

InterCity Amateur Radio Club
Monthly Meeting – January 5, 2019

President Duane, K8MDA, called the meeting to order at 7:30 pm.

Minutes – Tom Miller, N8TWM, moved to accept minutes as read. Danny Bailey, W8DLB seconded motion. Approved

Financial report – Henry, WD8Q, moved to accept financial report, second by John, K8NJ. Approved

Membership – 2 new members Fred Thomas, KE8KVP and Tom Miller, N8TWM

Health and Wellness – Matt Nickels, K8IDF, had several toes amputated.

Education – Test session will be Saturday January 19 and also at the Mansfield Hamfest.

PIO – Danny Baker, AB8SI, gave a brief overview of benefits of the ARRL website and recommended ordering the 2019 ARRL calendar.

Tech Committee – Dave Weigold, N8DPW, we've experienced several outages on 444.700 due to the power supply on the VASU rack malfunctioning. Moved it to the club rack. Several extension cords were needed for other problems with internet connections. All taken care of.

ARES – Danny, W8DLB – reminded everyone to complete their ICS courses. Winter field day will be held January 26-27 at the log cabin in South Park. The first monthly evening get together at the Stewart Rd. McDonalds on Saturday evening had a very small attendance. Next meeting will be on January 12 at 6:00 pm.

ARRL – Scott, N8SY – CenturyLink outage is being investigated by the FCC. The current government shutdown does affect the FCC. New amateur licenses and upgrades will be delayed. Reminder to any new hams, they cannot transmit until they receive their call sign.

Old Business –

Hamfest – Danny, W8DLB will give a free table to any club/organization promoting amateur radio as long as they are not selling anything.

Larry will do the talk-in again.

Will need volunteers to set-up tables Saturday at 11:00 am

Need volunteer for security Sunday morning at 5:00 am

There is to be NO parking on the kitchen side or the rear of Fairhaven Hall.

Need volunteer to run the 50/50 drawing. Danny, W8DLB, will be the back-up.

New Business –

Tom, KB8UXS need volunteers for ARNOLD in February.

Scott, N8SY, made a motion to adjourn the meeting, second by Henry, WD8Q. Meeting adjourned at 8:10 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Jane Yonally, KB8YPW, Secretary, InterCity Amateur Radio Club