CARROLL COUNTY AMATEUR RADIO CLUB (CCARC)

Minutes, General Meeting

CCPSTC ("Training Center"), Room 107 50 Kate Wagner Road, Westminster, Md.

DATE: 11/08/2021

Call to order by Pete WV3S at with greetings and introductions.

MINUTES:

Minutes of previous month's meeting posted to club mailing list at ccarc.k3pzn@gmail.com.

Minutes of most recent Board of Directors meeting posted to the same. Accepted unanimously by membership.

OFFICER REPORTS:

TREASURER: Andy WO3L, not present. ARES/RACES: Larry, WX3F present.

TECHNICAL COMMITTEE: Larry, WX3F says the 6M repeater has a dying component.

John, KC3FDL brought up that there appears to still be an issue between sites. Larry says it's related to the 2M

antenna.

EDUCATION: Pete, WV3S Antenna seminar coming up Saturday.

Pete, WV3S Raspberry Pi Seminar still needs help, goal is to have it complete by 1 Jan.

Pete, WV3S If there is enough interest in a tech course something will be put together. If interested please let the club know.

 $\,$ Pete, WV3S wants to know how much interest there is in an extra class/seminar.

This would not be a traditional class but instead would focus on trouble areas requested by attendees.

HAMFEST: Pete, WV3S Hamfest made \$827

KIT BUILDING: Pete, WV3S Last kit was the j-pole project, if you're interested in a new build please put something forward.

Also look for an antenna challenge for a kit build for a field day antenna in the future.

FOX HUNT: No updates.

AGENDA ITEMS: Pete, WV3S Will we have a holiday dinner, members voted yes, it will be held on the second Sunday in December.

We currently need someone to volunteer to organize it.

Announcements: Pete, WV3S we still have an open spot for secretary, you would take notes and maintain roster.

Larry, WX3F Jamboree on the air went well despite the weather. Scouts were able to make 2 meter and HF contacts.

29 scouts and 20 parents participated. Every Thursday night emergency training with winlink on vhf and hf.

Contact Larry for more details either directly or on the club reflector.

PRESENTATION: Chris, K3IEG gave a presentation on GNU radio and the parallels between SDR and physical radios.

Meeting adjourned at 2041hrs

Dave, KC3MKC CCARC, Vice President