting Minutes: May 9, 2017

Members Present:

Ed Weatherford	Bruce Kelso	Sonny Blankenship	David Hicks
Tim Terrell	Johnny Burnett	Rex Free	Tim Vincent
Billy Alexander	Steve Fry	Tom Wright	Bobby Hyatt
Todd Winsor			

The meeting was called to order at 19:07, followed by an opening prayer by Todd Winsor and then the Pledge of Allegiance.

David Hicks read the minutes of the April Meeting.

**Treasurer Report:**

Starting Balance from Previous Month	\$1363.48
Receipts	\$40 tailgate + \$20 dues
Expenditures	\$150 power supply
Total On-Hand	1164.48

Motion to accept the minutes and treasurer’s reports by ? Seconded by ? Accepted by voice vote - Yes

**Old Business:**

Shirts & Hats arrived and \$19 per shirt and \$6 per hat are due to Bruce. Four folks have not yet paid and picked up their items. Please see Bruce.

Tailgate Party – nine sellers - \$45. The officers present found a good deal on a Rack mounted Astron power supply from Chris Arthur for \$150.00 and purchased it for the club. Todd took some photos that are now available on the EMA laptop for viewing. New Member - Bob Weaver joined BARC.

The storm spotter class in Hillsboro had several attendees.

The next Storm Spotters Class will be in Moulton at the EMA-office on May 23<sup>rd</sup> 6:00pm.

NWS budget for training books & travel is only \$5000 for the entire year. Some discussion on county alignment- We would like Cullman to go with Birmingham and Winston and Marion should be with Huntsville. NWS even suggested that southern Tennessee should be in the Nashville zone. No timeline on any changes.

**Upcoming Events:**

Field Day will be June 24-25 at Steve Fry’s house.



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## New Business:

June is BARC's time to call the Skywarn Nets. We need volunteers to call the net. Rex volunteered to call on June 1<sup>st</sup>. Bruce will take June 8<sup>th</sup>.

We may get up an order for Ham License tags if folks are interested. Ed will check out the costs.

Rex Free and Harley have been streaming NOAA weather to Weather Underground for years. Some changes at Weather Underground dropped the streaming. Right now we don't know if it will come back.

## Presentations:

Lile Bickley K4NA made a presentation on CW.

**Adjournment:** 20:34 Motion to adjourn – Johnny Burnett.

Minutes kept by \_\_\_\_\_ David Hicks \_\_\_\_\_

Submitted by David Hicks