

Wed, May 4th

We had a scheduled business meeting but because of the inclement weather, the turnout was low. The officers made a determination that we did not have a Quorum so we postponed the business meeting until June 7th. It will be a short meeting and may start earlier so we can get a brief station review in preparation for Field day.

What was accomplished was we sorted and tested some equipment from Smitty's Estate and then set some pricing for the members. We also greeted an invited guest (Del, K1UHF) to the Clubhouse and gave him the nickel tour. Del expressed an interest in joining and we expect to see him at the next meeting.

The club house is open every Saturday for any club member to utilize and by just stopping by you can become a participant in the project of the day or just operate radio! There is always something to do and a great way to enjoy your hobby!

The club has some operational events coming up in June. The first weekend is the 1st running of the ARRL International Digital Contest. If you like to point and click, show up on the afternoon of June 4th and it runs for 30 hrs so shift work will be required! You do not need to stay for the entire event. So if you have an interest, stop by. The next weekend (June 11-12th) is the ARRL VHF contest that we are always busing in. Club members are invited to watch or operate or help out in any way! Then on the weekend of the 18-19, its Kids day! It's a great time to get on and help all of the youngsters that are new to the hobby make QSO's. AND it is also on the WARC bands! Then the last weekend in June, it is the annual Field day event. The officers will be announcing some incentives for the membership to come by and operate. It's a great social event for the club and the BBQ grill will be in operation! So, plan on it!

For now, hope to see you all on June 7th and the time will be announced on the website and with the club e-mail.

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