

# Majors Field Amateur Radio Club

September 24, 2015

Regular Business Meeting



# Agenda

- **Announcements**
- **Officer Reports**
- **Old Business**
- **New Business**
- **ByLaws, Remote HF Station**  
**and 2016 Planning Discussion**
- **Adjournment**

# Announcements

- Belton HAM EXPO – Temple, TX  
Oct 3, 2015  
[www.tarc.org/hamexpo/](http://www.tarc.org/hamexpo/)
- SVARA Meeting  
Oct15<sup>th</sup> at 7:00pm  
Hunt County Regional Hospital – 2<sup>nd</sup> floor conference rm.
- Main Trading Company Radio Day – Paris, TX  
Oct 17<sup>th</sup> starts at 8am
- Jamboree On The Air (Boy Scouts)  
October 17<sup>th</sup> ~ 18<sup>th</sup>





# Announcements

- Texoma HamARama – Ardmore, TX  
Oct 23<sup>rd</sup> and 24<sup>th</sup>  
[www.texomahamarama.org](http://www.texomahamarama.org)
- Majors Field ARC Meeting  
Oct 29<sup>th</sup> at 11:45am right here.

# Officer Reports

- **President**  
**Michael Ketchum – K5MDK**
- **Vice President**  
**Stephen Denison – W5SMD**
- **Secretary Treasurer (OOO today)**  
**John Nelson Jr. – NØDFW**



# Old Business

- **Club Project Updates:**
  - **Remote HF Station**
    1. Antenna connected with poor VSWR on some bands.
    2. David Kessinger to help us tune it in near future.
    3. IT Rejected request to use corporate PC with HRD software installed. We are looking at other angles.

# Old Business

- **Club Project Updates (continued):**
  - **VE Technician Class and exam**
    - 1-day class scheduled for Sat. Nov 21<sup>st</sup>.
    - VE Session to follow class.



# Old Business

- **Club Membership Drive Results**

- | <b>E-Club:</b> |             |  |            |              |
|----------------|-------------|--|------------|--------------|
|                | <b>YES:</b> |  | <b>No:</b> | <b>%Yes:</b> |
|                | 18          |  | 1          | 94.7%        |

  

<b>ARRL:</b>				
	<b>YES:</b>		<b>No:</b>	<b>%Yes:</b>
	10		9	52.6%

  

<b>Lic Class:</b>									
	<b>None:</b>		<b>Tech:</b>		<b>Gen:</b>		<b>Ext/Adv:</b>		<b>%Hams:</b>
	2		1		5		11		89.5%

  

<b>Paid:</b>				
	<b>YES:</b>		<b>No:</b>	<b>%Yes:</b>
	19		4	82.6%

- **After filling out the form on web site, send dues payment to John Nelson – NØDFW directly or mail to:**

**P.O. Box 8294    Greenville, TX 75404-8294**



# Old Business

- **147.16 Repeater Upgrade**
  - Need to replace two coax cables
  - Need to reprogram announcements



# Old Business

- **L GAMES 5K RUN/WALK**
  - Thanks to everyone who helped out.





# Old Business

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# New Business

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# Discussion topics

**1) Remote HF Station**

**2) Ratify By-Laws RevD**

**3) Planning for 2016**

- **Club Events**

- **Field Day 2016**

- **Contesting as a Club**

- **Next phase of Remote HF Station**





# Adjournment