

BONAC Amateur Radio Club
Minutes of Meeting
April 28, 2011

The meeting was called to order at 6: 15 by Steve.

Minutes of meeting of March 24, 2011 were read and approved by those present.

A brief Treasurers report was provided by Steve.

Steve advised everyone that the Suffolk County Park Permit was granted. Preparation will need to be considered at this time. Discussion ensued with respect to the use of a tent and/or cabins for stations. Nat & Steve will visit new manager over the next couple of weeks. Marshal will get his name etc.

A brief class update was given by Cliff & Steve. We presently have 11 students in the Technician Class. Steve received 5 additional calls after the first class. These potential candidates were advised to get the book directly from ARRL and to read chapters 1 through 6 before the May 1st class. We shall see if the class total increases. Cliff explained that Jerry & Martin conducted the first class which covered chapters 1 through 3. Cliff and Steve will administer the second class on May 1st which will cover chapters 4, 5, & 6. Jerry and Martin will guide the third class covering chapters 7, 8, & 9 on May 8th. Cliff and Steve will provide the review for the class on May 15th. Following the review, the test will be administered by the VE's.

Martin was unable to attend the meeting. So a shirt report was unavailable. Martin will fill us in when he can.

Paperwork for incorporation has been forwarded to the state.

Nat was unable to attend the meeting and will give us a Dayton Hamfest update next time.

Discussion ensued with respect to the noise on the repeater.

Discussion ensued concerning a get together at Cedar point to establish a station and have a barbecue.

A SKYWARN class is being offered on May 10th. E-mail to membership will be sent concerning this.

Rod will be calling Eddie regarding the website.

Meeting was adjourned at 7:05.

Attendance: Rod (NU2M); Cliff (N2GYI); Al (KC2PRS); Marshall (W2FID) and Steve (K2SRB)

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