

Bankhead Amateur Radio Club, Inc.

Established in 1982 • In Memory of Norris Howard, Sr., SK.



Meeting Minutes: June 14, 2022

Members & Guests Present:

Ed Weatherford (KS4B)	Х	Bruce Kelso K4BDK	Х
David Hicks N4DPH	Х	Sonny Blankenship N4JDB	Х
Tommy Lovelady AE4TL	Х	Martin Carraway K04NEI	Х
Bruce Shelton KD4KRH		Todd Winsor KS4T	Х
Warren Kelsoe KN4MR	Х	Tim Terrell N4TMT	
Lile Bickley K4NA	Х	Rex Free KN4CI	Х
Bobby Hyatt KD4AMG		David Lowery KE4DIS	Х
Tom Wright W4TFW	Х	Blake Terry AB4BT	
Bud Rogers K9NOZ	Х	Mark Andrews N4FH	Х
John Howard KI4WLY		Brent Robeson WB3KYJ	Х
Tom Grubbs, N4QYN		Wesley Slaton, W4CFI	
Steven Hoff N9FC	Х	Gerald McCrory, AG4SY	Х
Allen Hensley, KE4AH		Rider Bayne	

Meeting called to order at 7:02 PM by Ed Weatherford- Prayer by Todd Winsor - Pledge by Ed Weatherford

The club is starting our 40th year. Total in attendance

Minutes: David Hicks read the minutes. David Hicks reported the May minutes are posted on the website. Contact him if you need an updated password. Motion & Second to accept May Minutes. Motion carried.

Treasurer Report: Previous Balance \$1277.86. Current Balance \$1317.86. Motion & Second to accept. Motion carried.

Old Business:

Update on prayer requests.

- Continued prayers requested for Naomi Winsor.
- Bobby Hyatt is now in a nursing home at Hampton Cove and needs our prayer.
- Todd Winsor reports Vickie Lewis needs a kidney transplant & needs our prayers.
- The club's anniversary will be May 7, 2022. We had a special event call sign, N4B, for an 8 hour operation.
- Sonny & Ed determined we need 1 short and 2 long guy wires for the Super Site tower. Dylan Blankenship will climb. Ed will notify via email on the next work day.
- The club restarted the Skywarn Training Net on Thursdays at 7:45pm on 145.27. Rex will put an announcement on the 145.27 repeater. A new preamble will be on the website.
- Bruce announced the "27 Breakfast" on the third Friday's at 6:00am.

Program:

• Steven brought a LiFePo4 battery pack he built. 4S4P version for 12.8V @ 20Ahr. It only weighs about 5 pounds.

New Business:

• Reminder Field Day is in June. We encourage members to wear their Club Shirt and Hat.



- Super Site Cool Seal applied on the roof.
- Sonny & Ed identified locations for guy wires.
- Need to mount top section and antennas. Plan for a work day after Field Day.
- Discussion of and Field Day and the Huntsville Hamfest.
- Moulton Storm Shelter
- Breakfast 7:00am at Little Kountry Kitchen. Setup at 10am. Use N4IDX call sign. One SSB & one Digital.
- Class 2F (EOC)
- Martin volunteered to call the Local and Big Skywarn Nets this month.
- Each January, membership dues are payable. Current paid members as of 4/14/22 are:

John Howard- KI4WLY Brent Robeson- WB3JYJ Mark Andrews- N4FH Tim Terrell- N4TMT **Rex Free- NK4CI** Ed Weatherford- KS4B Sonny Blankenship- N4JDB Lile Bickley- K4NA Martin Carraway- KO4NEI David Lowery- KE4DIS Allen Hensley- KE4AH Bruce Shelton- KD4KRH Steve Flory- W9KOP Tom Grubbs- N4QYN Warren Kelsoe- KN4MR Blake Terry- AB4BT Bud Rogers- K9NOZ Tom Wright- W4TFW Wesley Slaton- W4CFI Jim Gassaway - K4XQ Gerald McCrory – AG4SY Todd Winsor- KS4T- Life Member David Hicks- N4DPH- Life Member Next Meeting:

July 12, 2022 at 7:00 pm at the LC EMA office in Moulton

Adjourn 8:00 PM.