

CAPE FEAR AMATEUR RADIO SOCIETY MEETING MINUTES

MAY 2023

The monthly meeting of the Cape Fear Amateur Radio Society was held at 7:30 pm, Monday, May 15, 2023, in the Fellowship Hall of the Peace Presbyterian Church, 3202 Ramsey Street, Fayetteville, NC.

President Dale Mohr AK4YS called the meeting to order and led the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag of our country. Pete K4QFK gave the invocation. Dale AK4YS led the introductions in the usual CFARS fashion. There were 30 members and guests present. WO4SFA moved April's minutes be approved, Lani KQ4BVV seconded, and the motion carried.

PROGRAM

Paul K4PGM gave a presentation on the setup and operation of N3FJP (Field Day version.)

CFARS CALENDAR OF UPCOMING EVENTS

June 23-25: **FIELD DAY** Golfview Greenway walking trail at 3644 Golfview Rd. Hope Mills, NC 28348.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

- Treasurer: Dale gave the report from Bill KJ4OFD.
- Net Manager: Larry N4USB gave the net statistics.
- Possum Trot net: Greg NC4GK is looking for volunteers to call the PT net mornings 0500-0700. Split shifts can be an option.
- 10-10 Possum Trot chapter net: George KM4ODS reminded of the 10-10 PT net on Thursday nights at 2000 ET on 28.345 MHz.
- Repeaters: David K4FXC gave a repeater update, repeaters are healthy, looking to connect 2M repeater to network.
- Field Day: June 23-25.
- Membership: No update.
- VE Coordinator: Next VE session will be August 12, 2023, at the Cumberland County Shrine Club during the swap fest.
- Health and Welfare: Nina KN4KUL will be taking the responsibilities of the health and welfare coordinator.
- Swap fest: August 12, 2023.
- Newsletter: Newsletter will only be sent to CURRENT members. Any submissions please send to Mike KN4XP. cfarsnews@gmail.com
- Web Site: Any submissions please send to Dale AK4YS. cfarsncweb@gmail.com or mohrd57@gmail.com

OLD BUSINESS

- Mike KC4ABE motioned to table the review of Constitution and By-laws to next month. David K4FXC seconded. The motion carried.
- Mike KC4ABE motioned to start a 50/50 raffle to raise money for the club. Rod KQ4FNO seconded. The motion carried.

NEW BUSINESS

None

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Certificates given to KC4ABE, KK4MCY, KN4KUL AND KQ4FNO for their participation in the Rookie roundup host at the QTH of WO4ROG. They scored second place overall in the multi-op category.

Hector KB4LOA is arranging for CFARS hats and shirts. They will become available at Jeb designs.

DOOR PRIZES

Lani won a mag mount antenna, Larry N4USB won a mag mount antenna, Norman K4MGZ won a soldering iron, Don WO4SFA won a USB charging brick and a combination lock, Jeremy KN4JUY won a soldering iron, Rod KQ4FNO won a map, and Norman K4MGZ won a General Class test book.

ADJOURNMENT

Meeting was adjourned at 8:53 PM. There were 30 members and guests present. Mike KC4ABE motioned to adjourn.

Submitted: Jeremy Gilchrist KN4JUY, Recorder.

KQ4BVV	KB4LOA	K4QFK	KQ4FNO	N4USB	WO4SFA
WA2COU	KK4MCY	KO4VEC	KQ4HDF	KO4UFT	K4FXC
K4TTN	KM4JJJ	WO4ROG	K4FMI	K4MGZ	KN4JUY
AK4YS	K4BUC	KK4TBD	KC4ABE	KQ4IIX	KM4ODS
KN4KUL	KN4UHI	NC4GK	K4PGM	KO4URM	

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