



Meeting Minutes: October 13, 2022

Members & Guests Present:

Ed Weatherford (KS4B)		Bruce Kelso K4BDK		Tom Grubbs, N4QYN	
David Hicks N4DPH		Sonny Blankenship N4JDB		Steven Hoff N9FC	
Tommy Lovelady AE4TL		Martin Carraway K04NEI		Billy Alexander KM4KTD	
Bruce Shelton KD4KRH		Todd Winsor KS4T		Mike Fromhold AJ4SH	
Warren Kelsoe KN4MR		Tim Terrell N4TMT		David Holman AC7DS	
Lile Bickley K4NA		Rex Free KN4CI		Wesley Slaton, W4CFI	
Tom Wright W4TFW		David Lowery KE4DIS		Gerald McCrory, AG4SY	
Bud Rogers K9NOZ		Blake Terry AB4BT		Brent Robeson WB3KYJ	
John Howard KI4WLY		Mark Andrews N4FH			
				Bobby Hyatt KD4AMG	

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

Treasurer Report: Previous Balance \$1192.86 No treasurer report this month.

Old Business:

Update on prayer requests.

- Bobby Hyatt is now in a nursing home at Riverside in Decatur and needs our prayers.
- Steven reported that Alan is not doing well and is in the nursing home.
- Ed asked for us all to keep Alan and Bobby in our thoughts and prayers.

Program:

- Rex made a video of 96 site and presented it to the club.
- Mark showed his homebrew paint can dummy load.
- Ed presented a PowerPoint about the Super Site. The total cost so far is \$100.

New Business:

- Ed sent a list around asking for email addresses for the new Google group.
- Third Friday breakfast is changing to Jack's. Same time - 6:00AM.
- Martin brought his uncle Fred as a guest. He's contemplating becoming a Ham.
- Work session is scheduled at the Super Site and 96 site on October 22nd. We will put up antennas at 96 and general work at Super Site.
- Ed discussed the change in the 147.24, the Skywarn hub on Brindlee mtn. for the last 30 years. Currently 147.24 is on Drake mtn. An unused tower on Brindlee mtn. has been found, so maybe 24 will be moved back.
- Tom mentioned another site that was used by Morgan County and might be available.



- Todd talked about a 90ft tower, Mosely 3 element beam and rotor available from W4BC in Hartselle. No cost. You must take it down.
- Mark asked if anyone would like to go with him to setup a station at Camp Jackson for a Boy Scout camporee on October 22nd.
- Tom did a show and tell of his new CSI Interconnect RS-978 SDR Transceiver. \$349.00.
- The meeting turned to a general roundtable of topics.

Next Meeting:

November 8, 2022 at 7:00 pm at the LC EMA office in Moulton

Adjourn 7:52 PM.